

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	503	594	270	252	Land in Farms According to Use	Total cropland farms.....	497	568	265	243
Land in farms acres.....	58 084	59 959	42 141	34 753		Total cropland acres.....	36 320	34 407	27 497	22 016
Average size of farm acres.....	115	101	156	138		Harvested cropland farms.....	463	520	257	232
Harvested cropland acres.....	23 164	21 705	19 114	15 524	Harvested cropland acres.....	23 164	21 705	19 114	15 524	
Approximate land area acres.....	281 600	281 600	281 600	281 600	Farms by acres harvested:	1 to 9 acres	69	88	17	}
Proportion in farms percent.....	20.6	21.3	15.0	12.3	10 to 19 acres	82	93	17	100	
Value of land and buildings \$1,000.....	42 601	23 048	31 570	13 769	20 to 29 acres	61	76	56		
Average per farm dollars.....	84 693	38 802	116 927	54 639	30 to 49 acres	92	105			
Average per acre dollars.....	733	384	749	396	50 to 99 acres	106	112	97	86	
Farms by size:					100 to 199 acres	38	38	38	38	
1 to 9 acres	21	28	11	5	200 to 499 acres	14	8	14	8	
10 to 49 acres	103	125	28	27	500 to 999 acres	1	1	1		
50 to 69 acres	64	61	13	16	1,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-	
70 to 99 acres	95	137	45	42	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	9 645	9 152	5 894	5 136	
100 to 139 acres	94	122	64	69	Other cropland (see text)	3 511	3 550	2 489	1 356	
140 to 179 acres	45	54	33	37	Total woodland farms.....	342	429	188	191	
180 to 219 acres	23	25	21	22	Total woodland acres.....	12 410	13 231	8 481	6 996	
220 to 259 acres	19	14	18	13	Other land (see text) farms.....	405	502	229	(NA)	
260 to 499 acres	28	23	26	16	Other land (see text) acres.....	9 354	12 321	6 163	5 741	
500 to 999 acres	10	5	10	5	Irrigated land farms.....	14	5	8	4	
1,000 to 1,999 acres	1	1	1	-	Irrigated land acres.....	52	72	45	69	
2,000 acres and over	-	-	-	-	Total woodland - Continued					
					Woodland not pastured	farms.....		134	128	
Other cropland	farms.....		86	(NA)	Woodland not pastured	acres.....		6 081	4 108	
	acres.....		2 489	1 356	Other land	farms.....		229	(NA)	
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	farms.....		49	27		acres.....		6 163	5 741	
	acres.....		1 817	407	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture	farms.....		101	99	
Cropland on which all crops failed	farms.....		14	-		acres.....		2 901	2 956	
	acres.....		44	-	Improved pastureland and rangeland	farms.....		56	70	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	farms.....		-	8		acres.....		907	1 984	
	acres.....		-	111	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland	farms.....		65	43	
Cropland idle	farms.....		32	39		acres.....		1 994	972	
	acres.....		628	838	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms.....		219	200	
Total woodland	farms.....		188	191		acres.....		3 262	2 785	
Woodland pastured	farms.....		8 481	6 996						
	acres.....		92	116						
	acres.....		2 400	2 888						

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.....	503	594	270	252	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms acres.....	58 084	59 959	42 141	34 753	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	13	22
Harvested cropland acres.....	23 164	21 705	19 114	15 524	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	2 722	4 163
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	2	-
Full owners number.....	352	485	159	176	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 165	-
Land in farms acres.....	30 468	42 782	17 977	21 340	Other	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Harvested cropland acres.....	9 949	14 398	6 659	9 062		(NA)	(NA)	89	210
Part owners number.....	132	90	97	62	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms acres.....	25 324	15 107	22 165	11 865	Under 25 years	3	1	3	1
Harvested cropland acres.....	11 726	6 562	11 056	5 907	25 to 34 years	68	52	35	19
Tenants number.....	19	19	14	14	35 to 44 years	116	110	59	38
Land in farms acres.....	2 292	2 070	1 999	1 548	45 to 54 years	114	176	75	87
Harvested cropland acres.....	1 489	745	1 399	555	55 to 64 years	112	143	56	74
Percent of tenancy	3.8	3.1	5.2	5.5	65 years and over	87	112	39	33
					Average age	50.7	52.7	49.6	52.4
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated	401	487	220	211
All farm operators number.....	1	(NA)	1	1	On another farm	4		4	
Land in farms acres.....	90	(NA)	90	78	In a rural area, not on a farm	16	38	11	13
Harvested cropland acres.....	30	(NA)	30	-	In a city, town, or urban area	17		5	
Full owners	-	(NA)	-	1	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)	-	78	None	139	(NA)	95	(NA)
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days	15	48	11	23
Part owners	1	(NA)	1	-	50 to 99 days	11	8	13	7
Land in farms acres.....	90	(NA)	90	-	100 to 149 days	13		3	
Harvested cropland acres.....	30	(NA)	30	-	150 to 199 days	26	25	10	13
Tenants	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over	231	322	95	77
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming	205	(NA)	156	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	-	(NA)	-	-	Other	295	(NA)	111	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Individual or family number.....	(NA)	(NA)	254	229	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	38 165	30 380					

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	
Farms by value of sales:					
\$100,000 and over.....	9	16	9	16	
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	24	42	24	42	
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	52	65	52	65	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	36	54	36	54	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	64	66	64	66	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	81	65	81	65	
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	237	351	4	9	
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	34	36	(X)	(X)	
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	37	55	(X)	(X)	
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	63	67	(X)	(X)	
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	103	193	(X)	(X)	
Market value of agricultural products sold:					
Average per farm..... dollars	5 545	4 020	5 288	3 699	
Crops, including hay..... farms	341	421	202	(NA)	
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms	982	785	857	379	
Forest products..... farms	32	22	19	9	
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms	24	13	16	6	
Poultry and poultry products..... farms	378	445	214	226	
Specified products sold:					
Crops..... farms	202	(NA)	202	(NA)	
Grains..... farms	857	379	857	379	
Tobacco..... farms	471	134	471	134	
Cotton and cottonseed..... farms	-	-	-	-	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms	98	89	98	89	
Other field crops..... farms	7	6	7	6	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms	21	4	21	4	
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms	20	30	20	30	
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms	214	226	214	226	
Poultry and poultry products..... farms	3 814	3 050	3 814	3 050	
Dairy products..... farms	43	55	43	55	
Cattle and calves..... farms	314	382	314	382	
Hogs and pigs..... farms	99	124	99	124	
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms	2 727	1 950	2 727	1 950	
Other livestock and livestock products..... farms	200	(NA)	200	(NA)	
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over:					
\$1,000.....	549	490	549	490	
\$1,000.....	45	(NA)	45	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	161	228	161	228	
\$1,000.....	9	(NA)	9	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	7	(NA)	7	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	10	(NA)	10	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	56	(NA)	56	(NA)	

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	278	(NA)	92	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ farms	68	(NA)	44	(NA)	
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms	66	(NA)	56	(NA)	
Recreational services..... farms	32	34	19	24	
Government farm programs..... farms	46	23	38	21	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms	-	4	-	1	
Other farm-related sources..... farms	-	4	-	(2)	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ farms	27	171	20	77	
Total family income from off-farm sources ² farms	7	70	5	34	186
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related..... farms	6	(NA)	3	(NA)	1 915
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	29
Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms	27	171	20	77	277
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms	7	70	5	34	117
Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms	6	(NA)	3	(NA)	1 461
\$1,000.....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	70
\$1,000.....	8	(NA)	6	(NA)	106
\$1,000.....	12	(NA)	11	(NA)	19
\$1,000.....	17	(NA)	8	(NA)	55
\$1,000.....	21	(NA)	17	(NA)	14
\$1,000.....	21	(NA)	17	(NA)	16

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
Total farm production expenses..... farms	502	594	270	252	326	403	215
Farms with..... farms	4 539	3 244	4 183	2 825	159	62	146
\$1 to \$999.....	120	189	10	19	372	445	227
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	68	89	10	19	310	147	277
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	49	81	19	24	248	(NA)	160
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	85	67	55	44	90	67	82
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	63	83	59	80	(NA)	191	73
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	58	67	58	56	(NA)	27	26
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	39	85	39	18	494	591	269
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	12	8	12	11	351	230	301
\$60,000 and over.....	8	8	8	11	289	(NA)	267
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms	225	275	125	143	310	(NA)	250
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms	500	353	457	309	248	(NA)	190
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms	381	413	213	213	90	(NA)	142
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms	1 073	792	1 006	730	(NA)	(NA)	49
Feed ingredients..... farms	264	281	170	176	(NA)	(NA)	12
Whole grains..... farms	863	597	830	568	(NA)	(NA)	2
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	79	49	(NA)	(NA)	269
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	94	49	(NA)	(NA)	61
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	68	70	(NA)	(NA)	26
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	65	71	(NA)	(NA)	26
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	18	33	(NA)	(NA)	26
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	17	23	(NA)	(NA)	26
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	133	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	26
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	26
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms	326	403	215	210	326	403	215
Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms	159	62	146	49	372	445	227
Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms	310	147	277	121	248	(NA)	160
Lime..... farms	248	(NA)	160	(NA)	90	67	82
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms	494	591	269	252	(NA)	191	73
Gasoline..... farms	351	230	301	171	(NA)	27	26
Diesel oil..... farms	289	(NA)	267	250	(NA)	(NA)	49
LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms	16	225	13	145	(NA)	(NA)	56
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms	9	55	8	11	(NA)	(NA)	16
Hired farm labor..... farms	161	289	100	130	(NA)	(NA)	20
Contract labor..... farms	55	251	49	33	(NA)	(NA)	2
Machine hire and customwork..... farms	447	508	269	252	(NA)	(NA)	2
All other production expenses..... farms	1 703	1 287	1 524	1 110	(NA)	(NA)	2

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	482	590	257	252	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	79	56	72	34
\$1,000..... farms.....	9 762	4 907	7 165	3 288	number.....	79	57	72	35
Average per farm..... dollars.....	20 254	8 317	27 879	13 046	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	22	7	16
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines	22	140	20	4
\$1 to \$999.....	—	17	—	61	number.....	27	146	25	5
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	64	267	20	51	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	38	3	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	132	143	46	75	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	158	109	109	90
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	111	92	41	37	number.....	160	110	110	92
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	64	—	57	27	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	32	30	30	29
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	69	71	27	—	Mower conditioners	174	(NA)	115	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	27	—	15	4	number.....	187	(NA)	122	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	15	—	—	—	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	77	(NA)	56	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers	309	316	192	181
Automobiles	380	456	213	202	number.....	314	320	193	185
number.....	534	616	309	263	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	55	131	40	93
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	306	402	167	178	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	85	(NA)	53	46
Motor trucks, including pickups	395	430	224	217	number.....	86	(NA)	54	46
number.....	511	537	318	301	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	(NA)	18	31
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	220	252	127	153	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	104	(NA)	94	87
Wheel tractors	456	541	247	234	number.....	116	(NA)	106	91
number.....	1 049	1 094	678	592	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29	(NA)	28	42
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	182	243	133	151					
Crawler tractors	42	29	25	25					
number.....	49	36	28	28					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	—	2	13					

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..	409	(X)	227	(X)	378	(X)	214	(X)	3 814
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974..	389	(X)	214	(X)	355	(X)	205	(X)	717
.....1969..	442	(X)	211	(X)	406	(X)	209	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974..	369	11 220	208	8 962	328	3 653	200	3 111	549
.....1969..	407	10 013	207	8 037	346	4 421	202	3 742	490
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974..	20	59	6	10	132	365	44	132	31
5 to 9.....1974..	63	447	11	76	74	489	45	309	67
10 to 19.....1974..	102	1 444	40	556	65	844	54	715	140
20 to 49.....1974..	123	4 046	91	3 157	48	1 311	48	1 311	166
50 to 99.....1974..	45	3 143	44	3 082	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
100 to 199.....1974..	15	(D)	15	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....1974..	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974..	335	5 837	192	4 592	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969..	311	4 974	176	4 255	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974..	241	2 345	107	1 208	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969..	(NA)	1 414	64	814	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974..	153	3 492	107	3 384	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969..	178	3 560	140	3 441	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	99	(X)	2 727
.....1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	124	(X)	1 950
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Beef cows.....	241	2 345	107	1 208	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	63	168	25	61	1 to 4.....				
5 to 9.....	76	541	26	177	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	83	1 079	46	636	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	18	457	9	234	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	1	100	1	100	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	153	3 492	107	3 384	Calves sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	40	58	6	10	1 or 2.....				
3 or 4.....	11	41	6	23	3 or 4.....				
5 to 9.....	11	67	5	35	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	16	236	15	226	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	57	1 911	57	1 911	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	16	(D)	16	(D)	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....				
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	172	2 876	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	71	524	192
1969	181	2 575	1969	39	355	(NA)
Beef heifers	91	855	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	93	2 021	1 to 9	57	215	70
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	151	1 494	10 to 19	12	(D)	(D)
1969	161	1 207	20 to 49	—	—	—
			50 to 99	1	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
			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	78	2 056	47	1 679	76	3 318	45	2 998	161
1969	101	1 393	46	842	76	2 183	41	1 783	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	16	47	8	24	17	37	8	17	1
5 to 9	17	107	10	66	16	120	6	38	3
10 to 24	28	418	17	273	22	323	13	215	15
25 to 49	8	245	4	129	6	213	4	153	14
50 to 99	5	362	4	310	7	498	4	448	24
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	507	4	507	21
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	1 347	11	1 149	24
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	1 243	17	1 079	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	34	711	10	329	28	440	9	253	(NA)
1969	80	1 967	18	511	73	1 236	15	383	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	354	12 920
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	9	(X)	7
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	3	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	142	780	62	475	24	110	8	75	56
1969	188	763	(NA)	(NA)	21	318	(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	29	228	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969	22	218	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	55	352	33	298
Other hogs and pigs	41	1 451	1969	52	274	26	215
1969	44	624	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	40	186	28	160
Lambs under 1 year old	9	66	1969	38	136	21	110
Ewes 1 year old or older	9	253	June 1 and November 30	37	166	22	138
Rams and wethers	7	10	1969	47	138	26	105

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	107	(X)	47	(X)	42	(X)	29	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	64	(X)	(NA)	(X)	39	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	100	37 689	43	35 267	24	35 025	18	34 603
1969	147	57 200	62	51 163	56	54 908	37	52 258
Hens and pullets of laying age	96	36 962	42	35 050	24	34 976	18	34 554
1969	143	52 120	59	46 369	52	46 341	34	43 891
Farms with—								
1 to 99	73	2 177	23	865	9	201	5	131
100 to 399	15	2 275	11	1 675	9	1 885	7	1 533
400 to 1,599	4	2 210	4	2 210	1	490	1	490
1,600 to 3,199	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	2 400	1	2 400
3,200 to 9,999	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	16	851	5	570	19	1 565	11	1 070
1969	2	400	1	300	3	1 700	2	1 500
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	67	319	43	314
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	55	382

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	42	35 050	18	34 554	Turkeys	—	—	1	50
1974	42	35 050	18	34 554	1974	—	—	1	50
1969	59	46 369	34	43 891	1969	—	—	1	20
Hens for table or market egg production	41	34 490	18	34 264	Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	1	50
1974	41	34 490	18	34 264	1974	—	—	1	50
1969	3	560	1	290	1969	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	3	560	1	290	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
1974	3	560	1	290	1974	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	3	56	1	15	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1974	3	56	1	15	1974	—	—	—	—
1969	3	4 730	2	8 200	1969	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	10	161	2	34	Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—
1974	10	161	2	34	1974	3	(X)	1	(X)
1969	1	27	—	—	1969	7	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	27	—	—	Other poultry	—	—	—	—
1974	1	27	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	326	333	6 205	4 194	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	5	10	40	105	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	168	192	1 208	1 234	42 776	37 285
Other small grains for grain	265	312	4 046	3 617	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	(NA)	36	(NA)	5 885	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	378	441	11 264	11 922	25 070	23 734
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	39	39	205	230	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	51	64	309	432	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	18	15	16	13	(X)	(X)
Other crops	37	(NA)	178	120	(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)	194	161	4 207	2 146	342 225	214 225	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	79	105	1 284	1 310	14 981	18 390	1	1	2	26
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	3	26	23	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	15	21	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	161	122	4 896	2 759	12 914	7 321	—	—	—	—

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	172	5 894	(X)	—	—	12	166	12	42	—	—
1974	172	5 894	(X)	—	—	12	166	12	42	—	—
1969	151	5 136	(X)	—	—	29	467	28	89	1	8
Improved pasture	56	907	(X)	—	—	7	109	6	21	1	2
1974	56	907	(X)	—	—	7	109	6	21	1	2
1969	70	1 984	(X)	—	—	29	565	28	95	4	4
Corn for all purposes	205	5 517	(X)	1	2	178	5 053	173	820	23	182
1974	205	5 517	(X)	1	2	178	5 053	173	820	23	182
1969	180	3 479	(X)	1	26	143	2 769	143	577	12	35
Sorghums for all purposes	3	15	(X)	—	—	2	7	2	1	—	—
1974	3	15	(X)	—	—	2	7	2	1	—	—
1969	4	21	(X)	—	—	4	21	4	4	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	124	1 037	37 798	1	4	83	728	83	115	2	4
1974	124	1 037	37 798	1	4	83	728	83	115	2	4
1969	112	860	24 879	—	—	92	747	(NA)	121	(NA)	1
Oats (bushels)	172	2 779	164 466	—	—	111	1 717	111	239	2	2
1974	172	2 779	164 466	—	—	111	1 717	111	239	2	2
1969	177	1 913	123 914	—	—	144	1 604	(NA)	255	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	69	682	41 985	—	—	55	593	55	91	—	—
1974	69	682	41 985	—	—	55	593	55	91	—	—
1969	100	783	44 006	—	—	87	718	(NA)	129	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	1	3	150	—	—	1	3	—	(2)	—	—
1974	1	3	150	—	—	1	3	—	(2)	—	—
1969	2	8	400	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	7	71	(X)	—	—	7	71	7	12	(NA)	—
1974	7	71	(X)	—	—	7	71	7	12	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	218	8 662	20 572	—	—	27	905	24	97	3	12
1974	218	8 662	20 572	—	—	27	905	24	97	3	12
1969	200	7 751	17 667	—	—	32	909	32	136	2	2
Field seed crops	2	20	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	2	20	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	4	21	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	8	35	5 830	—	—	8	35	(NA)	8	(NA)	3
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	10	13	1 467	—	—	4	12	(NA)	13	(NA)	1
1974	10	13	1 467	—	—	4	12	(NA)	13	(NA)	1
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	26	184	(X)	—	—	20	177	19	37	3	1
1974	26	184	(X)	—	—	20	177	19	37	3	1
1969	28	220	(X)	2	12	26	177	26	40	1	2
Land in orchards	24	261	(X)	—	—	9	164	9	41	—	—
1974	24	261	(X)	—	—	9	164	9	41	—	—
1969	27	337	(X)	2	20	16	307	16	44	—	—

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	7	10	(X)	-	-	3	1	3	1	-	-
1969	4	4	(X)	-	-	3	4	3	2	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	19	137	(X)	7	40	8	36	8	13	-	-
1974	9	61	(X)	1	12	7	14	5	6	3	1
1969	2	3	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	2	3	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974											

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	231	359	224	177	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
Commercial fertilizer	227	227	207	177	Diseases in crops and orchards	10	13	247	244
Lime	73	277	124	121	acres on which used			5	5
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds or grass in crops	92	98	3 609	2 422
Insects on hay crops	27	866	47	1 412	acres on which used	21	9	21	9
Insects on other crops	44	4	32	7	Weeds or brush in pasture	1	7	40	84
Nematodes in crops	1	15	7	7	acres on which used	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
	28	1	90	1	Weeds on all other land	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
	(Z)	(Z)	1	1	acres on which used	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)
					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
					of crops or thinning of fruit	2	2	47	12
					acres on which used	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	21	62	21	62
					acres on which used	1	4	1	4
					Other chemicals (see text)	38	(NA)	7	(NA)
					acres on which used	7	(NA)		(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	percent	Farms	percent		Farms	percent	Farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	8	3.0	4	1.5	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms					Self-propelled sprinkler systems	3	(NA)	12	(NA)
Total land irrigated	45	5.6	69	17.2	Other sprinkler systems	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
Average per farm	8	8	4	4	acres	27	(NA)	27	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	45	8	69	4	Land in irrigated farms	749	670	320	518
Harvested cropland irrigated	8	45	4	69	Cropland	160	414	160	414
Cropland pasture irrigated	-	-	-	-	Harvested cropland				
Other cropland irrigated	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	between 1970 and 1973	1	(X)	40	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	27	0.6	35	0.5	acres irrigated in most recent year	29	51	10.7	20.2
Average per acre irrigated	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	Proportion of farms	5 592	9 658	805	1 296
Land irrigated by—					Land in farms with drainage	27.8	25.4	805	1 296
Furrows or ditches	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	Land drained			27.8	25.4
	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm			27.8	25.4
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	56	(NA)	82	(NA)
					acres	46	(NA)		(NA)

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		93	68	65			
Farms by size of debt owed:		2 648	1 544	1 105			
Under \$5,000		11	7	15			
\$5,000 to \$9,999		15	12	11			
\$10,000 to \$29,999		31	31	30			
\$30,000 to \$49,999		24	13	6			
\$50,000 and over		12	5	3			

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—							87	29	34	58
150 days or more	29	28	57	58	185	235	281	185	70	25
25 to 149 days	34	135	90	369	70	25	361	57	90	214
Less than 25 days	58		214		25					
Total contract labor	13	14	(NA)	(NA)	8	11				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	6	(NA)	5	(NA)				
							37	19	13	28
							8	3	6	7
							17	5	11	9
							15	2	3	7
							10	-	1	7