

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms number.....	263	302	166	171
Land in farms acres.....	42 708	47 335	33 461	36 657
Average size of farm acres.....	162	157	202	214
Approximate land area acres.....	575 360	575 360	575 360	575 360
Proportion in farms percent.....	7.4	8.2	5.8	6.4
Value of land and buildings \$1,000.....	22 114	13 613	17 456	10 357
Average per farm dollars.....	84 084	45 076	105 155	60 569
Average per acre dollars.....	518	288	522	283
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres number.....	2	10	1	1
10 to 49 acres number.....	33	42	10	6
50 to 69 acres number.....	27	29	14	8
70 to 99 acres number.....	29	39	17	15
100 to 139 acres number.....	59	54	30	34
140 to 179 acres number.....	38	38	22	31
180 to 219 acres number.....	16	33	15	22
220 to 259 acres number.....	19	16	19	15
260 to 499 acres number.....	33	32	31	30
500 to 999 acres number.....	6	9	6	9
1,000 to 1,999 acres number.....	1	-	1	-
2,000 acres and over number.....	-	-	-	-

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland farms.....	262	298	166	170
acres.....	26 844	31 103	22 802	25 268
Harvested cropland farms.....	253	291	161	169
acres.....	20 037	21 354	17 963	18 642
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres farms.....	18	35	2	1
10 to 19 acres farms.....	33	27	1	-
20 to 29 acres farms.....	33	37	16	37
30 to 49 acres farms.....	50	50	31	-
50 to 99 acres farms.....	61	77	53	67
100 to 199 acres farms.....	37	46	37	46
200 to 499 acres farms.....	17	16	17	16
500 to 999 acres farms.....	4	3	4	3
1,000 acres and over farms.....	-	-	-	-
Cropland used only for pasture				
or grazing farms.....	165	152	106	103
acres.....	4 984	4 019	3 948	3 317
Other cropland (see text) farms.....	86	145	44	(NA)
acres.....	1 823	5 730	891	3 309
Total woodland farms.....	207	215	124	125
acres.....	12 305	13 182	8 325	9 140
Other land (see text) farms.....	168	214	106	(NA)
acres.....	3 559	3 050	2 334	2 249
Irrigated land farms.....	1	4	1	4
acres.....	18	138	18	138

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Other cropland farms.....	44	(NA)
acres.....	891	3 309
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	16	23
acres.....	289	785
Cropland on which all crops failed farms.....	15	11
acres.....	187	232
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow farms.....	4	10
acres.....	180	1 330
Cropland idle farms.....	16	40
acres.....	235	962
Total woodland farms.....	124	125
acres.....	8 325	9 140
Woodland pastured farms.....	26	38
acres.....	1 103	2 101

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Total woodland - Continued		
Woodland not pastured farms.....	108	106
acres.....	7 222	7 039
Other land farms.....	106	(NA)
acres.....	2 334	2 249
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture farms.....	30	38
acres.....	1 082	846
Improved pastureland and rangeland farms.....	23	23
acres.....	907	632
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland farms.....	7	18
acres.....	175	214
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....	101	123
acres.....	1 252	1 403

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators number.....	263	302	166	171
Land in farms acres.....	42 708	47 335	33 461	36 657
Harvested cropland acres.....	20 037	21 354	17 963	18 642
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners number.....	179	223	102	105
Land in farms acres.....	21 807	29 837	15 096	19 865
Harvested cropland acres.....	8 448	11 318	6 909	8 868
Part owners number.....	61	57	54	54
Land in farms acres.....	17 970	14 775	17 073	14 336
Harvested cropland acres.....	10 252	8 370	10 028	8 251
Tenants number.....	23	22	10	12
Land in farms acres.....	2 931	2 723	1 292	2 456
Harvested cropland acres.....	1 337	1 666	1 026	1 523
Percent of tenancy.....	8.7	7.2	6.0	7.0

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969
Black and other races, see text — Farm operators by tenure: ¹		
All farm operators number.....	1	(NA)
Land in farms acres.....	145	(NA)
Harvested cropland acres.....	96	(NA)
Full owners number.....	1	(NA)
Land in farms acres.....	145	(NA)
Harvested cropland acres.....	96	(NA)
Part owners number.....	-	(NA)
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)
Tenants number.....	-	(NA)
Land in farms acres.....	-	(NA)
Harvested cropland acres.....	-	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership number.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	14
Land in farms acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 194	4 577
Corporation number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	1
Land in farms acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	235	252
Other number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	1
acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	158
Farm operators by age group: ²				
Under 25 years farms.....	5	7	5	5
25 to 34 years farms.....	28	22	11	14
35 to 44 years farms.....	41	71	27	47
45 to 54 years farms.....	79	72	45	35
55 to 64 years farms.....	62	82	42	49
65 years and over farms.....	47	48	35	21
Average age farms.....	51.4	50.8	52.4	49.4
Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
On farm operated farms.....	211	245	130	153
On another farm farms.....	7	-	3	-
In a rural area, not on a farm farms.....	1	35	1	12
In a city, town, or urban area farms.....	13	-	9	-
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
None farms.....	80	(NA)	68	(NA)
1 to 49 days farms.....	6	24	5	19
50 to 99 days farms.....	4	4	3	4
100 to 149 days farms.....	10	-	7	-
150 to 199 days farms.....	9	16	4	9
200 days and over farms.....	102	121	36	36
Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Farming farms.....	141	(NA)	118	(NA)
Other farms.....	121	(NA)	47	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market				
Farm operators reporting agricultural farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
contracts farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	23	(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			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over.....	11	17	11	17			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	28	54	28	54			
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	35		35				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	30	40	30	40			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	30	38	30	38			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	31	22	31	22			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	98	131	1	—			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	9	30	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	27	13	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	22	13	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	40	75	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold.....							
Average per farm.....	5 267	4 324	5 153	4 185			
Crops, including hay.....	214	253	135	(NA)			
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	1 768	1 185	1 681	1 117			
Forest products.....	16	10	7	6			
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	190	229	141	156			
Poultry and poultry products.....	30	(NA)	19	26			
Specified products sold:							
Crops.....	135	(NA)	135	(NA)			
Grains.....	1 681	1 117	1 681	1 117			
Tobacco.....	985	599	985	599			
Cotton and cottonseed.....	—	—	—	—			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....	60	62	60	62			
Other field crops.....	7	11	7	11			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....	155	132	155	132			
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....	14	11	14	11			
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	141	156	141	156			
Poultry and poultry products.....	3 448	3 064	3 448	3 064			
Dairy products.....	19	26	19	26			
Cattle and calves.....	52	255	52	255			
Hogs and pigs.....	78	114	78	114			
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	2 651	2 157	2 651	2 157			
Other livestock and livestock products.....	137	(NA)	137	(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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	115	(NA)	37	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms.....	96
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	59	(NA)	37	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....	farms.....	734
Customwork and other agricultural services.....	45	(NA)	33	(NA)	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....	farms.....	15
Recreational services.....	19	31	12	17	Interest, dividends, or royalties.....	farms.....	111
Government farm programs.....	20	8	16	7	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....	farms.....	63
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....	2	4	1	2	Rent income of nonfarm property.....	farms.....	495
Other farm-related sources.....	2	7	(Z)	7			54
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	19	148	17	85			70
	8	130	8	83			14
	24	(NA)	12	(NA)			51
	16	(NA)	9	(NA)			6
	2	(NA)	1	(NA)			6
	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)			6
	18	(NA)	13	(NA)			6
	10	(NA)	9	(NA)			6

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.....	263	302	166	171	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	211	229	147	158
Farms with.....	3 962	3 182	3 821	3 033	Commercial fertilizer purchased.....	150	156	145	152
\$1 to \$999.....	36	73	—	9	Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....	208	244	148	157
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	37	50	3	6	Lime.....	441	252	425	239
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	22	16	8	6	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....	136	(NA)	102	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	38	26	27	21	Gasoline.....	98	64	96	62
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	42	53	40	51	Diesel oil.....	(NA)	76	40	63
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	40	40	40	47	LP gas, butane, and propane.....	(NA)	15	16	14
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	31	84	31	25	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....	(NA)	(NA)	165	171
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	4	4	4	4	Hired farm labor.....	(NA)	(NA)	21	18
\$60,000 and over.....	13	13	13	12	Contract labor.....	85	143	71	120
Livestock and poultry purchased.....	135	156	83	94	Machine hire and customwork.....	478	314	471	308
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	210	217	141	141	All other production expenses.....	8	149	5	13
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	597	582	578	562		114	55	89	102
Feed ingredients.....	120	151	88	107		57	53	41	41
Whole grains.....	326	361	319	348		237	271	166	171
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	(NA)	(NA)	77	56		1 617	1 247	1 519	1 187
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	(NA)	(NA)	219	151					

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.....	257	295	161	169	Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
..... \$1,000.....	5 469	3 392	4 517	2 825		Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	46	40	39	32
Average per farm..... dollars.....	21 279	11 498	28 056	16 715	..... number.....	49	41	42	33
Farms by value group:					mfd in last 5 years, number.....	10	16	10	10
\$1 to \$999.....	—	12	—	32	Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	14	129	13	3
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	24	94	8	32	..... number.....	15	137	14	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	77	87	27	46	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	35	8	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	54	41	33	35	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	128		94	94
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	38		31	25	..... number.....	133		98	99
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	39	61	37	20	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29		28	26
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	14		14	11	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	87	(NA)	71	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	11		11		..... number.....	89	(NA)	73	(NA)
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....	27	(NA)	25	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers..... farms.....	157	174	112	129
Automobiles..... farms.....	217	241	138	155	..... number.....	157	176	112	129
..... number.....	282	344	186	215	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	32	58	22	50
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	147	171	99	129	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	38	(NA)	35	24
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	216	226	140	146	..... number.....	40	(NA)	37	27
..... number.....	284	292	206	203	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	18	(NA)	18	15
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	105	108	78	69	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	63	(NA)	57	75
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	239	279	149	162	..... number.....	70	(NA)	64	76
..... number.....	598	693	443	478	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	(NA)	20	27
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	97	156	83	120					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	11		8	10					
..... number.....	11		8	10					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	—					

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.....	216	(X)	147	(X)	190	(X)	141	(X)	3 448
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	205	(X)	140	(X)	177	(X)	138	(X)	729
.....1969.....	222	(X)	148	(X)	211	(X)	149	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	189	8 417	139	7 843	161	2 900	137	2 815	672
.....1969.....	217	8 459	148	7 820	197	3 737	149	3 515	601
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	26	52	4	6	38	83	23	54	12
5 to 9.....1974.....	17	112	10	67	33	208	25	162	46
10 to 19.....1974.....	34	471	23	321	52	707	51	697	125
20 to 49.....1974.....	61	2 049	51	1 716	28	806	28	806	147
50 to 99.....1974.....	31	2 173	31	2 173	6	414	6	414	118
100 to 199.....1974.....	16	2 061	16	2 061	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....1974.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	152	3 911	116	3 619	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	168	3 781	125	3 643	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	81	854	49	579	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	400	19	290	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	97	3 057	85	3 040	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	131	3 381	115	3 353	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	78	(X)	2 651
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	114	(X)	2 157
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows.....	81	854	49	579	124	1 863	633		
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	27	56	9	22	42	120	34		
5 to 9.....	16	103	14	92	37	236	77		
10 to 19.....	26	350	18	236	28	372	116		
20 to 49.....	12	345	8	229	11	343	115		
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	4	(D)	(D)		
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Milk cows.....	97	3 057	85	3 040	86	952	40		
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	16	20	6	9	21	30	2		
3 or 4.....	3	9	1	3	7	28	2		
5 to 9.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	11	76	4		
10 to 19.....	16	238	16	238	34	455	20		
20 to 49.....	38	1 146	38	1 146	12	293	10		
50 to 99.....	20	1 319	20	1 319	1	70	2		
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—		
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	1974	111	2 525	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	46	912	340
	1969	134	2 551		1969	25	797	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	47	655	Farms with—				
Milk heifers	1974	77	1 870	1 to 9	1974	27	118	41
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	101	1 699	10 to 19	1974	12	149	53
	1969	114	1 626	20 to 49	1974	5	(D)	(D)
				50 to 99	1974	—	—	—
				100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
				200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
				500 and over	1974	—	—	—

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

	Inventory				Sales					
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Hogs and pigs	1974	70	1 013	39	609	54	1 001	34	689	56
	1969	83	1 188	49	919	65	1 505	43	1 125	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	28	85	12	44	8	17	3	7	1
5 to 9	1974	12	74	10	61	15	105	10	61	5
10 to 24	1974	14	232	8	132	17	267	9	120	10
25 to 49	1974	14	465	7	215	10	290	9	254	21
50 to 99	1974	1	57	1	57	3	222	2	147	9
100 to 199	1974	1	100	1	100	1	100	1	100	10
200 to 499	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	13	330	5	97	3
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	325	14	304	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	10	38	2	10	2	15	1	13	(NA)
	1969	3	48	3	48	3	46	3	46	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	9	165
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	60	288	30	203	4	53	4	53	16
	1969	55	172	(NA)	(NA)	4	7	(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	1974	11	37	Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
	1969	31	124	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	21	93	12	48
Other hogs and pigs	1974	39	572		1969	45	208	32	156
	1969	41	795	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	15	41	11	28
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	—	—		1969	35	91	26	77
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	1	8	June 1 and November 30	1974	18	52	9	20
Rams and wethers	1974	2	2		1969	39	117	27	79

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	54	(X)	32	(X)	15	(X)	11	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	38	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	54	8 169	32	7 052	14	5 223	10	5 143
	1969	73	35 193	38	33 005	16	13 040	13	12 741
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	48	7 328	26	6 366	13	5 120	9	5 040
	1969	72	34 893	38	32 948	12	12 700	10	12 491
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	33	1 243	13	591	4	80	—	—
100 to 399	1974	12	2 085	10	1 775	6	1 040	6	1 040
400 to 1,599	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	3	41	—	—	3	250	3	250
	1969	—	—	—	—	1	400	1	400
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	30	56	19	52
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	26	255

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	26	6 366	9	5 040	1	5	—	—	
1969	38	32 948	10	12 491	—	—	1	(D)	
Hens for table or market egg production	24	5 866	7	4 750	1	5	—	—	
Hens for hatching egg production	2	500	2	290	—	—	—	—	
1974	4	459	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	1	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Pullets 3 months old or older	10	227	3	103	—	—	—	—	
1974	1	10	—	—	1	(X)	—	(X)	
1969	—	—	—	—	2	(X)	—	(X)	
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Turkeys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Heavy breed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Light breed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other poultry	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	203	214	7 266	6 680	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	8	14	42	72	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	3	2	70	67	2 000	2 110
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	105	154	1 287	1 537	44 091	46 598
Other small grains for grain	159	194	2 781	3 452	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	7	—	9	—	11 400
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	12	(NA)	117	(NA)	34 568	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	206	230	7 917	8 031	19 095	18 922
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	24	17	870	1 230	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	9	2	37	24	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	6	2	4	6	(X)	(X)
Other crops	11	(NA)	173	181	(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)	133	140	5 094	4 709	497 385	494 718	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	75	100	1 587	1 440	22 211	24 575	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hoggied or grazed	3	4	17	11	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	8	(NA)	42	72	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	103	109	3 031	2 672	8 731	8 004	—	—	—	—

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	106	3 948	(X)	—	—	27	610	26	94	1	7
1969	103	3 317	(X)	—	—	37	733	37	105	3	3
Improved pasture	23	907	(X)	—	—	2	54	2	6	—	—
1969	23	632	(X)	—	—	10	136	9	18	2	4
Corn for all purposes	138	6 698	(X)	—	—	112	5 954	108	1 192	27	186
1969	142	6 160	(X)	—	—	117	5 387	116	1 193	12	27
Sorghums for all purposes	8	42	(X)	—	—	7	38	7	7	1	1
1969	14	72	(X)	—	—	11	61	11	16	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	85	1 199	41 677	—	—	66	982	66	134	1	1
1969	110	1 299	39 308	—	—	88	1 060	(NA)	166	(NA)	6
Oats (bushels)	119	2 208	125 489	—	—	86	1 842	85	217	1	(Z)
1969	134	2 613	144 735	—	—	102	2 093	(NA)	281	(NA)	6
Barley (bushels)	18	113	5 123	—	—	10	65	10	8	—	—
1969	39	317	12 413	—	—	31	259	(NA)	41	(NA)	(Z)
Rye (bushels)	3	16	365	—	—	1	5	1	1	—	—
1969	6	27	585	—	—	5	19	(NA)	4	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	5	33	(X)	—	—	2	8	2	1	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	3	70	2 000	—	—	3	70	3	7	—	—
1969	2	67	2 110	—	—	1	40	(NA)	4	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	140	6 924	17 808	—	—	44	2 138	43	343	1	1
1969	143	6 561	16 950	—	—	53	2 204	50	354	4	4
Field seed crops	9	170	(X)	—	—	2	53	2	7	—	—
1969	7	48	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	3	5	9 400	—	—	3	5	(NA)	5	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	8	115	34 274	1	4	8	115	8	77	—	—
1969	8	237	75 478	3	114	7	237	(NA)	166	(NA)	3
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	17	859	(X)	1	14	15	856	15	132	—	—
1969	12	1 217	(X)	1	19	11	1 217	11	224	2	7
Land in orchards	5	33	(X)	—	—	3	28	3	3	—	—
1969	2	24	(X)	—	—	2	24	2	5	—	—

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	5	4	(X)	—	—	3	3	3	2	—	—
1969	2	6	(X)	1	5	1	5	1	2	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	1	(X)	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	1
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000		Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	150	520	158	520	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	148	425	149	425	Diseases in crops and orchards	2	60	5	174
Lime	40	16	63	14	acres on which used	1	1	3	3
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	67	4 879	103	6 024
Insects on hay crops	15	444	38	1 299	acres on which used	36	2	28	1
Insects on other crops	35	2 406	23	1 194	Weeds or brush in pasture	2	30	10	10
Nematodes in crops	3	35	7	35	acres on which used	1	1	(Z)	(Z)
	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	Weeds on all other land	4	23	(NA)	(NA)
					acres on which used	(Z)	2	(NA)	(NA)
					\$1,000	47	3	6	172
					of crops or thinning of fruit	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
					acres on which used	20	1	57	3
					\$1,000	1	21	(NA)	(NA)
					Other chemicals (see text)	4	4	(NA)	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	1	18	4	138	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	0.6	18.0	2.3	34.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	1	18	4	138	Other sprinkler systems	1	18	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	1	18	4	138	Land in irrigated farms	34	32	1 009	778
Harvested cropland irrigated	1	18	4	138	Cropland	32	32	778	739
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Harvested cropland	32	32	778	739
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	2	40	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	26	15.7	31	18.1
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	12	0.7	31	0.2	Proportion of farms	15.7	7 534	9 805	1 093
Average per acre irrigated	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	Land in farms with drainage	7 534	925	35.6	35.2
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	35.6	35.6	35.6	35.2
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	10	12	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	number	7	7	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	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)	—	—	64	2 287	49	1 757	38	530
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	—	—	11	6	9	2	10	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	6	27	2	26	11	11
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	27	9	4	4	2	2
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	9	11	8	8	2	2
\$50,000 and over	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—

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—	28	40	68	69	361	308	Farms	71	28	27	43
150 days or more	27	100	106	577	69	40	Cash wages paid	471	361	69	40
25 to 149 days	43	13	265	(NA)	40	3	Number of workers	439	68	106	265
Less than 25 days	5	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	1 worker	29	17	9	22
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	2 workers	8	1	7	3
	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	3 or 4 workers	11	6	5	5
	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	5 to 9 workers	16	4	5	9
	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	10 workers and over	7	—	1	4