

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.....	632	675	489	436	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres.....	104 236	104 520	92 822	78 902	Total cropland..... farms.....	602	645	461	415
Average size of farm..... acres.....	165	155	190	181	acres.....	62 603	62 747	57 838	49 427
Approximate land area..... acres.....	247 232	247 232	247 232	247 232	Harvested cropland..... farms.....	577	609	456	404
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	42.2	42.3	37.5	31.9	acres.....	48 445	39 858	45 762	35 591
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000.....	51 264	20 534	46 584	16 290	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	81 114	30 421	95 264	37 362	1 to 9 acres.....	33	60	7	
Average per acre..... dollars.....	492	196	502	206	10 to 19 acres.....	52	70	13	
					20 to 29 acres.....	53	62	30	100
					30 to 49 acres.....	84	102	66	
					50 to 99 acres.....	180	181	165	171
					100 to 199 acres.....	125	110	125	109
					200 to 499 acres.....	49	24	49	24
					500 to 999 acres.....	1	-	1	-
					1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
Farms by size:					Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	375	403	304	280
1 to 9 acres.....	36	30	27	22	acres.....	10 032	10 024	9 030	8 140
10 to 49 acres.....	63	68	24	18	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	163	325	119	(NA)
50 to 69 acres.....	58	43	18	12	acres.....	4 126	12 865	3 046	5 696
70 to 99 acres.....	55	99	45	43	Total woodland..... farms.....	489	502	387	341
100 to 139 acres.....	121	131	97	101	acres.....	33 292	33 158	27 940	23 762
140 to 179 acres.....	86	96	75	64	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	472	509	381	(NA)
					acres.....	8 341	8 615	7 044	5 713
180 to 219 acres.....	60	78	57	63	Irrigated land..... farms.....	4	5	4	3
220 to 259 acres.....	30	40	30	35	acres.....	150	273	150	187
260 to 499 acres.....	108	80	102	71					
500 to 999 acres.....	13	8	12	5					
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	2	2	2	2					
2,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-					

	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
Other cropland..... farms.....			119	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued				
acres.....			3 046	5 696	Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			322	284
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			54	69	acres.....			20 362	18 521
acres.....			989	2 051	Other land..... farms.....			381	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			9	10	acres.....			7 044	5 713
acres.....			167	71	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			145	137
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			8	25	acres.....			3 387	2 865
acres.....			330	980	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			58	90
Cropland idle..... farms.....			70	109	acres.....			1 198	1 792
acres.....			1 560	2 594	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			94	67
Total woodland..... farms.....			387	341	acres.....			2 189	1 073
acres.....			27 940	23 762	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			354	263
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			102	100	acres.....			3 657	2 848
acres.....			7 578	5 241					

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.....	632	675	489	436	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	104 236	104 520	92 822	78 902	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	17	36
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	48 445	39 858	45 762	35 591	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	5 981	7 964
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	3
Full owners..... number.....	458	545	323	314	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	7	251
Land in farms..... acres.....	62 584	78 049	51 645	53 559	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	-
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	23 744	25 187	21 223	21 298	acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	130	-
Part owners..... number.....	138	94	132	87	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	36 043	21 493	35 602	20 517	Under 25 years.....	18	9	18	9
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	21 388	11 777	21 259	11 450	25 to 34 years.....	96	67	73	51
Tenants..... number.....	36	36	34	35	35 to 44 years.....	134	178	95	117
Land in farms..... acres.....	5 609	4 978	5 575	4 826	45 to 54 years.....	171	202	141	132
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	3 313	2 894	3 280	2 843	55 to 64 years.....	123	138	92	88
Percent of tenancy.....	5.7	5.3	7.0	8.0	65 years and over.....	86	81	66	39
					Average age.....	48.4	49.3	48.3	47.9
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	493	559	395	387
All farm operators..... number.....	2	(NA)	2	-	On another farm.....	22		9	
Land in farms..... acres.....	410	(NA)	410	-	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	10	70	7	32
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	206	(NA)	206	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	23		8	
Full owners..... number.....	2	(NA)	2	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	410	(NA)	410	-	None.....	193	(NA)	176	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	206	(NA)	206	-	1 to 49 days.....	42	57	34	49
Part owners..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days.....	16	28	14	19
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days.....	19		17	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days.....	32	61	27	30
Tenants..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over.....	174	222	80	82
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	428	(NA)	380	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	200	(NA)	105	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	10	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	468	397	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	44	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	86 704	70 687					

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	27	39	27	39			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	103		103				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	120	106	120	106			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	87	127	87	127			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	82	96	82	96			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	67	65	67	65			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	146	242	3	3			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	41	32	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	31	35	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	30	28	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	44	147	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	16 616	8 736	16 416	8 517			
Average per farm	26 292	12 941	33 570	19 533			
Crops, including hay							
farms	506	542	400	(NA)			
\$1,000	2 663	1 118	2 537	1 012			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	2		2				
\$1,000	9		9	(D)			
Forest products							
farms	32	49	27	38			
\$1,000	77	35	73	33			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	504	546	428	417			
\$1,000	13 866	7 583	13 796	7 471			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	86	(NA)	84	96			
\$1,000	4 428	(NA)	4 427	1 929			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms					400	(NA)	
\$1,000					2 537	1 012	
Grains							
farms					353	325	
\$1,000					1 343	497	
Tobacco							
farms					-	-	
\$1,000					-	-	
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms					-	-	
\$1,000					-	-	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms					174	127	
\$1,000					614	194	
Other field crops							
farms					14	3	
\$1,000					66	(D)	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms					10	12	
\$1,000					190	98	
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms					16	17	
\$1,000					325	197	
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms					428	417	
\$1,000					13 796	7 471	
Poultry and poultry products							
farms					84	96	
\$1,000					4 427	1 929	
Dairy products							
farms					257	273	
\$1,000					7 198	4 312	
Cattle and calves							
farms					365	(NA)	
\$1,000					1 635	793	
Hogs and pigs							
farms					143	(NA)	
\$1,000					503	437	
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms					23		
\$1,000					11		
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms					24		
\$1,000					22		

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	191	(NA)	78	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	264
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	122	(NA)	94	(NA)	\$1,000	1 774
Customwork and other agricultural services	172	(NA)	152	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	44
farms	42	47	40	42	\$1,000	363
\$1,000	83	33	82	30	Cash wages, salaries, commissions and tips	168
Recreational services	-	9	-	5	\$1,000	1 124
\$1,000	-	8	-	6	Interest, dividends, or royalties	115
Government farm programs	57	319	39	195	farms	165
\$1,000	54	227	37	153	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	43
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	26	(NA)	19	(NA)	\$1,000	106
farms	30	(NA)	28	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	18
\$1,000	15	(NA)	12	(NA)	farms	17
Other farm-related sources	5	(NA)	4	(NA)	\$1,000	
\$1,000	5	(NA)	4	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	35	(NA)	27	(NA)		
farms	67	(NA)	62	(NA)		
\$1,000						

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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	632	675	489	436	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	492	505	431	384
farms	12 563	6 725	12 357	6 458	\$1,000	300	117	294	107
Farms with -					Commercial fertilizer purchased	510	555	426	382
\$1 to \$999	77	125	10	11	\$1,000	799	338	776	311
\$1,000 to \$1,999	56	97	25		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	361	(NA)	312	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	56	46	30	31	farms	224	127	218	121
\$3,000 to \$4,999	65	70	49	58	\$1,000	(NA)	185	151	170
\$5,000 to \$9,999	83	123	80	122	Lime	(NA)	(NA)	47	44
\$10,000 to \$19,999	106		106	133	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	621	665	480	436
\$20,000 to \$39,999	110	214	110	55	farms	587	353	559	312
\$40,000 to \$59,999	46		46		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	470	429
\$60,000 and over	33		33	26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	403	245
Livestock and poultry purchased	311	372	247	260	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	181	87
farms	1 278	728	1 251	696	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	79	22
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	484	512	397	386	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	30	22
farms	5 403	2 418	5 362	2 376	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	7
Commercially mixed formula feeds	350	343	300	291	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	480	436
\$1,000	3 943	1 771	3 928	1 752	farms	(NA)	(NA)	55	38
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	249	182	Hired farm labor	215	343	192	280
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 058	438	farms	545	499	535	489
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	153	126	\$1,000	22	367	11	15
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	341	175	farms	8	138	6	39
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	32	34	Contract labor	324	8	263	289
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	11	farms	158	150	92	92
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	298	(NA)	\$1,000	600	601	489	435
farms	(NA)	(NA)	142	(NA)	\$1,000	3 262	2 006	3 063	1 913
\$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.....	612	652	469	428					
..... \$1,000.....	13 339	5 782	11 635	4 803					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	21 796	8 868	24 808	11 220					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	4	34	2	110					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	71	250	45						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	101	150	54	113					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	155	140	117	130					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	114		91	54					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	122	78	115	16					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	29		29	5					
\$70,000 and over.....	16		16						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	505	558	398	372					
..... number.....	699	822	554	539					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	353	439	269	297					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	494	455	383	329					
..... number.....	609	521	486	384					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	193	220	172	170					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	571	594	438	399					
..... number.....	1 416	1 343	1 187	999					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	259	362	219	275					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	30		15	18					
..... number.....	31		15	21					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	2					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	85	63	78	56					
..... number.....	85	64	78	57					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	21	9	17					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	12	251	12	11					
..... number.....	13	267	13	11					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	87	4	5					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	275		234	212					
..... number.....	281		240	219					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	49		49	70					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	256	(NA)	226	(NA)					
..... number.....	258	(NA)	228	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	118	(NA)	114	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	384	380	330	310					
..... number.....	391	390	337	320					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	106	172	105	156					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	78	(NA)	71	56					
..... number.....	79	(NA)	72	57					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	41	(NA)	41	28					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	156	(NA)	156	109					
..... number.....	176	(NA)	176	115					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	63	(NA)	63	53					

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.....	523	(X)	427	(X)	504	(X)	428	(X)	13 796
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	483	(X)	392	(X)	465	(X)	392	(X)	2 150
.....1969.....	522	(X)	375	(X)	499	(X)	380	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	460	19 109	373	18 338	429	7 590	365	7 356	1 635
.....1969.....	496	16 648	363	15 547	467	6 811	362	6 283	793
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	48	141	16	40	101	252	55	148	45
5 to 9.....1974.....	52	371	25	177	94	651	79	559	128
10 to 19.....1974.....	59	848	37	521	118	1 670	115	1 632	295
20 to 49.....1974.....	139	4 632	133	4 483	94	2 615	94	2 615	487
50 to 99.....1974.....	133	9 077	133	9 077	13	850	13	850	191
100 to 199.....1974.....	26	3 141	26	3 141	6	714	6	714	255
200 to 499.....1974.....	3	899	3	899	3	838	3	838	233
500 and over.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	361	9 202	301	8 817	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	381	8 217	314	7 935	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	114	877	61	514	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	710	53	542	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	277	8 325	265	8 303	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	329	7 507	291	7 393	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	257	(X)	7 198
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	273	(X)	4 312
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.....	114	877	61	514	Cattle sold.....		316	3 927	1 441
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	63	147	30	67	1 to 4.....		125	306	111
5 to 9.....	15	104	8	54	5 to 9.....		81	539	178
10 to 19.....	28	408	18	249	10 to 19.....		62	815	281
20 to 49.....	8	218	5	144	20 to 49.....		35	980	375
50 to 99.....	-	-	-	-	50 to 99.....		9	522	175
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....		2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....		2	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....		-	-	(D)
Milk cows.....	277	8 325	265	8 303	Calves sold.....		250	3 429	194
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	22	30	12	16	1 or 2.....		30	42	3
3 or 4.....	7	24	6	21	3 or 4.....		34	124	8
5 to 9.....	6	44	5	39	5 to 9.....		53	364	20
10 to 19.....	46	661	46	661	10 to 19.....		88	1 213	58
20 to 49.....	165	5 482	165	5 482	20 to 49.....		38	1 010	41
50 to 99.....	28	1 709	28	1 709	50 to 99.....		5	(D)	(D)
100 to 199.....	3	375	3	375	100 to 199.....		2	(D)	(D)
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	1974	279	5 562	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	106	1 485	523
	1969	318	4 973		1969	68	912	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	73	677	Farms with—	1974	57	285	103
Milk heifers	1974	235	4 885	1 to 9	1974	31	420	160
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	299	3 959	10 to 19	1974	13	365	135
	1969	284	2 639	20 to 49	1974	4	(D)	(D)
				50 to 99	1974	—	—	(D)
				100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
				200 to 499	1974	—	—	(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	196	5 893	151	5 418	173	8 830	143	8 249	503
	1969	223	6 332	176	5 889	205	10 755	172	10 143	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	51	150	33	100	20	48	19	45	3
5 to 9	1974	32	223	25	174	18	128	15	108	7
10 to 24	1974	49	747	34	511	58	894	44	675	40
25 to 49	1974	33	1 128	28	988	38	1 221	27	936	56
50 to 99	1974	19	1 187	19	1 187	16	1 152	15	1 098	71
100 to 199	1974	7	1 005	7	1 005	14	1 900	14	1 900	111
200 to 499	1974	5	1 453	5	1 453	6	1 800	6	1 800	108
500 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	3	1 687	3	1 687	107
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	63	2 788	46	2 449	56
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	72	3 382	55	2 939	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	34	823	28	717	26	553	22	526	(NA)
	1969	39	774	22	519	28	648	18	467	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	21	483	3 317
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	23	(X)	11
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	5	22	(NA)	(NA)	4	14	(2)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	7	(NA)	(NA)	1	5	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	95	371	54	220	14	35	13	27	15
	1969	102	405	(NA)	(NA)	22	61	(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		
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	88	745	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	1974	120	1 140	93	1 031
	1969	115	810	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1969	155	1 171	126	1 084
Other hogs and pigs	1974	144	4 673	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	94	562	73	511
	1969	160	5 079		1969	135	589	108	542
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	20	281	June 1 and November 30	1974	107	578	81	520
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	27	408		1969	127	582	108	542
Rams and wethers	1974	22	28						

*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	1974	127	(X)	103	(X)	81	(X)	80	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	111	(X)	(NA)	(X)	92	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	92	201 364	69	200 518	34	202 493	34	202 493
	1969	126	217 654	88	216 097	64	198 847	63	198 660
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	92	200 986	69	200 221	32	(D)	32	(D)
	1969	113	152 004	77	150 694	51	101 432	50	101 245
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	58	1 721	36	1 106	5	291	5	291
100 to 399	1974	14	2 570	13	2 420	9	1 887	9	1 887
400 to 1,599	1974	6	4 405	6	4 405	4	2 035	4	2 035
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1974	4	27 600	4	27 600	7	42 180	7	42 180
10,000 to 19,999	1974	6	77 000	6	77 000	4	48 400	4	48 400
20,000 to 49,999	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	38	437 612	36	437 510	48	2 112 170	47	2 112 095
	1969	24	254 360	24	254 360	32	1 129 846	32	1 129 846
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	86	4 428	84	4 427
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	96	1 929

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.....	69	200 221	32	(D)	Turkeys.....1974.....	3	(D)	3	(D)
.....1969.....	77	150 694	50	101 245	.....1969.....	2	142	1	603
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	68	200 206	32	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	1	15	-	-	.....1974.....	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	-	-	2	(D)	.....1974.....	1	100	1	36
.....1969.....	7	26 745	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	2	142	1	603
.....1974.....	14	297	-	-	.....1969.....	1	142	6	(X)
.....1969.....	1	(D)	-	-	Other poultry.....1974.....	13	(X)	6	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	.....1969.....	8	(X)	4	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	-	-	-	-					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	522	474	17 916	11 756	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	44	44	286	250	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	7	-	124	-	2 948	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	314	370	4 265	3 931	133 623	124 183
Other small grains for grain.....	399	412	7 026	7 422	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	35	(NA)	133	(NA)	25 171	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	466	489	18 695	15 393	45 940	35 726
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	33	28	240	198	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	26	14	663	757	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	21	11	48	42	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	25	(NA)	284	297	(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).....	422	368	12 928	8 179	1 101 466	877 583	-	-	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	238	229	4 229	2 649	53 698	32 452	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	4	7	21	55	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	13	5	130	45	4 900	1 170	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	28	(NA)	114	185	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	268	224	7 525	5 703	22 309	16 995	-	-	-	-

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	304	9 030	(X)	-	-	33	470	31	71	2	3
.....1969.....	280	8 140	(X)	-	-	67	1 048	62	153	5	17
Improved pasture.....1974.....	58	1 198	(X)	-	-	10	131	10	22	-	-
.....1969.....	90	1 792	(X)	-	-	29	443	26	62	5	7
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	431	17 178	(X)	-	-	374	15 197	350	2 573	85	373
.....1969.....	369	10 883	(X)	-	-	305	8 954	285	1 614	38	108
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	40	244	(X)	-	-	28	185	26	42	2	1
.....1969.....	42	230	(X)	-	-	38	209	37	57	1	(Z)
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	270	4 017	126 657	-	-	208	3 334	203	491	9	8
.....1969.....	267	3 227	107 019	-	-	225	2 653	(NA)	407	(NA)	11
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	300	4 622	214 772	-	-	213	3 500	207	486	6	12
.....1969.....	280	4 189	219 473	-	-	227	3 287	(NA)	444	(NA)	9
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	150	1 584	84 533	-	-	121	1 309	116	211	6	7
.....1969.....	197	2 246	119 682	-	-	169	1 885	(NA)	309	(NA)	4
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	8	145	4 000	-	-	4	67	4	10	-	-
.....1969.....	7	59	1 940	-	-	4	43	(NA)	5	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	14	106	(X)	-	-	10	73	10	9	-	-
.....1969.....	7	124	2 948	-	-	4	82	(NA)	19	(NA)	-
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.....	397	17 696	44 539	-	-	106	3 728	102	554	7	34
.....1969.....	340	13 545	33 388	-	-	116	3 529	108	497	9	42
Field seed crops.....1974.....	19	264	(X)	-	-	1	48	1	12	-	-
.....1969.....	8	236	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	22	123	23 483	1	10	18	121	18	68	-	-
.....1969.....	27	46	5 161	1	35	20	45	(NA)	32	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	15	198	(X)	3	140	10	193	10	80	1	11
.....1969.....	14	169	(X)	2	(D)	10	164	10	86	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974.....	14	634	(X)	-	-	6	320	6	101	-	-
.....1969.....	11	739	(X)	-	-	11	739	11	147	-	-

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	9	20	(X)	-	-	3	7	3	3	-	-
1969	5	35	(X)	-	-	3	13	3	3	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	2	3	(X)	-	-	1	1	1	(Z)	-	-
1969	2	2	(X)	-	-	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	-	-
Other crops	2	13	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	438		390		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	12		9	
lime	\$1,000	994	433		Diseases in crops and orchards	443		366	
Commercial fertilizer	426		370		acres on which used	10		8	
acres on which used	28 778		23 141		Weeds or grass in crops	195		195	
tons	5 202		4 031		acres on which used	10 197		6 947	
\$1,000	776		311		Weeds or brush in pasture	68		27	
Lime	151		170		acres on which used	7		15	
acres on which used	4 501		3 661		acres on which used	46		147	
tons	6 809		5 733		\$1,000	(Z)		(Z)	
\$1,000	68		44		Weeds on all other land	10		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	29		(NA)	
Insects on hav crops	62		105		\$1,000	(Z)		(NA)	
acres on which used	1 545		2 647		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000	7		7		of crops or thinning of fruit	3		6	
Insects on other crops	88		54		acres on which used	178		39	
acres on which used	3 989		1 630		\$1,000	3		1	
\$1,000	46		28		Insect control on livestock and poultry	52		124	
Nematodes in crops	-		2		\$1,000	3		5	
acres on which used	-		50		Other chemicals (see text)	64		(NA)	
\$1,000	-		(Z)		\$1,000	13		(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	4		3		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	0.8		0.6		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	2		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	150		187		acres	80		(NA)	
Average per farm	37.5		62.3		Other sprinkler systems	2		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	4		3		acres	70		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	150		187		Land in irrigated farms	1 413		911	
acres	4		3		Cropland	1 081		435	
Harvested cropland	150		187		Harvested cropland	769		224	
acres	-		-		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Cropland pasture irrigated	-		-		between 1970 and 1973	2		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated	-		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	9		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-		-		Farms with artificial drainage	93		115	
acres	-		-		Proportion of farms	19.0		26.3	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	183		66		Land in farms with drainage	24 253		26 963	
Average per acre irrigated	1.2		0.4		Land drained	2 655		2 589	
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	28.5		22.5	
Furrows or ditches	-		(NA)		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
acres	-		(NA)		tanks	58		(NA)	
					number	96		(NA)	
					acres	31		(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
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		192	134	125
		6 066	4 149	1 917
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000		27	25	32
\$5,000 to \$9,999		42	16	33
\$10,000 to \$29,999		56	49	37
\$30,000 to \$49,999		26	15	17
\$50,000 and over		41	29	6

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	67	79	107	119	387		192	67	63	109	
25 to 149 days	63	230	132	802	83		535	387	83	66	
Less than 25 days	109		576		66		815	107	132	576	
Total contract labor	11		(NA)		6						
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	5	(NA)	2	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker							73	45	22	43	
2 workers							40	11	27	15	
3 or 4 workers							39	8	11	23	
5 to 9 workers							21	3	3	10	
10 workers and over							19	-	-	18	