

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..	482	607	351	351	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres..	64 245	75 652	52 109	53 883	Total cropland..... farms..	474	591	344	344
Average size of farm..... acres..	133	125	148	154	..... acres..	40 424	44 406	34 814	33 399
Approximate land area..... acres..	567 040	567 040	567 040	567 040	Harvested cropland..... farms..	460	543	337	335
Proportion in farms..... percent..	11.3	13.3	9.2	9.5	..... acres..	29 898	28 243	27 423	23 796
Value of land and buildings \$1,000..	45 957	24 944	38 408	18 988	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars..	95 346	41 093	109 425	54 095	1 to 9 acres.....	62	102	26	
Average per acre..... dollars..	715	330	737	352	10 to 19 acres.....	60	66	26	158
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres.....	39	76	20	
1 to 9 acres.....	30	36	20	22	30 to 49 acres.....	77	99	51	
10 to 49 acres.....	78	103	46	42	50 to 99 acres.....	123	129	115	106
50 to 69 acres.....	35	73	21	29	100 to 199 acres.....	79	52	79	52
70 to 99 acres.....	91	109	57	58	200 to 499 acres.....	20	19	20	19
100 to 139 acres.....	79	132	63	82	500 to 999 acres.....	-	-	-	-
140 to 179 acres.....	58	59	53	39	1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-
180 to 219 acres.....	37	24	25	19	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms..	213	300	141	168
220 to 259 acres.....	24	14	18	12	..... acres..	5 477	7 097	3 473	4 446
260 to 499 acres.....	42	44	41	36	Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	185	267	126	(NA)
500 to 999 acres.....	7	10	6	9	..... acres..	5 049	9 066	3 918	5 157
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	1	1	1	1	Total woodland..... farms..	332	426	233	241
2,000 acres and over.....	-	2	-	2	..... acres..	17 903	22 988	13 100	16 087
					Other land (see text)..... farms..	350	436	249	(NA)
					..... acres..	5 918	8 258	4 195	4 397
					Irrigated land..... farms..	17	22	16	12
					..... acres..	365	313	363	291
					Total woodland—Continued				
					Woodland not pastured..... farms..			197	205
					..... acres..			10 748	14 128
					Other land..... farms..			249	(NA)
					..... acres..			4 195	4 397
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..			56	89
					..... acres..			1 420	1 946
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			27	39
					..... acres..			661	492
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			34	68
					..... acres..			759	1 454
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..			241	215
					..... acres..			2 775	2 451

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..	482	607	351	351	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres..	64 245	75 652	52 109	53 883	Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	13	34
Harvested cropland..... acres..	29 898	28 243	27 423	23 796	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	3 852	9 095
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	8	4
Full owners..... number..	290	418	172	191	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	2 144	1 697
Land in farms..... acres..	32 246	44 834	21 121	25 724	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	-	1
Harvested cropland..... acres..	11 226	12 261	9 057	8 329	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	-	4
Part owners..... number..	150	140	143	128	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	27 996	25 687	27 365	24 311	Under 25 years.....	9	6	8	5
Harvested cropland..... acres..	15 991	13 041	15 862	12 853	25 to 34 years.....	60	50	49	32
Tenants..... number..	42	49	36	32	35 to 44 years.....	87	134	67	84
Land in farms..... acres..	4 003	5 131	3 623	3 848	45 to 54 years.....	130	173	89	96
Harvested cropland..... acres..	2 681	2 941	2 504	2 614	55 to 64 years.....	94	152	72	89
Percent of tenancy.....	8.7	8.0	10.3	9.1	65 years and over.....	94	92	58	45
					Average age.....	51.0	51.2	49.5	50.5
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	368	506	269	300
All farm operators..... number..	-	(NA)	-	-	On another farm.....	15		15	
Land in farms..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	23	60	12	31
Harvested cropland..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	23		17	
Full owners..... number..	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	None.....	175	(NA)	144	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days.....	18	41	15	18
Part owners..... number..	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days.....	9	19	5	11
Land in farms..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days.....	21	37	15	21
Harvested cropland..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days.....	29		20	
Tenants..... number..	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over.....	143	236	77	73
Land in farms..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	300	(NA)	260	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	174	(NA)	83	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	330	312	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	37	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	46 113	43 087					

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 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					Grain and bean combines, self-propelled				
..... farms.....	468	599	344	346	..... farms.....	61	53	46	42
..... \$1,000.....	11 084	5 752	9 426	4 800	..... number.....	65	53	50	42
Average per farm	23 683	9 602	27 401	13 871	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	17	7	14
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines				
\$1 to \$999	2	32	1	96	..... farms.....	14	167	12	15
\$1,000 to \$4,999	51	254	22		..... number.....	14	178	12	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	76	141	45		..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	53	5	10
\$10,000 to \$19,999	120	93	83	95	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers				
\$20,000 to \$29,999	84		79	35	..... farms.....	169		149	119
\$30,000 to \$49,999	94	79	73	23	..... number.....	172		152	123
\$50,000 to \$69,999	21		20	18	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	28		27	30
\$70,000 and over	20		20		Mower conditioners				
					..... farms.....	203	(NA)	158	(NA)
					..... number.....	214	(NA)	168	(NA)
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	78	(NA)	72	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers				
Automobiles					..... farms.....	270	304	203	216
..... farms.....	367	487	289	292	..... number.....	280	314	212	225
..... number.....	547	726	429	429	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	54	90	51	77
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	229	373	189	221	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled				
Motor trucks, including pickups					..... farms.....	54	(NA)	41	60
..... farms.....	387	490	304	312	..... number.....	58	(NA)	44	60
..... number.....	626	731	532	531	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	11	25
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	205	196	169	138	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type				
Wheel tractors					..... farms.....	134	(NA)	117	119
..... farms.....	433	541	317	322	..... number.....	167	(NA)	150	122
..... number.....	1 240	1 338	1 019	911	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	39	(NA)	39	47
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	148	270	138	177					
Crawler tractors									
..... farms.....	56		47	52					
..... number.....	68		57	58					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	10					

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	310	(X)	226	(X)	286	(X)	218	(X)	4 402
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	282	(X)	205	(X)	260	(X)	197	(X)	706
..... 1969.....	340	(X)	225	(X)	311	(X)	227	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	274	9 397	200	8 474	253	3 541	192	3 228	606
..... 1969.....	320	9 195	216	8 146	280	3 873	214	3 565	339
Farms with —									
1 to 4	30	88	14	37	80	206	37	95	29
5 to 9	33	230	17	114	44	283	31	209	50
10 to 19	56	742	26	367	67	966	65	940	216
20 to 49	89	2 996	77	2 615	51	1 446	48	1 344	185
50 to 99	49	3 005	49	3 005	11	640	11	640	125
100 to 199	16	(D)	16	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved	235	5 272	177	4 882	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	266	5 321	199	4 997	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	112	883	71	571	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	671	41	422	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	165	4 389	142	4 311	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	216	4 650	182	4 575	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	120	(X)	3 224
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	182	(X)	2 634
	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	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	112	883	71	571	Cattle sold	164	1 403	531	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4	55	137	39	93	1 to 4	65	159	52	
5 to 9	29	188	17	107	5 to 9	50	348	120	
10 to 19	19	255	7	88	10 to 19	33	379	178	
20 to 49	7	(D)	6	(D)	20 to 49	14	(D)	(D)	
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	100 to 199	—	—	—	
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	—	—	—	
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	—	—	—	
Milk cows	165	4 389	142	4 311	Calves sold	129	1 825	75	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2	24	27	15	17	1 or 2	13	18	1	
3 or 4	5	(D)	3	(D)	3 or 4	7	26	3	
5 to 9	15	83	3	21	5 to 9	32	201	9	
10 to 19	16	226	16	226	10 to 19	46	637	24	
20 to 49	85	2 602	85	2 602	20 to 49	27	729	31	
50 to 99	19	1 286	19	1 286	50 to 99	4	214	7	
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	—	—	—	
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	—	—	—	
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	—	—	—	

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

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Inventory		Sales			Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	63	79 855	27	39 110	Turkeys.....	3	70	—	—
1974.....	63	79 855	27	39 110	1969.....	—	—	—	—
1969.....	70	58 387	45	33 962	Turkeys for slaughter.....	3	70	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production.....	62	79 355	26	38 610	Heavy breed.....	3	70	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....	1	500	1	500	Light breed.....	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	1974.....	—	—	—	—
1969.....	9	4 350	—	—	1969.....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding.....	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	1974.....	—	—	—	—
1969.....	9	4 350	—	—	1969.....	6	(X)	3	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	5	107	2	75	Other poultry.....	9	(X)	3	(X)
1974.....	5	107	2	75	1974.....	9	(X)	3	(X)
1969.....	—	—	—	—	1969.....	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	281	307	8 796	6 901	(X)	(X)
1974.....	281	307	8 796	6 901	(X)	(X)
1969.....	9	13	67	53	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes.....	5	—	64	—	1 663	—
1974.....	5	—	64	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	103	133	1 670	1 701	51 295	45 892
1974.....	103	133	1 670	1 701	—	—
1969.....	226	226	3 661	3 460	(X)	(X)
Wheat (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	65	(NA)	694	(NA)	151 092	(NA)
1974.....	65	(NA)	694	(NA)	—	—
1969.....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	309	386	11 493	12 732	23 874	24 324
1974.....	309	386	11 493	12 732	—	—
1969.....	108	124	1 949	2 032	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	108	124	421	642	(X)	(X)
1974.....	108	124	421	642	—	—
1969.....	35	51	16	22	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	12	27	1 473	159	(X)	(X)
1974.....	12	27	1 473	159	—	—
1969.....	82	(NA)	—	—	—	—

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	211	201	6 072	4 372	449 223	388 616	—	—
1974.....	211	201	6 072	4 372	449 223	388 616	—	—
1969.....	136	132	2 356	1 938	31 954	25 649	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	—	10	—	53	(X)	(X)	—	—
1974.....	—	10	—	53	(X)	(X)	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	1	2	2	6	100	420	—	—
1974.....	1	2	2	6	100	420	—	—
1969.....	5	(NA)	29	46	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	5	(NA)	29	46	(X)	(X)	—	—
1974.....	5	(NA)	29	46	(X)	(X)	—	—
1969.....	143	106	4 306	2 761	11 184	7 676	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	143	106	4 306	2 761	11 184	7 676	—	—
1974.....	143	106	4 306	2 761	11 184	7 676	—	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	Total		Dry		Liquid			
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons		
Cropland used only for pasture.....	141	3 473	(X)	—	—	13	218	11	28	2	3
1974.....	141	3 473	(X)	—	—	13	218	11	28	2	3
1969.....	168	4 446	(X)	—	—	37	422	36	75	3	4
Improved pasture.....	27	661	(X)	—	—	4	36	4	11	—	—
1974.....	27	661	(X)	—	—	4	36	4	11	—	—
1969.....	39	492	(X)	—	—	8	66	8	12	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....	229	8 428	(X)	—	—	203	7 421	199	1 941	34	152
1974.....	229	8 428	(X)	—	—	203	7 421	199	1 941	34	152
1969.....	231	6 363	(X)	—	—	195	5 758	185	1 557	20	67
Sorghums for all purposes.....	5	31	(X)	—	—	2	12	2	4	—	—
1974.....	5	31	(X)	—	—	2	12	2	4	—	—
1969.....	12	52	(X)	—	—	11	40	10	12	1	1
Wheat (bushels).....	84	1 591	49 063	—	—	63	1 298	54	182	12	19
1974.....	84	1 591	49 063	—	—	63	1 298	54	182	12	19
1969.....	100	1 509	41 329	—	—	82	1 261	(NA)	208	(NA)	1
Oats (bushels).....	179	2 918	162 017	—	—	110	2 048	107	293	3	11
1974.....	179	2 918	162 017	—	—	110	2 048	107	293	3	11
1969.....	170	2 703	137 010	—	—	130	2 064	(NA)	328	(NA)	9
Barley (bushels).....	24	204	11 745	—	—	22	199	21	33	1	(2)
1974.....	24	204	11 745	—	—	22	199	21	33	1	(2)
1969.....	29	228	9 682	—	—	26	218	(NA)	39	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....	20	218	7 285	—	—	10	132	10	17	—	—
1974.....	20	218	7 285	—	—	10	132	10	17	—	—
1969.....	11	68	1 829	—	—	5	47	(NA)	9	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....	9	125	(X)	—	—	2	11	2	1	—	—
1974.....	9	125	(X)	—	—	2	11	2	1	—	—
1969.....	4	62	1 635	—	—	4	62	3	4	1	7
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	4	62	1 635	—	—	4	62	3	4	1	7
1974.....	4	62	1 635	—	—	4	62	3	4	1	7
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	225	9 802	21 463	—	—	51	1 827	44	293	7	30
1974.....	225	9 802	21 463	—	—	51	1 827	44	293	7	30
1969.....	219	9 603	20 319	—	—	78	2 733	72	387	9	27
Field seed crops.....	8	45	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974.....	8	45	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	5	70	(X)	—	—	1	8	1	2	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	51	677	150 315	7	106	43	673	43	456	—	—
1974.....	51	677	150 315	7	106	43	673	43	456	—	—
1969.....	57	731	139 831	4	87	48	719	(NA)	606	(NA)	1
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	86	1 915	(X)	9	244	79	1 904	76	771	5	29
1974.....	86	1 915	(X)	9	244	79	1 904	76	771	5	29
1969.....	92	1 976	(X)	7	198	85	1 942	82	1 018	3	34
Land in orchards.....	23	352	(X)	—	—	12	225	12	32	—	—
1974.....	23	352	(X)	—	—	12	225	12	32	—	—
1969.....	32	597	(X)	—	—	24	486	24	81	—	—

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	10	15	(X)	2	3	7	9	7	6	—	—
1969	11	12	(X)	1	1	2	2	2	1	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	46	116	(X)	6	8	20	44	21	14	5	3
1969	42	31	(X)	6	6	24	25	20	14	5	2
1974	19	1 293	(X)	—	—	9	666	6	137	—	—

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	316	827	324	495	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	35	698	39	814
Commercial fertilizer	306	303	303	303	Diseases in crops and orchards	13	13	16	16
acres on which used	16 836	15 845	15 845	15 845	Weeds or grass in crops	139	139	182	182
Lime	98	349	165	349	acres on which used	7 033	7 033	6 431	6 431
acres on which used	2 947	3 985	3 985	3 985	Weeds or brush in pasture	54	54	31	31
tons	3 944	5 164	5 164	5 164	acres on which used	1	1	4	4
1969	42	47	47	47	acres on which used	18	18	16	16
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					tons	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on hay crops	16	27	27	27	Weeds on all other land	7	7	(NA)	(NA)
acres on which used	742	552	552	552	acres on which used	58	58	(NA)	(NA)
1969	4	2	2	2	tons	(Z)	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on other crops	82	91	91	91	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	9	9	8	8
acres on which used	3 668	2 518	2 518	2 518	of crops or thinning of fruit	144	144	357	357
1969	66	40	40	40	acres on which used	1	1	4	4
Nematodes in crops	4	2	2	2	tons	21	21	104	104
acres on which used	92	6	6	6	1969	1	1	4	4
1969	2	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	Other chemicals (see text)	58	58	(NA)	(NA)
					1969	15	15	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	16	12	12	12	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	4.6	3.4	3.4	3.4	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	35	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	363	291	291	291	acres	1	15	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	22.7	24.2	24.2	24.2	Other sprinkler systems	328	328	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	16	12	12	12	acres	1 209	1 209	3 629	3 629
Harvested cropland irrigated	363	291	291	291	Land in irrigated farms	910	910	2 329	2 329
acres	16	12	12	12	Cropland	754	754	1 351	1 351
Harvested cropland	363	291	291	291	Harvested cropland				
acres	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	3	3	(X)	(X)
acres	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	150	150	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	33	33	33	33
acres	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.4
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	6 615	6 615	6 104	6 104
acres	—	—	—	—	acres	609	609	921	921
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	222	175	175	175	Land drained	18.5	18.5	27.9	27.9
Average per acre irrigated	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Land irrigated by—					tanks	70	70	(NA)	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	number	203	203	(NA)	(NA)
acres	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	139	139	(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)	108	1 968	71	1 282	64	685	64	685
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	38	15	15	31	31	31	31	31
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	11	11	13	13	13	13	13
\$10,000 to \$29,999	32	30	30	15	15	15	15	15
\$30,000 to \$49,999	14	10	10	4	4	4	4	4
\$50,000 and over	10	5	5	1	1	1	1	1

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—							175	60	75	106
150 days or more	60	78	153	164	572	650	826	572	158	97
25 to 149 days	75	177	254	756	158	650	1 222	153	254	815
Less than 25 days	106	18	815	(NA)	97	63				
Total contract labor	26	18	(NA)	(NA)	64	63				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	136	(NA)	57	(NA)				
Farms with—							44	23	28	24
1 worker							21	21	13	19
2 workers							33	10	10	18
3 or 4 workers							45	4	23	22
5 to 9 workers							32	2	1	23
10 workers and over										