

**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	653	219	164	<b>Land in Farms According to Use</b>					
Land in farms..... acres..	111 473	117 686	77 648	62 915		Total cropland..... farms..	464	612	205	152
Average size of farm..... acres..	222	180	355	384		..... acres..	51 926	51 647	35 195	27 639
Approximate land area..... acres..	323 776	323 776	323 776	323 776		Harvested cropland..... farms..	298	395	162	125
Proportion in farms..... percent..	34.4	36.3	24.0	19.4		..... acres..	13 080	13 165	11 133	9 662
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000..	42 026	21 362	27 671	10 428		<b>Farms by acres harvested:</b>				
Average per farm..... dollars..	83 550	32 713	126 353	63 587		1 to 9 acres.....	74	147	17	}
Average per acre..... dollars..	377	182	356	166		10 to 19 acres.....	59	90	14	
						20 to 29 acres.....	48	39	28	
						30 to 49 acres.....	45	52	34	
						50 to 99 acres.....	39	38	36	
						100 to 199 acres.....	23	17	23	
						200 to 499 acres.....	8	11	8	
						500 to 999 acres.....	2	1	2	
						1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	
						Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms..	363	468	153	115
						..... acres..	34 655	30 223	21 414	14 730
						Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	95	253	53	(NA)
						..... acres..	4 191	8 259	2 648	3 247
					Total woodland..... farms..	365	508	182	138	
					..... acres..	38 938	44 017	27 586	22 101	
					Other land (see text)..... farms..	339	500	163	(NA)	
					..... acres..	20 609	22 022	14 867	13 175	
					Irrigated land..... farms..	-	2	-	-	
					..... acres..	-	4	-	-	

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969		1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms..					
..... acres..	53	(NA)	Total woodland -- Continued		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..	2 648	3 247	Woodland not pastured..... farms..		
..... acres..	35	45	..... acres..	88	87
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..	1 399	1 512	Other land..... farms..	163	(NA)
..... acres..	3	10	..... acres..	14 867	13 175
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..	10	14	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..	73	63
..... acres..	255	277	..... acres..	10 507	10 440
Cropland idle..... farms..	24	35	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	80	48
..... acres..	973	1 281	..... acres..	3 865	8 149
Total woodland..... farms..	182	138	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..	35	37
..... acres..	27 586	22 101	..... acres..	6 642	2 291
Woodland pastured..... farms..	157	114	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..	154	110
..... acres..	16 790	12 213	..... acres..	4 360	2 735

**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	653	219	164	<b>Farms by type of organization -- Con.</b>				
Land in farms..... acres..	111 473	117 686	77 648	62 915		Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	17
Harvested cropland..... acres..	13 080	13 165	11 133	9 662	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	14 055	15 051
<b>Farms by tenure of farm operator:</b>					Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	7	3
Full owners..... number..	383	539	138	103	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	4 700	407
Land in farms..... acres..	72 851	92 183	45 316	43 004	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres..	5 743	6 089	4 287	3 206	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number..	108	85	71	50	<b>Farm operators by age group:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Land in farms..... acres..	36 051	22 676	30 154	17 825	Under 25 years.....	3	1	3	1
Harvested cropland..... acres..	6 574	6 288	6 117	5 770	25 to 34 years.....	47	35	26	6
Tenants..... number..	12	29	10	11	35 to 44 years.....	65	99	19	35
Land in farms..... acres..	2 571	2 827	2 178	2 086	45 to 54 years.....	139	179	48	46
Harvested cropland..... acres..	763	788	729	686	55 to 64 years.....	148	169	72	41
Percent of tenancy.....	2.4	4.4	4.6	6.7	65 years and over.....	94	170	44	35
<b>Black and other races, see text--</b>					Average age.....	53.4	55.0	54.1	53.8
Farm operators by tenure: <sup>1</sup>					<b>Farm operators by place of residence:<sup>2</sup></b>				
All farm operators..... number..	20	90	16	10	On farm operated.....	299	455	141	126
Land in farms..... acres..	1 908	5 556	1 668	1 468	On another farm.....	20	8	8	
Harvested cropland..... acres..	813	1 667	789	1 079	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	23	99	5	25
Full owners..... number..	14	67	10	2	In a city, town, or urban area.....	37		11	
Land in farms..... acres..	828	3 854	588	303	<b>Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	325	541	301	106	None.....	114	(NA)	71	(NA)
Part owners..... number..	2	11	7	7	1 to 49 days.....	20	40	11	5
Land in farms..... acres..	702	1 295	702	965	50 to 99 days.....	17	15	5	8
Harvested cropland..... acres..	138	842	138	773	100 to 149 days.....	23	47	12	7
Tenants..... number..	4	12	4	1	150 to 199 days.....	24	315	9	69
Land in farms..... acres..	378	407	378	200	200 days and over.....	239	47	73	
Harvested cropland..... acres..	350	284	350	200	<b>Farm operators by principal occupation:<sup>2</sup></b>				
Percent of tenancy.....	20.0	13.3	25.0	10.0	Farming.....	169	(NA)	114	(NA)
<b>Farms by type of organization:</b>					Other.....	327	(NA)	98	(NA)
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	195	141	<b>Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market</b>	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	58 893	47 457	<b>Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts</b>	(NA)	(NA)	17	(NA)

<sup>1</sup>1969 data are only for farms operated by Blacks. <sup>2</sup>1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over	8	5	8	5	Crops	112	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	19		19		Grains	1 020	394
\$20,000 to \$39,999	6	14	6	14	\$1,000	91	62
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	15	37	15	\$1,000	507	143
\$5,000 to \$9,999	59	48	59	48	Tobacco		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	72	69	72	69	\$1,000		
Under \$2,500 (see text)	302	502	18	13	Cotton and cottonseed	32	44
\$2,000 to \$2,499	36	49	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	446	202
\$1,500 to \$1,999	49	41	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	34	28
\$1,000 to \$1,499	50	68	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	59	41
Under \$1,000 (see text)	167	344	(X)	(X)	Other field crops	2	3
Market value of agricultural products sold					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	1	4
\$1,000	4 862	1 872	4 586	1 514	\$1,000	7	4
Average per farm	9 667	2 867	20 941	9 234	Fruits, nuts, and berries	2	6
\$1,000					\$1,000	1	2
Crops, including hay	180	244	112	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	189	137
\$1,000	1 078	486	1 020	394	\$1,000	3 431	1 089
Nursery and greenhouse products					Poultry and poultry products	15	8
\$1,000					\$1,000	1 625	153
Forest products	76	55	55	30	Dairy products	8	11
\$1,000	143	40	135	31	\$1,000	783	174
Livestock, poultry, and their products	415	427	189	137	Cattle and calves	184	(NA)
\$1,000	3 641	1 346	3 431	1 089	\$1,000	692	692
Poultry and poultry products	19	(NA)	15	8	Hogs and pigs	19	(NA)
\$1,000	1 625	(NA)	1 625	153	\$1,000	71	69
					Sheep, lambs, and wool		
					\$1,000		
					Other livestock and livestock products	7	
					\$1,000	1	

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 <sup>1</sup>	315	(NA)	96	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>		147
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	182	(NA)	98	(NA)	\$1,000		2 012
\$1,000	184	(NA)	166	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related		41
\$1,000	36	43	25	18	\$1,000		396
\$1,000	103	24	101	10	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips		99
Recreational services	6	7	4	3	\$1,000		1 109
\$1,000	1	2	(Z)	1	Interest, dividends, or royalties		62
Government farm programs	135	325	79	99	\$1,000		354
\$1,000	60	290	50	198	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.		32
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	38	(NA)	16	(NA)	\$1,000		75
\$1,000	20	(NA)	14	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property		21
Other farm-related sources	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	\$1,000		78
\$1,000	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	52	(NA)	28	(NA)			
\$1,000	62	(NA)	47	(NA)			

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>1974 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	503	653	219	164	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	173	241	103	93
\$1,000	4 325	1 894	3 960	1 377	\$1,000	60	41	55	31
Farms with					Commercial fertilizer purchased	360	523	174	155
\$1 to \$999	183	306	12	24	\$1,000	614	373	521	276
\$1,000 to \$1,999	87	145			Other agricultural chemicals purchased	135	(NA)	90	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	43	64	14	23	\$1,000	72	74	67	57
\$3,000 to \$4,999	58	57	36	38	Lime	(NA)	147	29	46
\$5,000 to \$9,999	59	54	53	52	\$1,000	(NA)	29	15	19
\$10,000 to \$19,999	36		16	12	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	486	623	216	161
\$20,000 to \$39,999	14	27	14	8	\$1,000	187	174	141	88
\$40,000 to \$59,999	10		10	7	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	178	160
\$60,000 and over	13		13		Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	79	61
Livestock and poultry purchased	167	196	69	59	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	106	51
\$1,000	595	207	542	148	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	40	15
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	341	332	157	99	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	5	10
\$1,000	1 601	293	1 536	243	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	216	161
Commercially mixed formula feeds	227	144	136	63	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	11
\$1,000	1 451	190	1 430	174	Hired farm labor	119	215	83	103
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35	34	\$1,000	165	173	158	148
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	14	19	Contract labor	21	197	14	5
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	60	25	\$1,000	94	62	93	3
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	66	31	Machine hire and customwork	137		90	67
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	30	\$1,000	73		67	32
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	26	18	All other production expenses	426	478	213	158
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	33	(NA)	\$1,000	862	497	748	353

**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
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....	467	620	198	160					
farms.....	5 155	2 796	3 073	1 466					
\$1,000.....	11 038	4 510	15 519	9 165					
dollars.....									
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	6	79	1	68					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	128	374	39	43					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	170	105	59	36					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	89	48	39	5					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	44		33	4					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	25	14	22	4					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	4		4	4					
\$70,000 and over.....	1		1						
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles.....	354	492	154	126					
farms.....	484	695	221	188					
number.....	173	371	100	114					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	387	425	179	136					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	516	533	284	211					
farms.....	113	210	77	85					
number.....	403	512	178	148					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	638	771	352	291					
number.....	90	199	71	97					
Crawler tractors.....	24		17	14					
farms.....	24		17	15					
number.....				2					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	38	45	33	27					
farms.....	41	45	36	27					
number.....	5	18	5	14					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	8	3	3					
Corn heads for combines.....	5	9	3	3					
farms.....	5	3		1					
number.....	5	5	5	4					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5			2					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	84	(NA)	57	(NA)					
farms.....	89	(NA)	62	(NA)					
number.....	24	(NA)	23	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	94	108	68	58					
Pickup balers.....	96	114	70	64					
farms.....	26	41	19	24					
number.....	39	(NA)	29	32					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	39	(NA)	29	34					
number.....	6	(NA)	5	13					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14	(NA)	13	13					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	17	(NA)	16	15					
farms.....	2	(NA)	2	6					
number.....									
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									

**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.....	432	(X)	190	(X)	415	(X)	189	(X)	3 431
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	425	(X)	185	(X)	409	(X)	186	(X)	1 023
1969.....	482	(X)	134	(X)	413	(X)	132	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....	422	21 050	183	15 414	407	6 602	184	5 067	952
1969.....	470	13 933	133	9 015	406	7 230	131	4 988	692
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	13	38	3	6	96	245	13	34	5
5 to 9.....	20	143	2	12	108	712	28	199	41
10 to 19.....	111	1 609	18	278	96	1 303	39	562	95
20 to 49.....	137	4 248	37	1 204	87	2 524	84	2 454	391
50 to 99.....	87	5 881	69	4 783	16	975	16	975	147
100 to 199.....	43	5 588	43	5 588	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	9	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	2	(D)	2	(D)					
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	356	12 025	169	8 791	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	367	7 416	127	5 219	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974.....	340	11 274	160	8 103	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	6 949	116	4 855	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974.....	48	751	28	688	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	62	467	21	364	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	783
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	174
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
	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.....	340	11 274	160	8 103	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	11	32	1	1	1 to 4.....				
5 to 9.....	57	420	11	90	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	78	1 052	15	206	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	130	4 212	74	2 543	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	54	3 570	49	3 275	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	7	858	7	858	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	48	751	28	688	Calves sold.....				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	23	38	14	24	1 or 2.....				
3 or 4.....	12	42	6	21	3 or 4.....				
5 to 9.....	5	28			5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....					10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	2	78	2	78	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	4	(D)	4	(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 .....	135	3 099	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	3	15	5
1974 .....	112	2 154	1969 .....	3	(D)	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	129	2 757	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	10	342	1 to 9 .....	2	5	2
1974 .....			10 to 19 .....	1	10	3
1974 .....			20 to 49 .....	—	—	—
1974 .....			50 to 99 .....	—	—	—
1974 .....			100 to 199 .....	—	—	—
1974 .....	154	3 524	200 to 499 .....	—	—	—
1969 .....	120	1 642	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 .....	59	1 157	35	1 058	25	1 144	19	1 113	71
1969 .....	98	648	23	357	28	677	13	479	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	31	74	13	38	5	20	4	16	1
5 to 9 .....	14	93	9	60	8	49	3	22	2
10 to 24 .....	7	114	7	114	5	92	5	92	6
25 to 49 .....	3	106	2	76	3	122	3	122	6
50 to 99 .....	1	80	1	80	1	81	1	81	2
100 to 199 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499 .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over .....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	8	137	5	120	2
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	163	7	142	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)
1969 .....	3	94	1	4	3	95	1	5	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1974 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
1974 .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(Z)
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	7	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Goats .....	69	186	40	125	4	11	3	8	1
1974 .....	123	615	(NA)	(NA)	12	73	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969 .....									
	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Inventory				
	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 used or to be used for breeding .....	16	111	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			22	172	17	165
1969 .....	10	84	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .....			25	132	10	95
1974 .....	34	947	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....			18	98	13	91
1969 .....	22	273	1969 .....			21	70	9	50
1974 .....	—	—	1974 .....			11	74	11	74
1974 .....	—	—	June 1 and November 30 .....			14	62	9	45
1974 .....	—	—	1969 .....			—	—	—	—

<sup>1</sup>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 .....	44	(X)	30	(X)	15	(X)	14	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	19	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
1974 .....	44	213 037	30	212 757	14	197 646	14	197 646
1969 .....	87	21 560	17	20 071	7	46 007	6	45 907
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	41	134 948	27	134 700	12	77 122	12	(D)
1969 .....	82	21 333	16	20 001	6	22 950	5	(D)
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	30	588	16	340	1	42	1	42
100 to 399 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199 .....	7	47 200	7	47 200	9	(D)	9	(D)
3,200 to 9,999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999 .....	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	2	60	—	—	1	11	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	1 625	15	1 625
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	8	153

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	27	134 700	12	(D)	Turkeys	—	—	—	—
1969	16	20 001	5	(D)	1969	1	30	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	27	134 670	12	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—
1969	1	30	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	—	—	—	—	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	3	78 015	2	(D)	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1969	1	10	1	(D)	1969	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	7	42	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	1	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	10	—	—	Other poultry	3	(X)	1	(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	101	114	813	619	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	43	16	929	460	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	88	84	3 851	4 111	70 330	67 908	12 400	12 896	(X)
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	12	911	579	24 444	12 896	(X)	(X)	(X)
Wheat (bushels)	64	58	685	988	1 918	1 966	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain	51	61	1 957	2 562	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	34	104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	54	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	11	(NA)	3	(NA)	289	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	187	210	4 376	3 634	7 066	5 230	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	12	18	34	42	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	13	25	131	94	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	2	3	6	5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	13	(NA)	189	532	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

  

Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	48	21	473	168	24 073	8 197	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	2	69	100	1 388	1 000	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	1	—	2	(X)	(X)	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	20	6	461	144	18 747	3 775	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	18	(NA)	368	214	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	3	15	10	32	20	—	—	—

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	153	21 414	(X)	—	—	88	8 889	82	1 535	19	253
1969	115	14 730	(X)	—	—	89	7 629	87	1 690	20	246
Improved pasture	50	3 865	(X)	—	—	18	1 090	14	1 633	9	88
1969	48	8 149	(X)	—	—	28	5 208	27	848	9	300
Corn for all purposes	50	542	(X)	—	—	38	423	36	147	7	19
1969	24	270	(X)	—	—	18	171	18	51	1	4
Sorghums for all purposes	33	829	(X)	—	—	26	700	21	122	12	31
1969	11	358	(X)	—	—	8	238	8	53	3	10
Wheat (bushels)	43	760	21 249	—	—	23	525	13	51	11	48
1969	28	432	9 995	—	—	23	380	(NA)	72	(NA)	13
Oats (bushels)	25	300	12 051	—	—	14	181	12	30	4	7
1969	25	563	24 298	—	—	21	516	(NA)	69	(NA)	28
Barley (bushels)	12	202	9 310	—	—	9	179	9	27	3	15
1969	11	172	6 821	—	—	9	156	(NA)	32	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels)	1	4	80	—	—	1	4	1	1	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	1	7	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—
1969	60	3 511	66 240	—	—	37	2 521	34	448	3	16
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	47	3 540	59 115	—	—	35	2 824	(NA)	459	(NA)	15
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	2	400	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	115	3 501	6 016	—	—	58	2 130	49	491	25	155
Hay crops (tons, dry)	73	2 277	3 700	—	—	39	1 092	37	156	10	76
Field seed crops	10	170	(X)	—	—	2	24	2	5	2	2
1969	18	363	(X)	—	—	10	156	10	33	2	9
Cotton (bales)	32	1 947	1 912	—	—	23	1 885	17	513	7	80
1969	44	2 042	1 624	—	—	44	2 018	(NA)	785	(NA)	64
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	1	45	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—
1969	3	—	11	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	20	(X)	—	—	5	14	5	4	—	—
1969	8	13	(X)	—	—	7	20	7	13	—	—
Land in orchards	8	112	(X)	—	—	5	46	4	17	1	1
1969	8	68	(X)	—	—	7	46	7	21	1	1

**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 .....	1974	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1969	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other crops .....	1974	3	(X)	-	-	-	-	2	(Z)	-	

**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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....			Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
..... farms .....	184	157	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	-	-
..... \$1,000 .....	588	333	..... farms .....	-	-
Commercial fertilizer .....	174	148	..... acres on which used .....	-	-
..... farms .....	18 611	20 508	..... \$1,000 .....	-	-
..... acres on which used .....	4 268	5 069	Weeds or grass in crops .....	30	29
..... tons .....	521	276	..... farms .....	2 836	2 204
Lime .....	29	46	..... acres on which used .....	26	14
..... farms .....	1 513	3 228	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	7	8
..... acres on which used .....	1 475	2 961	..... farms .....	246	196
..... \$1,000 .....	15	19	..... acres on which used .....	(Z)	(Z)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			Weeds on all other land .....	3	(NA)
Insects on hay crops .....	-	3	..... farms .....	18	(NA)
..... acres on which used .....	-	22	..... acres on which used .....	(Z)	(NA)
..... \$1,000 .....	-	(Z)	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
Insects on other crops .....	20	35	..... farms .....	5	9
..... acres on which used .....	1 728	1 966	..... acres on which used .....	467	490
..... \$1,000 .....	19	17	..... \$1,000 .....	1	2
Nematodes in crops .....	1	25	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	22	37
..... farms .....	-	1	..... \$1,000 .....	3	4
..... acres on which used .....	-	(Z)	Other chemicals (see text) .....	19	(NA)
..... \$1,000 .....	-	(Z)	..... farms .....	2	(NA)
			..... \$1,000 .....	2	(NA)

**Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969**

	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms irrigated in census year .....	-	-	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms .....	-	-	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	-	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	-	-	..... farms .....	-	(NA)
Average per farm .....	-	-	..... acres .....	-	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	-	-	Other sprinkler systems .....	-	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	-	-	..... farms .....	-	(NA)
..... farms .....	-	-	Land in irrigated farms .....	-	-
..... acres .....	-	-	Cropland .....	-	-
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	-	-	Harvested cropland .....	-	-
..... farms .....	-	-	..... acres .....	-	-
..... acres .....	-	-	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
Other cropland irrigated .....	-	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973 .....	-	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	-	-	..... farms .....	-	(X)
..... farms .....	-	-	..... acres irrigated in most recent year .....	-	-
..... acres .....	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage .....	10	20
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	-	-	Proportion of farms .....	4.6	12.1
Average per acre irrigated .....	-	-	Land in farms with drainage .....	10 394	15 224
Land irrigated by—			Land drained .....	765	901
Furrows or ditches .....	-	(NA)	Average per farm .....	76.5	45.0
..... farms .....	-	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
..... acres .....	-	(NA)	tanks .....	84	(NA)
			..... farms .....	229	(NA)
			..... number .....	365	(NA)
			..... acres .....		

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	86	64	46
..... farms .....	2 699	1 751	949
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000 .....	12	2	28
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	13	9	7
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	36	34	3
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	12	12	3
\$50,000 and over .....	13	7	5

**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—										
150 days or more .....	26	25	34	52	97	148	83	26	30	50
25 to 149 days .....	30	93	44	302	34	148	158	97	34	26
Less than 25 days .....	50	-	470	-	26	-	548	34	44	470
Total contract labor .....	14	5	(NA)	(NA)	93	3				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	4	(NA)	7	(NA)	5	(NA)				
Farms .....										
Cash wages paid .....										
Number of workers .....										
Farms with—										
1 worker .....	30						30	19	25	11
2 workers .....	14						14	6	1	8
3 or 4 workers .....	16						16	1	3	12
5 to 9 workers .....	10						10	-	1	7
10 workers and over .....	13						13	-	-	12