

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	1974	1969
All farms	634	788	273	181						
Land in farms	79 748	100 044	62 516	74 054	Land in Farms According to Use		615		768	
Average size of farm	126	127	229	409	Total cropland	farms	33 651	36 485	27 372	25 758
Approximate land area	710 144	710 144	710 144	710 144	Harvested cropland	farms	589	714	267	169
Proportion in farms	11.2	14.1	8.8	10.4		acres	25 841	21 038	22 915	15 464
Value of land and buildings	41 336	31 086	28 599	18 571	Farms by acres harvested:					
Average per farm	65 199	39 449	104 758	102 603	1 to 9 acres	242	352	20	32	89
Average per acre	518	311	457	251	10 to 19 acres	105	147	46	57	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres	64	89	45	43	
1 to 9 acres	118	134	10	3	30 to 49 acres	64	43	43	23	
10 to 49 acres	229	385	73	46	50 to 99 acres	46	46	45	43	
50 to 69 acres	69	56	33	10	100 to 199 acres	43	23	43	23	
70 to 99 acres	53	54	29	19	200 to 499 acres	22	12	21	12	
100 to 139 acres	47	40	34	20	500 to 999 acres	1	1	1	1	
140 to 179 acres	26	26	19	13	1,000 acres and over	2	1	2	1	
180 to 219 acres	14	24	11	13	Cropland used only for pasture					
220 to 259 acres	22	12	13	11	or grazing	farms	243	275	110	91
260 to 499 acres	30	30	28	23	acres	5 336	7 191	3 228	5 494	
500 to 999 acres	13	17	12	14	acres	85	285	34	(NA)	
1,000 to 1,999 acres	7	4	5	3	Other cropland (see text)	farms	2 474	8 256	1 229	4 800
2,000 acres and over	6	6	6	6	acres	292	374	148	119	
					Total woodland	farms	34 382	40 853	26 539	31 000
					acres	410	526	195	(NA)	
					Other land (see text)	farms	11 715	22 706	8 605	17 296
					acres	14	9	6	9	
					Irrigated land	farms	162	153	142	153
					acres					

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland	farms	34	(NA)	
	acres	1 229	4 800	
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured	farms	12	14	
	acres	388	309	
Cropland on which all crops failed	farms	3	14	
	acres	59	485	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow	farms	1	13	
	acres	209	572	
Cropland idle	farms	24	59	
	acres	573	3 434	
Total woodland	farms	148	119	
	acres	26 539	31 000	
Woodland pastured	farms	44	63	
	acres	8 382	9 680	

Total woodland - Continued	farms		
Woodland not pastured	farms	126	90
	acres	18 157	21 320
Other land	farms	195	(NA)
	acres	8 605	17 296
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture	farms	31	28
	acres	1 953	13 247
Improved pastureland and rangeland	farms	14	12
	acres	647	1 221
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland	farms	18	19
	acres	1 306	12 026
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.	farms	190	108
	acres	6 652	4 049

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	1974	1969
All farm operators	634	788	273	181	Farms by type of organization—Con.					
Land in farms	79 748	100 044	62 516	74 054	Partnership	number	(NA)	(NA)	8	17
Harvested cropland	25 841	21 038	22 915	15 464	Land in farms	acres	(NA)	(NA)	1 526	6 464
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	number	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Full owners	407	539	139	91	Land in farms	acres	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	311
Land in farms	39 179	75 960	24 624	53 923	Other	number	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Harvested cropland	7 919	9 675	5 708	5 884	acres	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	3 270
Part owners	173	188	119	75	Farm operators by age group: ²					
Land in farms	37 763	21 709	35 866	18 488	Under 25 years	3	5	3	2	14
Harvested cropland	15 730	9 935	15 271	8 452	25 to 34 years	46	44	21	6	39
Tenants	54	61	15	15	35 to 44 years	70	116	43	6	54
Land in farms	2 806	2 375	2 026	1 643	45 to 54 years	177	198	62	50	50
Harvested cropland	2 192	1 428	1 936	1 128	55 to 64 years	209	223	105	36	22
Percent of tenancy	8.5	7.7	5.5	8.2	65 years and over	125	202	36	52.4	50.9
					Average age	53.9	55.3			
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²					
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated	401	589	189	4	146
All farm operators	number	264	450	68	On another farm	22				
Land in farms	acres	9 003	13 119	4 101	In a rural area, not on a farm	24	100	11	23	
Harvested cropland	acres	3 591	4 070	2 510	In a city, town, or urban area	23		8		
Full owners	number	160	305	31	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²					
Land in farms	acres	5 113	9 796	1 672	None	177	(NA)	77	(NA)	
Harvested cropland	acres	1 676	2 357	1 009	1 to 49 days	28	31	11	6	13
Part owners	number	71	96	33	50 to 99 days	39	51	6	22	
Land in farms	acres	3 325	2 561	2 126	100 to 149 days	46	107	21	15	22
Harvested cropland	acres	1 490	1 374	1 204	150 to 199 days	39		97	54	
Tenants	number	33	49	4	200 days and over	226	306			
Land in farms	acres	565	762	303	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²					
Harvested cropland	acres	425	339	297	Farming	259	(NA)	137	(NA)	
Percent of tenancy		12.5	10.8	5.9	Other	371	(NA)	133	(NA)	
					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)	
Individual or family	number	(NA)	(NA)	262						
Land in farms	acres	(NA)	(NA)	56 017						

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		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	8	13	8	13	Crops	242	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	20		19		Crops	\$1,000	3 499
\$20,000 to \$39,999	34	15	34	15	Grains	farms	2 221
					Tobacco	farms	2 344
\$10,000 to \$19,999	63	20	63	20	Cotton and cottonseed	farms	68
\$5,000 to \$9,999	52	54	52	54	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms	551
\$2,500 to \$4,999	92	77	92	77	Other field crops	farms	6
Under \$2,500 (see text)	365	609	5	2	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	148
					Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	28
					Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	14
					Poultry and poultry products	farms	20
					Dairy products	farms	4
					Cattle and calves	farms	8
					Hogs and pigs	farms	25
					Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms	10
					Other livestock and livestock products	farms	14
						farms	27
						farms	1
						farms	(2)
						farms	200
						farms	1 787
						farms	12
						farms	622
						farms	-
						farms	103
						farms	255
						farms	161
						farms	889
						farms	-
						farms	-
						farms	2
						farms	21
Market value of agricultural products sold							
Average per farm	7 166	3 432	6 665	2 966			
	11 302	4 355	24 413	16 387			
Crops, including hay							
	504	571	242	(NA)			
	3 811	1 472	3 499	785			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
	3		3	3			
	724		724	426			
Forest products							
	19	28	17	18			
	656	159	655	153			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
	407	492	200	154			
	1 974	1 802	1 787	1 602			
Poultry and poultry products							
	23	(NA)	12	15			
	623	(NA)	622	555			

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	335	(NA)	93	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	113	(NA)	57	(NA)	
	129	(NA)	93	(NA)	
Customwork and other agricultural services	49	40	29	18	
	83	35	73	13	
Recreational services	11	13	6	5	
	22	17	7	10	
Government farm programs	29	246	13	71	
	14	157	9	97	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	42	(NA)	17	(NA)	
	10	(NA)	5	(NA)	
Other farm-related sources	1	(NA)	-	(NA)	
	1	(NA)	-	(NA)	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	35	(NA)	15	(NA)	
	23	(NA)	17	(NA)	
Total family income from off-farm sources ²					186
					1 936
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related					41
					505
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips					140
					1 317
Interest, dividends, or royalties					41
					44
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.					17
					45
Rent income of nonfarm property					10
					25

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									
	634	788	273	181	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	376	541	234	161
	4 730	2 958	4 307	2 512	Commercial fertilizer purchased	312	71	296	49
Farms with -					Other agricultural chemicals purchased	535	701	232	168
\$1 to \$999	228	494	12	19	Lime	972	419	871	327
\$1,000 to \$1,999	140	92	39		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	187	(NA)	127	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	76	48	41	26	Gasoline	132	59	125	51
\$3,000 to \$4,999	45	72	37	55	Diesel oil	(NA)	45	30	23
\$5,000 to \$9,999	54	43	54	42	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	10	11	9
\$10,000 to \$19,999	57		57	17	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	585	676	268	181
\$20,000 to \$39,999	16		11	8	Hired farm labor	340	226	285	155
\$40,000 to \$59,999	12		11		Contract labor	(NA)	(NA)	225	171
\$60,000 and over	6		6	14	Machine hire and customwork	(NA)	(NA)	126	84
					All other production expenses	(NA)	(NA)	168	65
Livestock and poultry purchased									
	157	217	83	92					
	245	269	223	240					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased									
	437	458	169	136					
	747	533	653	474					
Commercially mixed formula feeds									
	326	280	132	106					
	528	373	472	344					
Feed ingredients									
	(NA)	(NA)	75	42					
	(NA)	(NA)	78	57					
Whole grains									
	(NA)	(NA)	59	38					
	(NA)	(NA)	99	66					
Hay, green chop, and silage									
	(NA)	(NA)	17	22					
	(NA)	(NA)	3	7					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry									
	(NA)	(NA)	53	(NA)					
	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)					

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.....	602	659	245	180					
\$1,000.....	6 676	3 648	4 109	2 014					
Average per farm.....	11 091	5 536	16 770	11 188					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	8	136	3	57					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	151	308	41	49					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	218	112	48	38					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	145	56	83	25					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	37		31	6					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	37		33						
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	3	47	3						
\$70,000 and over.....	3		3	5					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	435	437	161	108					
number.....	538	517	211	136					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	214	289	114	95					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	492	453	224	155					
number.....	609	551	330	228					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	198	327	148	148					
Wheel tractors.....	480	407	220	159					
number.....	657	602	376	288					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	154	290	116	155					
Crawler tractors.....	11		5	11					
number.....	11		5	15					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	8					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	63	46	57	39					
number.....	65	48	59	41					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	27	13	22					
Corn heads for combines.....	52	75	46	30					
number.....	57	83	51	30					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	39	9	17					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	56		37	34					
number.....	58		39	34					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12		10	16					
Mower conditioners.....	33	(NA)	25	(NA)					
number.....	33	(NA)	25	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	9	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....	47	48	27	27					
number.....	48	51	28	30					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	11	26	9	17					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	19	(NA)	11	16					
number.....	19	(NA)	11	19					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	(NA)	4	11					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	10	(NA)	6	9					
number.....	10	(NA)	6	9					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	1	8					

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.....	465	(X)	203	(X)	407	(X)	200	(X)	1 787
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	430	(X)	191	(X)	390	(X)	199	(X)	1 144
.....1969.....	595	(X)	153	(X)	473	(X)	151	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	266	5 145	125	3 836	178	1 879	103	1 505	255
.....1969.....	319	6 450	112	5 103	181	3 446	93	2 935	364
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	66	210	12	41	85	203	40	96	13
5 to 9.....1974.....	64	418	26	173	39	251	23	157	26
10 to 19.....1974.....	52	641	20	258	31	398	17	225	39
20 to 49.....1974.....	64	1 882	48	1 430	16	406	16	406	76
50 to 99.....1974.....	9	572	8	512	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
100 to 199.....1974.....	11	1 422	11	1 422	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	203	2 766	105	2 106	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	252	3 658	100	3 035	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	175	2 635	93	2 045	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	3 280	83	2 755	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	50	131	16	61	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	88	378	27	280	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	—	(X)	—
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	171
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.....	175	2 635	93	2 045	Cattle sold.....	72	858	173	
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	56	149	15	45	Farms with—				
5 to 9.....	36	249	16	111	1 to 4.....	30	65	11	
10 to 19.....	36	463	23	310	5 to 9.....	18	115	22	
20 to 49.....	35	929	27	734	10 to 19.....	9	125	25	
50 to 99.....	11	(D)	11	(D)	20 to 49.....	12	343	70	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99.....	3	210	45	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	—	—	—	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	—	—	—	
Milk cows.....	50	131	16	61	500 and over.....	—	—	—	
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	33	53	7	12	Calves sold.....	54	647	82	
3 or 4.....	12	39	6	20	Farms with—				
5 to 9.....	3	19	1	9	1 or 2.....	15	22	2	
10 to 19.....	2	20	2	20	3 or 4.....	7	26	3	
20 to 49.....	—	—	—	—	5 to 9.....	18	133	17	
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	10 to 19.....	8	110	14	
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	20 to 49.....	5	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....	—	—	—	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	—	—	—	
					200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)	
					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	1974..	38	49 861	7	39 430	---	---	---	---
.....	1969..	50	69 920	12	30 558	2	13	---	---
Hens for table or market egg production	1974..	38	49 736	7	39 430	---	---	---	---
Hens for hatching egg production	1974..	4	125	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974..	1	(D)	---	---	---	---	---	---
.....	1969..	7	169	---	---	---	---	---	---
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974..	17	(D)	---	---	---	---	---	---
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974..	2	(D)	1	40	4	(X)	---	(X)
						4	(X)	---	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	482	589	13 285	8 805	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes	10	12	104	64	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	223	198	8 607	5 494	178 427	115 118				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	12	29	12	26	7 549	17 650				
Wheat (bushels)	17	8	957	474	28 259	18 150				
Other small grains for grain	32	26	343	183	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)	6	181	666	1 680	682	1 132				
Tobacco (pounds)	160	196	401	414	663 345	518 338				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	2	(NA)	446	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	48	(NA)	56	(NA)	8 262	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry)	104	127	1 262	3 752	1 776	3 344				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	34	41	861	172	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards	6	13	16	35	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale	---	1	---	---	(Z)	(X)				
Other crops	12	(NA)	254	432	(X)	(X)				

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	231	129	11 113	4 983	684 418	278 801	2	1	8	5
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	18	12	184	265	1 810	2 581	---	---	---	---
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	13	17	117	390	(X)	(X)	---	---	---	---
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	---	36	---	2 160	---	---	---	---	---
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	61	43	(X)	(X)	---	(NA)	---	---
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	3	1	49	15	49	10	---	---	---	---

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	1974..	110	3 228	(X)	1	70	32	1 072	28	299	12	77
.....	1969..	91	5 494	(X)	1	5	50	3 769	48	886	8	49
Improved pasture	1974..	14	647	(X)	---	---	5	151	5	27	---	---
.....	1969..	12	1 221	(X)	---	---	6	459	6	131	1	6
Corn for all purposes	1974..	240	11 414	(X)	2	8	168	8 449	145	2 089	98	1 080
.....	1969..	141	5 638	(X)	1	5	105	4 324	104	1 436	33	385
Sorghums for all purposes	1974..	7	97	(X)	---	---	---	76	2	20	---	---
.....	1969..	4	43	(X)	---	---	4	43	3	7	2	10
Wheat (bushels)	1974..	15	933	27 587	---	---	9	741	7	189	2	8
.....	1969..	7	465	17 350	---	---	7	465	(NA)	130	(NA)	5
Oats (bushels)	1974..	24	248	10 050	---	---	7	96	6	19	1	4
.....	1969..	9	84	2 870	1	2	5	59	(NA)	11	(NA)	5
Barley (bushels)	1974..	6	65	1 832	---	---	2	53	1	6	1	6
.....	1969..	1	40	1 600	---	---	1	40	(NA)	12	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels)	1974..	1	12	250	---	---	1	12	---	---	1	3
.....	1969..	1	30	900	---	---	1	30	(NA)	---	(NA)	5
Other small grains for grain	1974..	---	---	(X)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	157	8 117	168 637	1	1	80	4 860	66	857	15	65
.....	1969..	89	4 364	91 321	1	5	56	3 080	(NA)	648	(NA)	10
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974..	4	4	2 500	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
.....	1969..	5	4	5 000	1	2	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	---
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	62	840	1 231	---	---	25	306	24	61	11	23
.....	1969..	35	3 278	(D)	1	3	12	2 525	10	282	4	51
Field seed crops	1974..	---	---	(X)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
.....	1969..	---	---	(X)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Cotton (bales)	1974..	6	666	682	---	---	6	666	6	185	1	50
.....	1969..	35	1 077	806	---	---	30	1 032	(NA)	580	(NA)	30
Tobacco (pounds)	1974..	68	311	556 078	---	---	68	311	64	279	12	13
.....	1969..	63	295	388 686	4	28	63	291	(NA)	266	(NA)	9
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974..	2	1	376	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
.....	1969..	4	1	49	---	---	---	---	(NA)	---	(NA)	---
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974..	12	832	(X)	1	1	8	810	8	812	---	---
.....	1969..	15	142	(X)	2	26	10	120	10	42	3	8
Land in orchards	1974..	1	3	(X)	---	---	1	1	1	1	---	---
.....	1969..	2	22	(X)	---	---	1	2	1	(Z)	---	---

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	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	3	205	(X)	3	65	3	205	3	79	—
.....	1969	3	180	(X)	3	80	3	180	3	171	—
Other crops	1974	21	59	(X)	—	—	7	29	9	25	—

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	farms	239	farms	170	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	—	farms	3
.....	\$1,000	996	.....	379	Diseases in crops and orchards	acres	—	acres	33
Commercial fertilizer	farms	232	farms	157	.....	\$1,000	—	.....	(Z)
.....	acres on which used	17 876	.....	16 438	Weeds or grass in crops	farms	7 461	farms	2 340
.....	tons	6 281	.....	5 191	.....	acres on which used	—	.....	10
Lime	farms	871	farms	327	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	46	farms	5
.....	acres on which used	30	.....	23	.....	acres on which used	3	.....	512
.....	\$1,000	920	.....	1 147	Weeds on all other land	farms	26	.....	(Z)
.....	tons	881	.....	1 292	.....	\$1,000	(Z)	.....	(NA)
.....	\$1,000	11	.....	9	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	farms	7	.....	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	1	.....	3	of crops or thinning of fruit	acres on which used	700	.....	196
Insects on hay crops	acres on which used	2	.....	1 216	.....	\$1,000	3	.....	1
.....	\$1,000	(Z)	.....	2	Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	8	.....	21
Insects on other crops	farms	62	.....	62	.....	\$1,000	2	.....	1
.....	acres on which used	4 285	.....	2 643	Other chemicals (see text)	farms	26	.....	(NA)
.....	\$1,000	54	.....	27	.....	\$1,000	8	.....	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	farms	7	.....	7					
.....	acres on which used	195	.....	64					
.....	\$1,000	2	.....	1					

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	farms	6	farms	9	Land irrigated by—Continued	farms	—	farms	(NA)
Proportion of farms	percent	2.2	.....	4.9	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	acres	—	.....	(NA)
Total land irrigated	acres	142	.....	153	Other sprinkler systems	farms	5	.....	(NA)
Average per farm	acres	23.7	.....	17.0	.....	acres	72	.....	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	farms	6	.....	9	Land in irrigated farms	acres	1 388	.....	4 938
.....	acres	142	.....	153	Cropland	acres	474	.....	1 697
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	5	.....	9	Harvested cropland	acres	358	.....	770
.....	acres	72	.....	148	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	farms	2	.....	(X)
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	1	.....	1	between 1970 and 1973	acres irrigated in most recent year	60	.....	(X)
.....	acres	70	.....	5	Farms with artificial drainage	farms	26	.....	49
Other cropland irrigated	farms	—	.....	(NA)	Proportion of farms	percent	9.5	.....	27.0
.....	acres	—	.....	—	Land in farms with drainage	acres	10 815	.....	45 225
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	—	.....	—	Land drained	acres	3 284	.....	13 545
.....	acres	—	.....	—	Average per farm	acres	126.3	.....	276.4
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	352	.....	176	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	farms	32	.....	(NA)
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	2.5	.....	1.2	tanks	number	74	.....	(NA)
Land irrigated by—	farms	—	.....	(NA)	.....	acres	103	.....	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	acres	—	.....	(NA)					

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	45	34	19			
.....	\$1,000	693	529	163			
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	farms	18	13	10			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	farms	6	4	5			
\$10,000 to \$29,999	farms	15	12	3			
\$30,000 to \$49,999	farms	2	2	—			
\$50,000 and over	farms	4	3	1			

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	20	33	64	137	325	525	Farms	84	20	27	53
25 to 149 days	27	104	85	774	79		Cash wages paid—\$1,000	479	325	79	74
Less than 25 days	53	—	429	—	74		Number of workers	578	64	85	429
Total contract labor	15	—	(NA)	—	81	16	Farms with—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	160	(NA)	73	(NA)	1 worker	24	9	14	12
							2 workers	18	4	7	10
							3 or 4 workers	6	3	1	5
							5 to 9 workers	21	3	4	11
							10 workers and over	15	1	1	15