

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..	899	1 057	493	431	Land in Farms According to Use					
Land in farms..... acres..	142 135	152 913	112 927	96 144		Total cropland..... farms..	841	1 008	470	406
Average size of farm..... acres..	158	145	229	223	 acres..	68 717	71 565	56 656	51 270
						Harvested cropland..... farms..	765	864	447	385
Approximate land area..... acres..	458 880	458 880	458 880	458 880	..... acres..	48 306	45 476	44 135	37 913
Proportion in farms..... percent..	31.0	33.3	24.6	21.0	Farms by acres harvested:					
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000..	79 814	48 734	61 247	31 525	1 to 9 acres.....	135	218	17		
Average per farm..... dollars..	88 781	46 105	124 233	73 144	10 to 19 acres.....	197	168	56	171	
Average per acre..... dollars..	562	319	542	328	20 to 29 acres.....	102	128	59		
					30 to 49 acres.....	101	127	87		
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres.....	103	114	101	105	
1 to 9 acres.....	37	23	12	13	100 to 199 acres.....	67	62	67	62	
10 to 49 acres.....	230	261	81	49	200 to 499 acres.....	48	36	48	36	
50 to 69 acres.....	117	141	52	39	500 to 999 acres.....	10	10	10	10	
70 to 99 acres.....	120	176	41	55	1,000 acres and over.....	2	1	2	1	
100 to 139 acres.....	134	133	86	63	Cropland used only for pasture					
140 to 179 acres.....	65	89	46	44	or grazing..... farms..	446	458	226	172	
					..... acres..	13 427	10 443	7 841	5 342
180 to 219 acres.....	36	52	29	28	Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	241	474	133	(NA)	
220 to 259 acres.....	36	37	30	23	..... acres..	6 984	15 646	4 680	8 015
260 to 499 acres.....	79	93	73	68	Total woodland..... farms..	578	815	323	331	
500 to 999 acres.....	34	40	32	38	..... acres..	58 130	63 755	45 910	37 245
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	8	11	8	10	Other land (see text)..... farms..	603	737	346	(NA)	
2,000 acres and over.....	3	1	3	1	..... acres..	15 288	17 593	10 361	7 629
					Irrigated land..... farms..	28	26	22	22	
					..... acres..	787	795	776	754
Other cropland..... farms..			133	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued					
..... acres..			4 680	8 015	Woodland not pastured..... farms..			263	281	
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..			35	55	..... acres..			35 794	29 626
..... acres..			916	1 677	Other land..... farms..			346	(NA)	
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..			29	32	..... acres..			10 361	7 629
..... acres..			556	792	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..			86	85	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..			11	24	..... acres..			3 186	3 034
..... acres..			436	805	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			62	52	
Cropland idle..... farms..			72	135	..... acres..			2 113	1 704
..... acres..			2 772	4 741	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			33	37	
Total woodland..... farms..			323	331	..... acres..			1 073	1 330
..... acres..			45 910	37 245	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..			328	297	
Woodland pastured..... farms..			127	123	..... acres..			7 175	4 595
..... acres..			10 116	7 619						

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..	899	1 057	493	431	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres..	142 135	152 913	112 927	96 144		Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	27	38
Harvested cropland..... acres..	48 306	45 476	44 135	37 913	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	8 082	9 945
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	3	1
Full owners..... number..	618	716	273	220	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	185
Land in farms..... acres..	74 729	89 034	49 287	41 589	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	2	3
Harvested cropland..... acres..	16 230	15 127	13 017	9 858	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	780
Part owners..... number..	225	276	186	180	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	59 932	59 104	57 781	51 178	Under 25 years.....	15	11	8	6
Harvested cropland..... acres..	28 344	27 309	27 800	25 490	25 to 34 years.....	75	78	37	40
Tenants..... number..	56	65	34	31	35 to 44 years.....	150	178	88	88
Land in farms..... acres..	7 474	4 775	5 859	3 377	45 to 54 years.....	227	337	130	135
Harvested cropland..... acres..	3 732	3 040	3 318	2 565	55 to 64 years.....	262	260	150	111
Percent of tenancy.....	6.2	6.1	6.9	7.1	65 years and over.....	165	193	75	51
					Average age.....	52.6	52.6	52.2	50.7
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	595	800	334	340
All farm operators..... number..	21	53	6	12	On another farm.....	27	14	14	
Land in farms..... acres..	2 539	7 900	1 433	4 584	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	22	155	10	60
Harvested cropland..... acres..	905	2 178	729	1 561	In a city, town, or urban area.....	57		23	
Full owners..... number..	11	32	3	5	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres..	633	3 984	254	1 323	None.....	253	(NA)	173	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres..	162	633	90	286	1 to 49 days.....	39	69	17	29
Part owners..... number..	6	11	3	6	50 to 99 days.....	22	32	6	12
Land in farms..... acres..	1 306	3 402	1 179	3 216	100 to 149 days.....	18		7	
Harvested cropland..... acres..	661	1 363	639	1 261	150 to 199 days.....	28	66	16	15
Tenants..... number..	4	10	—	1	200 days and over.....	401	457	157	134
Land in farms..... acres..	600	514	—	45	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	82	182	—	14	Farming.....	387	(NA)	295	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	19.0	18.8	—	8.3	Other.....	507	(NA)	193	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	11	(NA)
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	461	389	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	71	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	101 929	85 234					

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:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over	32	61	32	61	Crops	411	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	54	51	54	51	Grains	6 005	2 459
\$20,000 to \$39,999	69	51	69	51	Tobacco	3 395	1 017
\$10,000 to \$19,999	80	55	80	55	Cotton and cottonseed	29	87
\$5,000 to \$9,999	117	99	117	99	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	568	275
\$2,500 to \$4,999	123	132	123	132	Other field crops	78	63
Under \$2,500 (see text)	424	659	18	33	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	186	125
\$2,000 to \$2,499	64	63	(X)	(X)	Fruits, nuts, and berries	23	45
\$1,500 to \$1,999	78	76	(X)	(X)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	143	140
\$1,000 to \$1,499	87	105	(X)	(X)	Poultry and poultry products	67	92
Under \$1,000 (see text)	195	415	(X)	(X)	Doiry products	1 208	548
Market value of agricultural products sold					Cattle and calves	27	39
\$1,000	15 056	10 128	14 604	9 630	Hogs and pigs	505	353
Average per farm	16 748	9 582	29 622	22 343	Sheep, lambs, and wool	310	310
Crops, including hay	640	720	411	(NA)	Poultry and poultry products	8 404	7 013
\$1,000	6 231	2 816	6 005	2 459	Livestock, poultry, and their products	73	105
Nursery and greenhouse products	13	10	10	10	Poultry and poultry products	6 603	5 838
\$1,000	92	98	88	98	Doiry products	8	18
Forest products	51	62	37	42	Cattle and calves	388	240
\$1,000	114	71	107	60	Hogs and pigs	233	(NA)
Livestock, poultry, and their products	543	619	310	310	Sheep, lambs, and wool	865	501
\$1,000	8 619	7 242	8 404	7 013	Other livestock and livestock products	100	(NA)
Poultry and poultry products	90	(NA)	73	105	\$1,000	498	433
\$1,000	6 610	(NA)	6 603	5 838	\$1,000	6	50

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	477	(NA)	161	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	301	3 370
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	179	(NA)	112	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	49	583
\$1,000	188	(NA)	163	(NA)	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	215	2 323
Customwork and other agricultural services	58	75	46	48	Interest, dividends, or royalties	93	234
\$1,000	98	84	88	72	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	57	171
Recreational services	9	14	6	3	Rent income of nonfarm property	24	59
\$1,000	9	28	9	10	\$1,000	24	59
Government farm programs	84	456	55	191			
\$1,000	44	518	35	397			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	39	(NA)	15	(NA)			
\$1,000	22	(NA)	16	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	11	(NA)	11	(NA)			
\$1,000	15	(NA)	15	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	69	(NA)	43	(NA)			
\$1,000	113	(NA)	92	(NA)			

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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	897	1 057	493	431	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	490	648	319	325
\$1,000	13 046	9 320	12 490	8 675	\$1,000	225	134	211	114
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	729	898	391	380
\$1 to \$999	225	406	39	53	\$1,000	1 495	834	1 378	704
\$1,000 to \$1,999	200	200	54	59	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	301	(NA)	205	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	84	104	39	59	\$1,000	390	204	381	183
\$3,000 to \$4,999	95	100	71	79	Lime	(NA)	187	97	108
\$5,000 to \$9,999	106	81	103	74	\$1,000	(NA)	40	104	33
\$10,000 to \$19,999	68	68	68	64	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	871	1 041	482	431
\$20,000 to \$39,999	54	166	54	39	\$1,000	607	460	546	370
\$40,000 to \$59,999	11	11	11	63	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	443	417
\$60,000 and over	54	54	54	63	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	263	242
Livestock and poultry purchased	335	421	173	217	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	277	180
\$1,000	2 002	1 550	1 947	1 485	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	160	58
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	548	609	275	280	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	34	55
\$1,000	4 809	3 829	4 695	3 739	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	33	31
Commercially mixed formula feeds	391	400	233	227	Hired farm labor	212	396	156	237
\$1,000	4 548	3 660	4 503	3 618	\$1,000	810	609	798	565
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	98	64	Contract labor	20	396	16	21
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	45	\$1,000	20	148	19	14
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	124	63	Machine hire and customwork	318	185	187	187
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	132	61	\$1,000	151	126	102	102
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	30	47	\$1,000	800	836	490	425
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	20	15	All other production expenses	2 536	1 552	2 333	1 399
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	150	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	57	(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					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	852	1 025	464	425	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	158	146	146	120
\$1,000.....	12 507	6 641	9 682	4 446	number.....	166	157	154	131
Average per farm..... dollars.....	14 679	6 478	20 866	10 461	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	31	76	31	64
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	66	85	65	35
\$1 to \$999.....	7	71	-	149	number.....	68	93	67	36
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	202	549	70	-	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14	35	14	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	293	223	112	129	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	44	-	29	38
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	162	111	110	86	number.....	44	-	29	38
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	82	-	73	32	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	-	-	11
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	67	71	60	19	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	106	(NA)	81	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	19	-	19	-	number.....	108	(NA)	83	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	20	-	20	10	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	35	(NA)	29	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers..... farms.....	149	142	111	94
Automobiles..... farms.....	651	786	354	331	number.....	152	143	114	95
number.....	860	1 038	480	461	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	43	71	39	52
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	377	617	255	309	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	62	(NA)	50	43
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	716	805	419	372	number.....	62	(NA)	50	43
number.....	1 048	1 143	734	663	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15	(NA)	13	23
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	300	580	237	350	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	18	(NA)	15	15
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	767	911	420	386	number.....	19	(NA)	16	15
number.....	1 219	1 407	818	744	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	(NA)	6	5
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	253	535	213	322					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	24	-	20	15					
number.....	29	-	24	23					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	-	5	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.....	617	(X)	328	(X)	543	(X)	310	(X)	8 404
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	542	(X)	286	(X)	478	(X)	270	(X)	1 362
.....1969.....	652	(X)	270	(X)	553	(X)	258	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	482	14 418	252	10 917	413	5 924	233	4 643	865
.....1969.....	523	11 201	223	7 779	426	5 135	208	3 810	501
Farms with —									
1 to 4.....1974.....	58	142	19	47	116	286	39	84	15
5 to 9.....1974.....	63	447	17	130	121	790	67	417	71
10 to 19.....1974.....	127	1 752	48	684	82	1 009	45	582	100
20 to 49.....1974.....	153	4 623	91	2 837	69	1 946	57	1 667	280
50 to 99.....1974.....	56	3 577	52	3 342	21	1 291	21	1 291	268
100 to 199.....1974.....	19	2 460	19	2 460	4	602	4	602	130
200 to 499.....1974.....	6	1 417	6	1 417	-	-	-	-	-
500 and over.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	387	7 644	220	5 759	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	411	5 248	188	3 787	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	353	6 999	205	5 223	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	4 544	159	3 252	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	87	645	35	536	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	141	704	52	535	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	388
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	240
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Beef cows.....	353	6 999	205	5 223	Cattle sold.....	167	2 561		624
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4.....	54	131	21	46	1 to 4.....	37	76		18
5 to 9.....	61	422	24	180	5 to 9.....	62	401		89
10 to 19.....	102	1 377	50	695	10 to 19.....	33	403		94
20 to 49.....	105	2 950	79	2 183	20 to 49.....	21	654		142
50 to 99.....	28	1 753	28	1 753	50 to 99.....	12	(D)		(D)
100 to 199.....	3	366	3	366	100 to 199.....	2	(D)		(D)
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	-	-		-
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-		-
Milk cows.....	87	645	35	536	Calves sold.....	143	2 082		241
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2.....	67	100	21	28	1 or 2.....	16	21		3
3 or 4.....	3	9	3	9	3 or 4.....	15	51		6
5 to 9.....	7	46	1	9	5 to 9.....	52	318		33
10 to 19.....	3	35	3	35	10 to 19.....	23	302		33
20 to 49.....	4	118	4	118	20 to 49.....	27	700		83
50 to 99.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99.....	8	(D)		(D)
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	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	150	2 508	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	62	625	152
1969	172	2 339	1969	27	477	(NA)
Beef heifers	141	2 199	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	14	309	1 to 9	46	176	40
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	188	2 650	10 to 19	7	87	19
1969	188	1 653	20 to 49	6	212	50
			50 to 99	3	150	43
			100 to 199	—	—	—
			200 to 499	—	—	—
			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	195	4 784	109	3 908	152	8 203	100	7 355	498
1969	332	9 001	156	6 896	270	11 980	151	10 096	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	75	177	30	76	26	63	10	26	2
5 to 9	19	149	11	80	13	84	8	54	3
10 to 24	46	718	25	354	36	557	19	296	16
25 to 49	32	1 023	20	681	40	1 342	30	1 046	86
50 to 99	13	804	13	804	16	1 142	12	918	54
100 to 199	6	640	6	640	14	1 820	14	1 820	137
200 to 499	3	(D)	3	(D)	4	995	4	995	71
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	2 200	3	2 200	128
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	1 852	15	1 466	34
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	64	2 225	26	1 434	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	2	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)
1969	6	28	—	—	4	66	2	50	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	4	90	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	7	39	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	92	282	46	182	6	14	3	7	47
1969	129	433	(NA)	(NA)	23	90	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory	
	Farms	Number		All farms	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	63	612	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		
1969	105	998	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	101	977
Other hogs and pigs	104	3 294	1969	213	1 535
1969	152	5 898	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	85	497
Lambs under 1 year old	—	—	1969	189	820
Ewes 1 year old or older	—	—	1969	84	480
Rams and wethers	—	—	1969	162	715
			1969		99

¹Pounds of wool.

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

	Inventory				Sales			
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	170	(X)	87	(X)	70	(X)	61	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	111	(X)	(NA)	(X)	98	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	136	195 523	56	193 374	25	366 632	17	366 376
1969	189	476 288	71	471 295	51	433 840	42	432 848
Hens and pullets of laying age	131	180 872	53	178 808	23	159 798	15	159 578
1969	180	409 009	67	404 437	44	334 418	36	333 428
Farms with—								
1 to 99	114	2 758	40	1 094	8	220	—	—
100 to 399	7	950	3	550	1	100	1	100
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	7	45 639	7	45 639
10,000 to 19,999	4	45 784	4	45 784	4	54 029	4	54 029
20,000 to 49,999	3	61 380	3	61 380	2	(D)	2	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	47	1 318 155	36	1 317 830	45	4 669 202	44	4 669 182
1969	53	1 205 345	43	1 204 800	58	6 039 809	58	6 039 809
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	90	6 610	73	6 603
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	105	5 838

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..	53	178 808	15	159 578	Turkeys	1974..	—	—
	1969..	67	404 437	36	333 428		1969..	2	90
Hens for table or market egg production	1974..	50	137 974	10	113 210	Turkeys for slaughter	1974..	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	1974..	5	40 834	5	46 368	Heavy breed	1974..	—	—
						Light breed	1974..	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974..	3	10 450	3	201 806	Turkey hens for breeding	1974..	—	—
	1969..	5	62 600	6	95 300		1969..	2	70
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974..	11	4 116	5	4 992	Other poultry	1974..	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974..	1	(D)	—	—		1969..	3	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	450	452	9 165	7 350	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes	16	23	275	153	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	433	438	25 040	23 535	389 032	445 115				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	49	65	113	247	105 710	331 375				
Wheat (bushels)	93	100	2 428	1 093	59 070	32 672				
Other small grains for grain	175	158	3 727	2 817	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)	38	169	2 585	3 933	2 572	3 231				
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	3	(NA)	188	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	25	(NA)	129	(NA)	22 851	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry)	313	278	6 090	4 462	13 346	11 019				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	102	147	1 418	1 623	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards	62	69	805	1 235	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale	—	2	—	1	(X)	(X)				
Other crops	39	(NA)	317	800	(X)	(X)				

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	1974..	226	7 841	(X)	—	—	95	3 091	87	619	30	154
	1969..	172	5 342	(X)	1	6	116	3 235	114	907	34	160
Improved pasture	1974..	62	2 113	(X)	—	—	22	716	20	175	7	23
	1969..	52	1 704	(X)	—	—	30	1 155	30	332	8	37
Corn for all purposes	1974..	259	7 885	(X)	2	8	210	6 012	205	1 821	48	292
	1969..	200	5 533	(X)	3	39	152	4 090	151	1 311	41	278
Sorghums for all purposes	1974..	8	253	(X)	—	—	7	248	7	29	2	8
	1969..	12	104	(X)	—	—	8	94	8	33	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	1974..	78	2 363	57 466	—	—	50	1 826	46	453	12	41
	1969..	53	867	27 482	—	—	43	767	(NA)	203	(NA)	37
Oats (bushels)	1974..	77	1 437	59 814	—	—	53	965	45	172	27	72
	1969..	75	1 586	67 284	—	—	64	1 299	(NA)	286	(NA)	59
Barley (bushels)	1974..	18	336	13 680	—	—	15	328	15	51	5	13
	1969..	9	84	2 411	—	—	7	48	(NA)	12	(NA)	2
Rye (bushels)	1974..	60	1 404	33 628	1	6	41	869	34	155	13	41
	1969..	35	614	15 742	1	4	31	542	(NA)	155	(NA)	25
Other small grains for grain	1974..	12	287	(X)	—	—	7	162	4	49	3	3
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	317	23 750	371 341	2	20	165	15 685	164	2 639	3	5
	1969..	240	20 610	394 674	—	—	150	13 944	(NA)	2 482	(NA)	14
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974..	13	76	69 450	—	—	6	33	6	17	—	—
	1969..	27	204	286 408	—	—	14	129	(NA)	42	(NA)	2
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	184	5 005	11 570	—	—	80	2 277	69	600	42	252
	1969..	143	3 413	9 321	—	—	77	1 859	72	589	37	289
Field seed crops	1974..	4	90	(X)	—	—	3	80	2	20	1	6
	1969..	5	84	(X)	—	—	4	82	4	28	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1974..	29	2 549	2 546	—	—	27	2 537	26	982	6	138
	1969..	89	3 331	2 786	1	50	84	3 282	(NA)	1 240	(NA)	232
Tobacco (pounds)	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974..	7	1	63	—	—	2	(Z)	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
	1969..	4	(Z)	37	—	—	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974..	67	1 335	(X)	16	696	55	1 174	54	659	2	90
	1969..	92	1 433	(X)	15	556	68	1 226	68	602	4	8
Land in orchards	1974..	41	738	(X)	1	3	25	514	25	203	—	—
	1969..	42	1 139	(X)	1	10	39	1 083	39	603	—	—

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	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	1	(X)	—	—	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	10	18	(X)	8	18	8	18	8	6	—	2	(Z)
1969	10	48	(X)	3	17	7	48	6	11	—	1	(Z)
Other crops	25	276	(X)	1	45	16	230	18	143	—	—	—
1974												

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	406	1 759	397	887	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	14	24	14	24
Commercial fertilizer	391	391	346	346	Diseases in crops and orchards	360	816	360	816
Lime	97	1 378	108	704	acres on which used	10	10	10	10
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	7	166	7	56	Weeds or grass in crops	75	97	75	97
Insects on hay crops	1	1	(Z)	1	acres on which used	9 794	7 599	9 794	7 599
Insects on other crops	75	75	151	151	Weeds or brush in pasture	89	6	89	6
Nematodes in crops	7	7	87	87	acres on which used	15	39	15	39
	916	916	58	58	Weeds on all other land	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
	9	9	1	1	acres on which used	102	(NA)	102	(NA)
					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
					of crops or thinning of fruit	14	38	14	38
					acres on which used	2 291	1 892	2 291	1 892
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	23	7	23	7
					Other chemicals (see text)	25	50	25	50
						3	4	3	4
						38	(NA)	38	(NA)
						30	(NA)	30	(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	22	776	22	754	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	4.5	35.3	5.1	34.2	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
Total land irrigated	776	35 325	754	34 222	Other sprinkler systems	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
Average per farm	35.3	22	34.2	22	Land in irrigated farms	19	(NA)	19	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	22	776	21	754	acres	770	(NA)	770	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	22	776	21	754	Cropland	3 099	4 810	3 099	4 810
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Harvested cropland	1 810	2 701	1 810	2 701
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	1 313	2 106	1 313	2 106
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	19	—	between 1970 and 1973	3	(X)	3	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	325	0.4	341	0.5	acres irrigated in most recent year	27	(X)	27	(X)
Land irrigated by—					Farms with artificial drainage	17	15	17	15
Furrows or ditches	1	31	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4
					Land in farms with drainage	2 133	3 409	2 133	3 409
					Land drained	421	250	421	250
					Average per farm	24.8	16.6	24.8	16.6
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	102	(NA)	102	(NA)
						207	(NA)	207	(NA)
						529	(NA)	529	(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)	—	—	132	4 936	97	3 610	74	1 326
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000	—	—	29	17	17	28	15	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	—	22	47	37	23	2	2
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	—	16	18	11	6	6	6
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	—	18	15	15	2	2	2
\$50,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	55	71	187	179	615	565	156	55	49	85	
25 to 149 days	49	204	216	1 054	126	57	798	615	126	57	
Less than 25 days	85	—	605	—	57	—	1 008	187	216	605	
Total contract labor	16	21	(NA)	(NA)	19	14					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	38	(NA)	14	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker	51	26	17	24	24	18					
2 workers	20	9	13	12	12	17					
3 or 4 workers	32	12	10	17	17	14					
5 to 9 workers	29	5	4	14	14	18					
10 workers and over	24	3	5	18	18	—					