

Table 1. Farms, Land in Farms, and Land Use: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number.....	678	715	637	645
Land in farms..... acres.....	323 676	318 080	319 291	309 859
Average size of farm..... acres.....	477	445	501	480
Approximate land area..... acres.....	326 912	326 912	326 912	326 912
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	99.0	97.3	97.7	94.8
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	73 194	40 704	72 346	39 381
Average per farm..... dollars.....	107 956	56 928	113 572	61 055
Average per acre..... dollars.....	226	128	227	127
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres.....	24	23	23	12
10 to 49 acres.....	37	14	26	3
50 to 69 acres.....	14	5	8	4
70 to 99 acres.....	17	22	8	8
100 to 139 acres.....	11	16	11	12
140 to 179 acres.....	58	66	50	50
180 to 219 acres.....	21	9	21	7
220 to 259 acres.....	25	37	25	31
260 to 499 acres.....	214	274	208	269
500 to 999 acres.....	204	215	204	215
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	49	34	49	34
2,000 acres and over.....	4	—	4	—

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Land in Farms According to Use				
Total cropland..... farms.....	644	681	609	626
..... acres.....	271 194	271 856	268 030	266 148
Harvested cropland..... farms.....	620	666	602	624
..... acres.....	221 687	194 409	221 123	191 969
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres.....	8	8	3	—
10 to 19 acres.....	7	2	5	—
20 to 29 acres.....	10	9	9	—
30 to 49 acres.....	23	25	17	—
50 to 99 acres.....	35	50	31	42
100 to 199 acres.....	109	146	109	136
200 to 499 acres.....	271	336	271	336
500 to 999 acres.....	145	85	145	85
1,000 acres and over.....	12	5	12	5
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	406	426	383	393
..... acres.....	45 445	38 526	42 845	37 148
Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	112	541	112	(NA)
..... acres.....	4 062	38 921	4 062	37 031
Total woodland..... farms.....	95	169	89	158
..... acres.....	1 820	2 142	1 800	2 019
Other land (see text)..... farms.....	590	639	558	(NA)
..... acres.....	50 662	44 082	49 461	41 692
Irrigated land..... farms.....	2	5	2	5
..... acres.....	335	468	335	468

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....	112	(NA)		
..... acres.....	4 062	37 031		
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	20	106		
..... acres.....	332	4 505		
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	17	27		
..... acres.....	649	1 970		
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	63	400		
..... acres.....	2 176	26 105		
Cropland idle..... farms.....	23	100		
..... acres.....	905	4 451		
Total woodland..... farms.....	89	158		
..... acres.....	1 800	2 019		
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	23	43		
..... acres.....	442	487		

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total woodland - Continued				
Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			69	128
..... acres.....			1 358	1 532
Other land..... farms.....			558	(NA)
..... acres.....			49 461	41 692
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			252	251
..... acres.....			27 262	23 665
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			81	82
..... acres.....			7 902	7 822
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			187	190
..... acres.....			19 360	15 843
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms.....			531	544
..... acres.....			22 199	18 027

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number.....	678	715	637	645
Land in farms..... acres.....	323 676	318 080	319 291	309 859
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	221 687	194 409	221 123	191 969
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners..... number.....	270	264	232	211
Land in farms..... acres.....	73 178	70 344	69 003	65 143
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	45 446	37 669	44 942	36 447
Part owners..... number.....	299	326	297	319
Land in farms..... acres.....	206 213	191 396	206 053	189 777
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	144 360	121 261	144 300	120 847
Tenants..... number.....	109	125	108	115
Land in farms..... acres.....	44 285	56 340	44 235	54 939
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	31 881	35 479	31 881	34 675
Percent of tenancy.....	16.1	17.4	17.0	17.8
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹				
All farm operators..... number.....	2	(NA)	2	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	980	(NA)	980	—
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	574	(NA)	574	—
Full owners..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	280	(NA)	280	—
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	145	(NA)	145	—
Part owners..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	700	(NA)	700	—
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	429	(NA)	429	—
Tenants..... number.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Percent of tenancy.....	—	(NA)	—	—
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	584	569
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	283 704	267 793
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	50	75
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	30 902	41 576
Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	—
Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	490
Farm operators by age group: ²				
Under 25 years.....	25	28	24	22
25 to 34 years.....	134	69	125	67
35 to 44 years.....	100	153	95	142
45 to 54 years.....	192	211	174	196
55 to 64 years.....	149	174	143	153
65 years and over.....	75	80	73	65
Average age.....	47.6	49.1	47.8	48.7
Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
On farm operated.....	482	596	475	563
On another farm.....	44		41	
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	5	62	5	43
In a city, town, or urban area.....	42		30	
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
None.....	327	(NA)	315	(NA)
1 to 49 days.....	56	139	56	126
50 to 99 days.....	14	29	12	23
100 to 149 days.....	8	45	8	28
150 to 199 days.....	6	4	4	38
200 days and over.....	90		76	
Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Farming.....	593	(NA)	570	(NA)
Other.....	82	(NA)	64	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)

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									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....	farms..	666	698	631	635				
\$1,000.....	farms..	18 274	9 299	18 068	9 065				
Average per farm.....	dollars..	27 439	13 321	28 635	14 276				
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	farms..	5	16	1	121				
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	farms..	49	159	40	163				
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	farms..	80	165	130	185				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	farms..	134	191	145	80				
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	farms..	145	167	160	70				
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	farms..	60		60	16				
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	farms..	33		33					
\$70,000 and over.....	farms..								
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	farms..	625	651	603	603				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	853	855	827	798				
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	farms..	461	475	456	458				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	592	584	569	548				
Wheel tractors.....	farms..	891	761	868	723				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	278	255	276	250				
Crawler tractors.....	farms..	601	635	576	588				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	1 667	1 559	1 624	1 464				
Pickup balers.....	farms..	292	404	280	394				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	10		10	11				
Mower conditioners.....	farms..	10		10	14				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	1		1	4				
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	farms..	214	179	214	174				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	220	182	220	177				
Corn heads for combines.....	farms..	37	58	37	57				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	111	389	111	64				
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	farms..	112	419	112	67				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	29	122	29	38				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	farms..	263		263	333				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	270		270	341				
Pickup balers.....	farms..	33		33	84				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	47	(NA)	46	(NA)				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	farms..	47	(NA)	46	(NA)				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	5	(NA)	5	(NA)				
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	farms..	301	323	298	314				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	305	327	302	318				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	farms..	50	92	48	91				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	442	(NA)	439	429				
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	farms..	455	(NA)	452	436				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	119	(NA)	119	133				
Pickup balers.....	farms..	225	(NA)	223	173				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	number..	226	(NA)	224	174				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	farms..	61	(NA)	61	62				
mfd in last 5 years, number..	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.....	1974..	588	(X)	574	(X)	597	(X)	581	(X)	12 797
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	1974..	582	(X)	568	(X)	590	(X)	576	(X)	8 491
Cattle and calves.....	1969..	594	(X)	563	(X)	623	(X)	587	(X)	(NA)
Farms with—	1974..	537	44 575	529	44 467	544	21 908	536	21 836	5 900
1 to 4.....	1969..	559	38 463	542	38 086	575	22 645	558	22 506	4 309
5 to 9.....	1974..	15	32	12	26	36	91	33	83	17
10 to 19.....	1974..	6	50	6	50	54	399	52	383	92
20 to 49.....	1974..	34	470	32	446	139	1 974	136	1 926	469
50 to 99.....	1974..	159	5 397	156	5 319	193	5 810	193	5 810	1 471
100 to 199.....	1974..	171	12 339	171	12 339	82	5 498	82	5 498	1 469
200 to 499.....	1974..	109	14 574	109	14 574	27	3 472	27	3 472	949
500 and over.....	1974..	42	(D)	42	(D)	11	(D)	11	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	1974..	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Beef cows.....	1974..	496	20 185	490	20 141	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	1969..	512	16 565	498	16 381	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	1974..	414	15 890	408	15 848	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969..	1969..	213	3 944	212	3 942	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Inventory, 1974										
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974—		
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows.....	414	15 890	408	15 848	Cattle sold.....		445	17 552	5 227	
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 to 4.....	24	60	21	57	1 to 4.....	41	106	24		
5 to 9.....	25	178	23	164	5 to 9.....	39	277	79		
10 to 19.....	92	1 322	92	1 322	10 to 19.....	120	1 665	466		
20 to 49.....	163	5 123	162	5 098	20 to 49.....	150	4 487	1 311		
50 to 99.....	81	5 344	81	5 344	50 to 99.....	64	4 285	1 254		
100 to 199.....	25	3 022	25	3 022	100 to 199.....	19	2 534	792		
200 to 499.....	4	841	4	841	200 to 499.....	10	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	2	(D)	(D)		
Milk cows.....	156	4 295	155	4 293	Calves sold.....		187	4 284	673	
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 or 2.....	20	27	19	25	1 or 2.....	20	25	3		
3 or 4.....	4	12	4	12	3 or 4.....	14	49	8		
5 to 9.....	7	45	7	45	5 to 9.....	29	209	28		
10 to 19.....	27	404	27	404	10 to 19.....	60	851	134		
20 to 49.....	76	2 294	76	2 294	20 to 49.....	41	1 224	170		
50 to 99.....	19	1 213	19	1 213	50 to 99.....	19	1 303	199		
100 to 199.....	3	300	3	300	100 to 199.....	3	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	—	—	—		

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number Dollars (1,000)				
Heifers and heifer calves.....	1974..	375	9 772	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974..	142	4 809	1 676	
	1969..	461	9 481		1969..	88	3 523	(NA)	
Beef heifers	1974..	306	7 911	Farms with—					
Milk heifers	1974..	103	1 861		1 to 9.....	1974..	20	111	37
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974..	450	14 554		10 to 19.....	1974..	41	536	171
	1969..	498	12 224		20 to 49.....	1974..	50	1 472	504
					50 to 99.....	1974..	23	1 534	533
					100 to 199.....	1974..	7	(D)	(D)
				200 to 499.....	1974..	1	(D)	(D)	
			500 and over.....	1974..	-	-	-		

Table 8. Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Inventory					Sales							
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)			
Hogs and pigs	1974..	235	15 572	233	15 527	271	32 349	269	32 243	2 406		
	1969..	338	22 459	334	22 387	354	36 563	349	36 496	(NA)		
Farms with—												
1 to 4.....	1974..	10	28	10	28	7	20	7	20	2		
5 to 9.....	1974..	11	78	11	78	5	39	5	39	4		
10 to 24.....	1974..	56	899	55	879	29	512	29	512	37		
25 to 49.....	1974..	46	1 575	45	1 550	31	1 131	30	1 101	82		
50 to 99.....	1974..	59	3 918	59	3 918	86	5 937	85	5 861	415		
100 to 199.....	1974..	41	5 299	41	5 299	77	9 984	77	9 984	733		
200 to 499.....	1974..	11	(D)	11	(D)	32	9 267	32	9 267	741		
500 and over.....	1974..	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	5 459	4	5 459	393		
Feeder pigs sold.....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	31	1 726	30	1 686	38		
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	40	3 204	39	3 197	(NA)		
Sheep and lambs	1974..	81	6 063	72	5 637	90	5 917	83	5 581	(NA)		
	1969..	108	7 279	92	6 845	116	6 780	98	6 385	(NA)		
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	75	4 578	137 727		
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	83	(X)	185		
Goats.....	1974..	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	-		
	1969..	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	-		
Horses and ponies.....	1974..	55	210	55	210	6	11	6	11	3		
	1969..	93	249	(NA)	(NA)	8	48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding.....	1974..	179	2 691	Litters of pigs farrowed between— December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....				211	3 675	209	3 655	
	1969..	280	4 647					1969..	293	4 564	288	4 543
Other hogs and pigs.....	1974..	214	12 836					1974..	181	2 269	179	2 258
	1969..	272	17 740					1969..	272	2 926	268	2 914
Lambs under 1 year old.....	1974..	41	2 245	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....				125	1 406	123	1 397	
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	1974..	70	3 256	June 1 and November 30.....				190	1 638	185	1 629	
Rams and wethers.....	1974..	55	136			1969..						

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	Number
Any poultry	1974..	114	(X)	109	(X)	61	(X)
	1969..	(NA)	(X)	172	(X)	(NA)	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	1974..	105	122 933	102	122 858	50	216 466
	1969..	170	134 349	164	133 504	125	217 582
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	1974..	104	37 320	101	37 245	50	26 317
	1969..	166	59 864	160	59 019	121	43 100
Farms with—							
1 to 99.....	1974..	42	1 700	39	1 625	10	536
100 to 399.....	1974..	46	9 650	46	9 650	30	6 143
400 to 1,599.....	1974..	14	7 970	14	7 970	8	4 538
1,600 to 3,199.....	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999.....	1974..	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999.....	1974..	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999.....	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999.....	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over.....	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	1974..	22	2 501	18	2 301	6	1 220
	1969..	1	200	-	-	2	250
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	91	1 368
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)

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	101	37 245	50	26 317	Turkeys	3	63	2	(D)
1969	160	59 019	120	42 862	1969	3	22	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	99	24 085	48	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	1	50	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	3	13 160	2	(D)	1969	1	50	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	(D)	1	(D)	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1969	2	(D)	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding	3	13	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	13	(D)	3	(D)	1969	3	16	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	1974	8	(X)	5	(X)
1974	—	—	—	—	1969	24	(X)	8	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	541	604	70 047	59 036	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	11	39	177	572	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	12	32	290	1 190	2 690	17 785
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	396	366	27 487	9 166	537 490	210 373
Other small grains for grain	553	611	91 543	99 875	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	(NA)	3	(NA)	315	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	516	498	31 937	24 694	44 434	45 063
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	2	1	5	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	—	1	—	1	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	56	(NA)	2 160	92	(X)	(X)

	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)	436	563	42 694	45 991	1 018 699	2 419 005	2	5	285	410
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	408	400	26 952	12 435	120 839	107 473	1	1	50	1
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	10	8	314	179	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	1	50	40	415	1 600	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	10	(NA)	127	532	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	458	435	21 215	16 995	32 354	34 683	—	—	—	—

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	383	42 845	(X)	—	—	14	1 158	14	78	—	—
1969	393	37 148	(X)	—	—	51	1 723	49	136	2	5
Improved pasture	81	7 902	(X)	—	—	1	20	1	1	—	—
1969	82	7 822	(X)	—	—	16	538	16	46	—	—
Corn for all purposes	536	69 960	(X)	2	335	378	52 148	358	2 842	132	1 161
1969	587	58 605	(X)	6	411	383	37 555	372	2 494	73	338
Sorghums for all purposes	11	177	(X)	—	—	9	76	4	3	—	—
1969	39	572	(X)	—	—	9	108	9	9	2	2
Wheat (bushels)	394	27 468	537 220	—	—	264	18 558	260	852	11	145
1969	352	9 016	207 644	—	—	223	6 147	(NA)	310	(NA)	3
Oats (bushels)	491	44 461	1 660 674	—	—	307	27 957	303	1 177	8	26
1969	558	49 516	2 595 697	1	34	324	28 488	(NA)	1 269	(NA)	11
Barley (bushels)	65	3 753	117 528	—	—	44	2 990	44	171	4	56
1969	57	2 060	88 313	—	—	36	1 250	(NA)	80	(NA)	6
Rye (bushels)	101	3 196	88 191	—	—	47	1 746	47	86	—	—
1969	111	3 621	105 748	—	—	37	1 369	(NA)	67	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	412	39 913	(X)	—	—	46	3 885	40	129	7	29
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	12	290	2 690	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	32	1 190	17 785	1	8	6	231	(NA)	11	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	502	31 699	44 097	—	—	89	6 115	87	317	3	19
1969	474	24 307	44 578	—	—	99	4 283	98	287	1	8
Field seed crops	29	440	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	4	87	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	2	3	315	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	6	6	537	—	—	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	5	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....	1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974	28	1 720	(X)	-	2	40	2	1	-	-	-

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					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
.....	farms	548	farms	568	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	4	farms	4
.....	\$1,000	1 698	\$1,000	585	.....	acres on which used	930	.....	599
Commercial fertilizer	farms	495	farms	466	.....	\$1,000	3	.....	(2)
.....	acres on which used	114 840	.....	86 414	Weeds or grass in crops	farms	313	.....	425
.....	\$1,000	7 098	.....	5 280	.....	acres on which used	95 466	.....	92 570
Lime	farms	1 293	farms	468	.....	\$1,000	293	.....	90
.....	acres on which used	3	.....	-	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	32	.....	26
.....	\$1,000	63	.....	-	.....	acres on which used	1 839	.....	1 136
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	75	farms	-	.....	\$1,000	6	.....	2
Insects on hay crops	farms	(2)	farms	-	Weeds on all other land	farms	31	.....	(NA)
.....	acres on which used	49	.....	36	.....	acres on which used	1 247	.....	(NA)
.....	\$1,000	4 147	.....	1 336	.....	\$1,000	4	.....	(NA)
Insects on other crops	farms	14	farms	2	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	farms	3	.....	2
.....	acres on which used	70	.....	51	of crops or thinning of fruit	acres on which used	99	.....	55
.....	\$1,000	16 460	.....	6 772	.....	\$1,000	(2)	.....	(2)
Nematodes in crops	farms	55	farms	11	Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	108	.....	196
.....	acres on which used	-	.....	-	.....	\$1,000	10	.....	10
.....	\$1,000	-	.....	-	Other chemicals (see text)	farms	76	.....	(NA)
					.....	\$1,000	21	.....	(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	farms	2	farms	5	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	percent	0.3	percent	0.7	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	-	.....	(NA)
Total land irrigated	acres	335	acres	468	.....	acres	-	.....	(NA)
Average per farm	acres	167.5	acres	93.6	Other sprinkler systems	farms	-	.....	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	farms	2	farms	5	.....	acres	-	.....	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	acres	335	acres	468	Land in irrigated farms	acres	1 312	.....	3 160
.....	farms	2	.....	5	Cropland	acres	1 223	.....	2 580
Cropland pasture irrigated	acres	335	acres	468	Harvested cropland	acres	1 092	.....	2 030
Other cropland irrigated	farms	-	.....	(NA)	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	farms	-	.....	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	acres	-	.....	-	between 1970 and 1973	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	.....	(X)
.....	farms	-	.....	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	farms	34	.....	61
.....	acres	-	.....	-	Proportion of farms	percent	5.3	.....	9.4
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	217	acre-feet	295	Land in farms with drainage	acres	27 728	.....	36 139
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	0.6	acre-feet	0.6	Land drained	acres	2 355	.....	2 603
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	acres	69.3	.....	42.6
Furrows or ditches	farms	1	.....	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	farms	188	.....	(NA)
.....	acres	135	.....	(NA)	tanks	number	424	.....	(NA)
					.....	acres	190	.....	(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	323	farms	260	farms	214	
.....	\$1,000	10 762	\$1,000	6 711	\$1,000	4 051	
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000		40		36		44	
\$5,000 to \$9,999		52		51		41	
\$10,000 to \$29,999		100		91		83	
\$30,000 to \$49,999		65		53		32	
\$50,000 and over		66		29		14	

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	33	40	45	42	143	263	230	33	73	156
25 to 149 days	73	363	136	817	106	56	304	143	106	56
Less than 25 days	156	29	703	(NA)	56	13	884	45	136	703
Total contract labor	20	29	(NA)	(NA)	13	16				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	24	(NA)	6	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							117	27	50	75
2 workers							40	3	13	26
3 or 4 workers							35	2	5	26
5 to 9 workers							20	1	3	14
10 workers and over							18	-	2	15