

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	499	559	469	510	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms	245 521	249 334	243 753	243 259	Total cropland	474	535	454	503
Average size of farm	492	446	520	477	1 to 9 acres	183 159	206 412	182 312	202 665
Approximate land area	275 392	275 392	275 392	275 392	Harvested cropland	468	515	449	490
Proportion in farms	89.2	90.5	88.5	88.3	1 to 9 acres	156 880	140 314	156 174	139 058
Value of land and buildings	\$53 618	\$36 525	\$53 085	\$34 691	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm	\$107 451	\$65 339	\$113 187	\$68 022	10 to 19 acres	2	2	1	
Average per acre	\$218	\$146	\$218	\$143	20 to 29 acres	8	2	2	
					30 to 49 acres	10	11	7	13
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres	12	14	8	
1 to 9 acres	18	19	12	5	100 to 199 acres	28	47	24	40
10 to 49 acres	21	15	9	8	200 to 499 acres	86	116	85	114
50 to 69 acres	3	4	1	2	500 to 999 acres	241	285	241	285
70 to 99 acres	9	8	7	6	1,000 acres and over	64	33	64	33
100 to 139 acres	11	13	6	10	Cropland used only for pasture	17	5	17	5
140 to 179 acres	34	52	32	42	or grazing	256	348	252	328
180 to 219 acres	12	14	12	10	acres	24 148	35 718	24 023	34 600
220 to 259 acres	29	30	29	28	Other cropland (see text)	36	335	35	(NA)
260 to 499 acres	194	240	193	237	acres	2 131	30 380	2 115	29 007
500 to 999 acres	128	137	128	135	Total woodland	89	84	86	81
1,000 to 1,999 acres	30	24	30	24	1 to 9 acres	1 586	1 299	1 440	1 281
2,000 acres and over	10	3	10	3	10 to 49 acres	447	474	425	(NA)
					50 to 99 acres	60 776	41 623	60 001	39 313
					100 to 199 acres	4	1	3	1
					200 to 499 acres	99	23	95	23
					500 to 999 acres				
					1,000 acres and over				
					Total woodland - Continued				
					Woodland not pastured			67	50
					acres			1 207	656
					Other land			425	(NA)
					acres			60 001	39 313
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture			253	227
					acres			47 675	31 592
					Improved pastureland and rangeland			75	60
					acres			11 217	7 187
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland			190	189
					acres			36 458	24 405
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc.			400	394
					acres			12 326	7 721

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	499	559	469	510	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms	245 521	249 334	243 753	243 259	Partnership	(NA)	(NA)	17	47
Harvested cropland	156 880	140 314	156 174	139 058	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	8 832	24 431
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation	(NA)	(NA)	3	2
Full owners	191	184	163	145	Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	10 397	2 564
Land in farms	53 444	54 451	51 940	50 376	Other	(NA)	(NA)	-	5
Harvested cropland	32 402	26 050	31 790	25 466	acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	12 460
Part owners	228	238	226	234	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms	162 092	143 244	161 828	142 386	Under 25 years	7	17	7	14
Harvested cropland	103 278	81 008	103 184	80 829	25 to 34 years	80	74	74	66
Tenants	80	137	80	131	35 to 44 years	90	131	89	132
Land in farms	29 985	51 639	29 985	50 497	45 to 54 years	153	149	138	135
Harvested cropland	21 200	33 256	21 200	32 763	55 to 64 years	118	116	113	110
Percent of tenancy	16.0	24.5	17.1	25.6	65 years and over	48	64	45	53
					Average age	48.7	47.9	48.6	47.8
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated	367	468	350	440
All farm operators	-	(NA)	-	-	On another farm	27		24	
Land in farms	-	(NA)	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm	1		1	
Harvested cropland	-	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area	22		21	
Full owners	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms	-	(NA)	-	-	None	235	(NA)	232	(NA)
Harvested cropland	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days	26	74	26	70
Part owners	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days	12	23	11	20
Land in farms	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days	4		4	
Harvested cropland	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days	6		7	
Tenants	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over	55	52	46	37
Land in farms	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Harvested cropland	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming	444	(NA)	425	(NA)
Percent of tenancy	-	(NA)	-	-	Other	52	(NA)	41	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Individual or family	(NA)	(NA)	449	456	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	3	(NA)
Land in farms	(NA)	(NA)	224 524	203 804					

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:							
\$100,000 and over.....	21	37	21	37			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	96		96				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	146	118	146	118			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	132	180	132	180			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	57	117	57	117			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	16	57	16	57			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	31	50	1	1			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	8	12	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	3	18	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	4	5	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	16	15	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000.....	17 149	9 897	17 111	9 828			
Average per farm.....dollars	34 366	17 705	36 484	19 269			
Crops, including hay.....farms	370	460	355	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	4 728	1 829	4 715	1 810			
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms	1		1				
\$1,000.....	(Z)		(Z)	(Z)			
Forest products.....farms	2		2				
\$1,000.....	(Z)		(Z)				
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms	462	522	437	488			
\$1,000.....	12 420	8 068	12 396	8 017			
Poultry and poultry products.....farms	104	(NA)	101	187			
\$1,000.....	590	(NA)	587	724			
Specified products sold:							
Crops.....farms					355	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					4 715	1 810	
Grains.....farms					320	420	
\$1,000.....					4 159	1 526	
Tobacco.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....farms					133	178	
\$1,000.....					550	281	
Other field crops.....farms					1	1	
\$1,000.....					3	(Z)	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms					1	1	
\$1,000.....					2	2	
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms	437	488			12 396	8 017	
\$1,000.....					101	187	
Poultry and poultry products.....farms	587	724			63	145	
\$1,000.....					909	842	
Dairy products.....farms	417				417	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	6 786	4 013			6 786	4 013	
Cattle and calves.....farms	272	(NA)			272	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	3 867	2 438			3 867	2 438	
Hogs and pigs.....farms	72				72		
\$1,000.....	200				200		
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Other livestock and livestock products.....farms	5				5		
\$1,000.....	47				47		

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 sold¹	48	(NA)	33	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹	259	(NA)	250	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	739	(NA)	713	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms	46	77	43	71			
\$1,000.....	183	69	160	68			
Recreational services.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Government farm programs.....farms	225	308	220	290			
\$1,000.....	436	545	434	530			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms	44	(NA)	41	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	63	(NA)	62	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources.....farms	20	(NA)	20	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	57	(NA)	57	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹farms	64	(NA)	62	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	205	(NA)	187	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources²							211
\$1,000.....							1 147
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related							21
\$1,000.....							132
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips							112
\$1,000.....							825
Interest, dividends, or royalties							99
\$1,000.....							119
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.							32
\$1,000.....							65
Rent income of nonfarm property							6
\$1,000.....							6

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.....farms	499	559	469	510	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms	437	496	428	480
\$1,000.....	13 464	7 497	13 424	7 415	\$1,000.....	373	251	369	248
Farms with --					Commercial fertilizer purchased.....farms	351	290	349	284
\$1 to \$999.....	16	26		15	\$1,000.....	761	224	761	223
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	12	20	3		Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....farms	268	(NA)	265	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	9	44	6	34	\$1,000.....	226	64	225	63
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	35	85	34	77	Lime.....farms				
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	96	145	95	145	\$1,000.....				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	144		144	142	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....farms	497	559	467	510
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	105	239	105	71	\$1,000.....	986	652	978	638
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	47		47		Gasoline.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	463	500
\$60,000 and over.....	35		35	26	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	610	451
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms	293	363	281	343	Diesel oil.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	248	214
\$1,000.....	2 952	1 705	2 949	1 698	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	199	88
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....farms	419	466	397	440	LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	146	131
\$1,000.....	3 011	1 529	3 001	1 516	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	76	40
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....farms	361	393	342	372	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	467	510
\$1,000.....	1 334	716	1 329	708	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	92	60
Feed ingredients.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	109	104	Hired farm labor.....farms	154	293	153	277
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	445	234	\$1,000.....	223	157	222	155
Whole grains.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	188	229	Contract labor.....farms	12	398	12	27
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 134	535	\$1,000.....	10	183	10	13
Hay, green chop, and silage.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	67	Machine hire and customwork.....farms	298		291	374
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	92	40	\$1,000.....	264		263	168
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	346	(NA)	All other production expenses.....farms	495	549	468	510
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	181	(NA)	\$1,000.....	4 658	2 732	4 464	2 692

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	491	548	462	507	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	158	118	157	118
farms	13 411	6 247	13 057	6 071	number	162	123	161	123
\$1,000	27 313	11 399	28 262	11 975	mfd in last 5 years, number	50	39	49	39
Average per farm					Corn heads for combines	100	332	99	63
Farms by value group:					number	101	370	100	64
\$1 to \$999	—	14	—	107	mfd in last 5 years, number	43	89	42	34
\$1,000 to \$4,999	34	121	31	146	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	215	212	212	283
\$5,000 to \$9,999	68	153	57	66	number	219	215	215	297
\$10,000 to \$19,999	110	161	101	157	mfd in last 5 years, number	27	26	26	54
\$20,000 to \$29,999	114	—	110	66	Mower conditioners	47	(NA)	46	(NA)
\$30,000 to \$49,999	104	99	102	21	number	49	(NA)	48	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	32	—	32	—	mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	5	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	29	—	29	10	Pickup balers	156	152	154	149
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	456	526	427	487	number	158	154	156	151
number	630	693	594	648	mfd in last 5 years, number	30	41	30	41
mfd in last 5 years, number	319	350	307	332	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	313	(NA)	309	300
Motor trucks, including pickups	408	419	385	394	number	328	(NA)	324	309
number	582	516	559	491	mfd in last 5 years, number	70	(NA)	70	62
mfd in last 5 years, number	200	155	198	152	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	181	(NA)	180	163
Wheel tractors	462	498	438	464	number	187	(NA)	186	165
number	1 296	1 287	1 252	1 232	mfd in last 5 years, number	34	(NA)	34	78
mfd in last 5 years, number	174	300	162	293					
Crawler tractors	2	—	2	12					
number	2	—	2	14					
mfd in last 5 years, number	—	—	—	2					

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	452	(X)	428	(X)	462	(X)	437	(X)	12 396
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	445	(X)	422	(X)	451	(X)	431	(X)	10 853
1969	501	(X)	469	(X)	515	(X)	484	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	429	41 543	411	41 281	429	23 542	417	23 477	6 786
1969	486	34 937	462	34 668	496	20 601	476	20 413	4 013
Farms with—									
1 to 4	11	22	5	12	28	66	22	49	11
5 to 9	5	37	4	32	30	212	27	194	50
10 to 19	19	240	15	189	79	1 112	76	1 082	245
20 to 49	123	4 029	116	3 833	184	5 702	184	5 702	1 378
50 to 99	136	9 815	136	9 815	60	3 966	60	3 966	1 047
100 to 199	98	13 167	98	13 167	32	4 154	32	4 154	1 177
200 to 499	28	8 021	28	8 021	10	2 634	10	2 634	970
500 and over	9	6 212	9	6 212	6	5 696	6	5 696	1 908
Cows and heifers that had calved	402	17 490	387	17 370	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	452	15 740	430	15 572	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	367	15 769	356	15 667	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	13 040	380	12 882	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	95	1 721	89	1 703	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	167	2 700	163	2 690	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	63	(X)	909
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	145	(X)	842
Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—					
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Dollars (1,000)	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows	367	15 769	356	15 667	Cattle sold	341	19 662	6 130	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	13	43	10	31	1 to 4	28	73	20	
5 to 9	15	118	14	113	5 to 9	35	239	69	
10 to 19	50	679	43	594	10 to 19	79	1 059	269	
20 to 49	180	5 711	180	5 711	20 to 49	112	3 480	982	
50 to 99	87	5 797	87	5 797	50 to 99	45	3 092	909	
100 to 199	17	2 206	17	2 206	100 to 199	26	3 409	1 004	
200 to 499	5	1 215	5	1 215	200 to 499	10	2 634	970	
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	6	5 676	1 906	
Milk cows	95	1 721	89	1 703	Calves sold	176	3 815	656	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	29	38	25	30	1 or 2	20	33	5	
3 or 4	4	13	4	13	3 or 4	9	30	4	
5 to 9	12	66	10	56	5 to 9	14	106	16	
10 to 19	13	195	13	195	10 to 19	45	619	93	
20 to 49	28	875	28	875	20 to 49	77	2 254	417	
50 to 99	9	534	9	534	50 to 99	9	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	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	311	9 962	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	114	9 291	3 381
1969	380	9 247	1969	51	3 371	(NA)
Beef heifers	279	9 009	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	49	953	1 to 9	9	36	14
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	353	13 949	10 to 19	26	377	126
1969	432	9 849	20 to 49	42	1 415	449
			50 to 99	18	1 263	435
			100 to 199	11	1 325	475
			200 to 499	4	949	356
			500 and over	4	3 926	1 526

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	237	30 002	232	29 918	277	56 643	272	56 475	3 867	
1969	310	28 659	301	28 521	327	49 269	318	48 821	(NA)	
Farms with—										
1 to 4	—	—	—	—	1	3	1	3	(Z)	
5 to 9	4	24	4	24	4	31	4	31	1	
10 to 24	39	680	34	596	18	290	15	228	19	
25 to 49	38	1 371	38	1 371	18	675	17	649	48	
50 to 99	48	3 395	48	3 395	63	4 356	62	4 276	290	
100 to 199	67	9 022	67	9 022	85	12 018	85	12 018	868	
200 to 499	33	8 877	33	8 877	66	19 864	66	19 864	1 434	
500 and over	8	6 633	8	6 633	22	19 406	22	19 406	1 206	
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	60	11 192	57	11 074	270	
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	43	6 099	39	5 759	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs	80	7 590	67	7 276	81	5 862	71	5 654	(NA)	
1969	80	5 177	71	4 875	81	5 616	72	5 391	(NA)	
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	64	4 748	140 986	
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	72	(X)	200	
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—	
1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	2	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	
Horses and ponies	41	106	40	105	2	2	2	2	(Z)	
1969	71	200	(NA)	(NA)	8	11	(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	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	204	4 555	Litters of pigs farrowed between—							
1969	269	5 511	December 1 of preceding year and November 30				235	7 268	232	7 252
Other hogs and pigs	215	25 363	1969				284	7 010	278	6 942
1969	267	23 010	December 1 of preceding year and May 31				225	4 412	224	4 400
Lambs under 1 year old	47	2 422	1969				269	4 122	263	4 090
Ewes 1 year old or older	64	4 622	June 1 and November 30				164	2 856	162	2 852
Rams and wethers	55	232	1969				198	2 888	194	2 852

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	132	(X)	129	(X)	83	(X)	80	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	210	(X)	(NA)	(X)	146	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	125	64 723	122	64 148	78	31 812	75	31 412
1969	213	97 654	203	96 513	143	68 607	141	68 262
Hens and pullets of laying age	123	53 577	121	53 302	77	31 617	75	31 412
1969	204	94 218	194	93 077	135	66 046	133	65 701
Farms with—								
1 to 99	45	1 367	44	1 292	29	1 577	28	1 502
100 to 399	54	12 335	53	12 135	40	8 020	39	7 890
400 to 1,999	21	10 075	21	10 075	5	2 980	5	2 980
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	17	1 959	17	1 959	8	979	7	919
1969	1	225	1	225	3	3 364	2	3 200
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	104	590	101	587
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	187	724

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	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	121	53 302	75	31 412	7	(D)	2	(D)	
1969	194	93 077	133	65 701	4	99	3	75 013	
Hens for table or market egg production	121	53 302	75	31 412	4	(D)	2	(D)	
Hens for hatching egg production	—	—	—	—	3	(D)	2	(D)	
1974	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	—	—	
Pullets 3 months old or older	4	10 570	—	—	3	12	—	—	
1969	6	1 040	1	150	4	37	1	5	
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	10	276	—	—	5	(X)	3	(X)	
1974	1	300	—	—	22	(X)	11	(X)	
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	
	—	—	—	—					
Turkeys	—	—	—	—	1974	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	
Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—	4	(D)	2	(D)	
Heavy breed	—	—	—	—	3	(D)	2	(D)	
Light breed	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	—	—	
Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—	3	12	—	—	
1969	—	—	—	—	4	37	1	5	
1974	—	—	—	—	5	(X)	3	(X)	
1969	—	—	—	—	22	(X)	11	(X)	
Other poultry	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	
1974	—	—	—	—					
1969	—	—	—	—					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	406	475	67 625	60 727	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for all purposes	70	116	3 447	7 299	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1	12	53	301	1 300	4 407
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	18	46	1 503	1 253	33 717	33 592
Other small grains for grain	430	456	62 292	51 456	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	(NA)	5	(NA)	1 014	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	371	384	22 731	19 116	32 891	37 109
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	1	11	21	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	2	2	8	15	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	223	379	(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)	350	449	43 445	50 098	991 737	1 890 754	2	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	295	281	23 650	10 023	102 485	81 848	1	40
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	15	7	366	177	(X)	(X)	—	—
Soybeans for grain (bushels)	31	66	1 922	5 669	44 029	279 113	—	—
Soybeans for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	46	(NA)	1 525	1 550	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	322	315	14 400	12 182	23 457	25 629	—	—

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	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	252	24 023	(X)	1	40	17	951	17	68	—	—
1969	328	34 600	(X)	—	—	25	1 741	25	115	1	9
Improved pasture	75	11 217	(X)	—	—	14	926	14	51	—	—
1969	60	7 187	(X)	—	—	6	588	6	56	—	—
Corn for all purposes	399	67 461	(X)	3	42	157	24 699	126	1 551	53	427
1969	461	60 298	(X)	—	—	102	11 261	88	684	29	166
Soybeans for all purposes	70	3 447	(X)	—	—	20	1 312	17	58	9	17
1969	113	7 219	(X)	—	—	28	3 962	21	179	8	81
Wheat (bushels)	18	1 503	33 717	—	—	14	1 318	13	64	1	12
1969	46	1 253	33 592	—	—	20	782	(NA)	41	(NA)	3
Oats (bushels)	411	55 651	2 565 616	2	2	260	34 911	257	1 955	3	16
1969	438	47 750	1 950 500	—	—	174	16 892	(NA)	996	(NA)	18
Barley (bushels)	64	6 019	235 859	—	—	45	4 793	41	233	4	35
1969	23	2 389	90 163	—	—	8	1 309	(NA)	44	(NA)	19
Rye (bushels)	4	107	3 700	—	—	2	47	2	3	—	—
1969	22	844	22 244	—	—	2	90	(NA)	3	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	4	236	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	1	53	1 300	—	—	1	53	1	3	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	10	293	4 287	—	—	1	13	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	362	22 460	32 611	—	—	35	1 819	34	142	1	1
1969	367	18 780	36 554	—	—	14	804	14	54	—	—
Field seed crops	9	221	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	12	379	(X)	—	—	3	48	3	4	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	5	1 014	1	5	1	5	1	2	—	—
1969	2	3	420	1	3	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	11	(X)	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	(Z)
1969	1	21	(X)	1	21	1	21	1	1	—	—
Land in orchards	1	4	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	1	4	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	15	(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					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	1	(Z)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	386	386	381	381	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	986	986	286	286	Diseases in crops and orchards	2	2	4	4
Lime	349	349	232	232	acres on which used	835	835	283	283
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	71	171	37	526	Weeds or grass in crops	3	3	(Z)	(Z)
Insects on hay crops	4	649	2	473	acres on which used	199	199	247	247
Insects on other crops	761	761	223	223	Weeds or brush in pasture	146	146	45	45
Nematodes in crops	2	2	—	—	acres on which used	15	15	21	21
	60	60	—	—	Weeds on all other land	452	452	1 492	1 492
	60	60	—	—	acres on which used	1	1	1	1
	1	1	—	—	acres on which used	44	44	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	1 138	1 138	(NA)	(NA)
	21	21	7	7	acres on which used	3	3	(NA)	(NA)
	653	653	217	217	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
	2	2	1	1	of crops or thinning of fruit	1	1	4	4
	71	71	38	38	acres on which used	135	135	230	230
	11 195	11 195	6 973	6 973	acres on which used	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
	38	38	9	9	\$1,000	72	72	118	118
	—	—	2	2	\$1,000	7	7	5	5
	—	—	200	200	\$1,000	53	53	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	1	1	\$1,000	25	25	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	—	—	—	—

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	3	3	1	1	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.1	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	95	95	23	23	Other sprinkler systems	3	3	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	31.7	31.7	23.0	23.0	acres	95	95	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	3	3	1	1	Land in irrigated farms	6 748	6 748	(D)	(D)
Harvested cropland irrigated	95	95	23	23	Cropland	4 861	4 861	(D)	(D)
Other cropland irrigated	2	2	1	1	Harvested cropland	4 010	4 010	(D)	(D)
Cropland pasture irrigated	55	55	23	23	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	2	2	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	1	1	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	560	560	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	40	40	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	47	47	78	78
	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	10.0	10.0	15.2	15.2
	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	29 309	29 309	51 523	51 523
	—	—	—	—	Land drained	4 840	4 840	8 123	8 123
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	101	101	46	46	Average per farm	103.0	103.0	104.1	104.1
Average per acre irrigated	1.1	1.1	2.0	2.0	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	—	—	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Farms	166	166	(NA)	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	number	416	416	(NA)	(NA)
	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	acres	275	275	(NA)	(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 with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	203	155	132	132	132	132
	—	7 351	4 469	2 882	2 882	2 882	2 882
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	—	18	13	25	25	25	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	34	27	29	29	29	29
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	66	55	52	52	52	52
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	44	38	13	13	13	13
\$50,000 and over	—	41	22	13	13	13	13

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—	20	16	33	21	124	155	Farms	153	20	36	119
150 days or more	36	271	69	608	50	48	Cash wages paid—\$1,000	222	124	50	48
25 to 149 days	119	27	372	(NA)	10	13	Number of workers	474	33	69	372
Less than 25 days	12	—	(NA)	—	—	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 worker	75	12	21	59
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	14	(NA)	5	(NA)	2 workers	21	5	8	20
	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers	25	3	4	16
	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers	23	—	3	16
	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over	9	—	—	8