

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	1 054	1 208	587	525	Land in Farms According to Use	Total cropland..... farms	1 006	1 132	574	507
Land in farms..... acres	154 739	170 956	123 790	122 329		Total cropland..... acres	99 765	105 453	82 841	80 122
Average size of farm..... acres	147	142	211	233		Harvested cropland..... farms	857	937	54 202	491
Approximate land area..... acres	277 760	277 760	277 760	277 760		Harvested cropland..... acres	58 532	51 073	54 202	43 232
Proportion in farms..... percent	55.7	61.5	44.6	44.0		Farms by acres harvested:				
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000	75 088	44 691	58 623	30 138		1 to 9 acres.....	148	161	38	
Average per farm..... dollars	71 241	36 996	99 868	57 405		10 to 19 acres.....	179	187	54	216
Average per acre..... dollars	485	261	474	246		20 to 29 acres.....	120	142	60	
Farms by size:						30 to 49 acres.....	115	160	100	
1 to 9 acres.....	32	58	10	15		50 to 99 acres.....	143	159	139	148
10 to 49 acres.....	287	290	72	24		100 to 199 acres.....	76	81	76	81
50 to 69 acres.....	121	135	52	20		200 to 499 acres.....	61	42	61	41
70 to 99 acres.....	131	162	66	55		500 to 999 acres.....	14	4	14	4
100 to 139 acres.....	142	186	92	104		1,000 acres and over.....	1	1	1	1
140 to 179 acres.....	83	88	60	58		Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms	711	873	404	411
180 to 219 acres.....	52	77	44	68		Other cropland (see text)..... farms	37 108	44 172	26 022	30 501
220 to 259 acres.....	48	52	42	43		Other cropland (see text)..... acres	173	327	103	(NA)
260 to 499 acres.....	116	115	108	96		Total woodland..... farms	4 125	10 208	2 617	6 389
500 to 999 acres.....	29	33	28	30		Total woodland..... acres	660	864	383	407
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	11	10	11	10	Other land (see text)..... farms	31 439	46 798	21 431	30 644	
2,000 acres and over.....	2	2	2	2	Other land (see text)..... acres	746	862	445	(NA)	
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			23 535	18 705	19 518	11 563	
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			1	3			
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			1	12			
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
Other cropland..... farms			103	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued					
Other cropland..... acres			2 617	6 389	Woodland not pastured..... farms			245	250	
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms			45	73	Woodland not pastured..... acres			11 189	14 910	
Cropland on which all crops failed..... acres			896	2 116	Other land..... farms			445	(NA)	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms			9	11	Other land..... acres			19 518	11 563	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... acres			144	128	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms			150	98	
Cropland idle..... farms			27	30	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... acres			14 514	7 117	
Cropland idle..... acres			570	1 456	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms			98	62	
Total woodland..... farms			41	81	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... acres			8 307	2 995	
Woodland pastured..... farms			1 007	2 689	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms			65	63	
Woodland pastured..... acres			383	407	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... acres			6 207	4 122	
Woodland not pastured..... farms			21 431	30 644	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms			408	376	
Woodland not pastured..... acres			243	246	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. acres			5 004	4 446	
			10 242	15 734						

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	1 054	1 208	587	525	Farms by type of organization—Con.	Partnership..... number	(NA)	(NA)	44	59
Land in farms..... acres	154 739	170 956	123 790	122 329		Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	16 556	21 674
Harvested cropland..... acres	58 532	51 073	54 202	43 232		Corporation..... number	(NA)	(NA)	4	2
						Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	828	400
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Other..... number	(NA)	(NA)	—	3	
Full owners..... number	801	970	383	352	Other..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	—	1 120	
Land in farms..... acres	97 784	119 416	69 752	75 579	Farm operators by age group: ²					
Harvested cropland..... acres	26 155	25 804	22 450	19 481	Under 25 years.....	19	15	16	7	
Part owners..... number	199	200	164	151	25 to 34 years.....	102	136	67	44	
Land in farms..... acres	50 232	46 342	47 642	42 531	35 to 44 years.....	188	261	83	108	
Harvested cropland..... acres	28 579	22 280	28 091	21 058	45 to 54 years.....	269	322	165	165	
Tenants..... number	54	38	40	22	55 to 64 years.....	266	291	146	132	
Land in farms..... acres	6 723	5 198	6 396	4 219	65 years and over.....	206	183	106	69	
Harvested cropland..... acres	3 798	2 989	3 661	2 693	Average age.....	52.0	50.5	51.4	50.7	
Percent of tenancy.....	5.1	3.1	6.8	4.1	Farm operators by place of residence: ²					
Black and other races, see text—					On farm operated.....	718	863	418	416	
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On another farm.....	45	175	19	58	
All farm operators..... number	5	2	1	—	In a rural area, not on a farm	17		11		
Land in farms..... acres	365	156	153	—	In a city, town, or urban area	67		32		
Harvested cropland..... acres	53	—	49	—	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²					
Full owners..... number	4	2	—	—	None.....	288	(NA)	205	(NA)	
Land in farms..... acres	212	156	—	—	1 to 49 days.....	51	109	23	67	
Harvested cropland..... acres	4	—	—	—	50 to 99 days.....	41	52	23	22	
Part owners..... number	1	—	1	—	100 to 149 days.....	36	96	25	38	
Land in farms..... acres	153	—	153	—	150 to 199 days.....	49	200	23	—	
Harvested cropland..... acres	49	—	49	—	200 days and over.....	423	565	167	153	
Tenants..... number	—	—	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²					
Land in farms..... acres	—	—	—	—	Farming.....	489	(NA)	360	(NA)	
Harvested cropland..... acres	—	—	—	—	Other.....	561	(NA)	223	(NA)	
Percent of tenancy.....	—	—	—	—	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	12	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	66	(NA)	
Individual or family..... number	(NA)	(NA)	539	461						
Land in farms..... acres	(NA)	(NA)	106 406	99 135						

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	22	23	22	23			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	47		47				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	93	53	93	53			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	116	83	116	83			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	151	173	151	173			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	147	180	147	179			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	478	696	11	14			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	86	79	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	72	89	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	102	136	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	218	392	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	13 374	6 777	12 841	6 072			
Average per farm dollars	12 689	5 609	21 876	11 566			
Crops, including hay							
farms	620	689	457	(NA)			
\$1,000	6 485	1 917	6 311	1 481			
Nursery and greenhouse products	12		7	5			
\$1,000	556		546	226			
Forest products							
farms	37	52	28	39			
\$1,000	55	71	51	68			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	846	984	497	499			
\$1,000	6 278	4 789	5 934	4 298			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	34	(NA)	25	24			
\$1,000	250	(NA)	249	210			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	farms	457	(NA)				
\$1,000	6 311	1 481					
Grains	farms	425	336				
\$1,000	5 824	1 259					
Tobacco	farms	16	26				
\$1,000	29	29					
Cotton and cottonseed	farms	-	7				
\$1,000	-	6					
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms	110	133				
\$1,000	186	127					
Other field crops	farms	10	21				
\$1,000	251	30					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	12	11				
\$1,000	19	23					
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	2	7				
\$1,000	-	-					
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	497	499					
\$1,000	5 934	4 298					
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	25	24					
\$1,000	249	210					
Dairy products							
farms	117	153					
\$1,000	2 774	1 534					
Cattle and calves							
farms	460	(NA)					
\$1,000	1 734	1 504					
Hogs and pigs							
farms	203	(NA)					
\$1,000	1 036	1 051					
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms	10						
\$1,000	6						
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms	34						
\$1,000	134						

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	513	(NA)	160	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	366
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms	(NA)	163	(NA)	\$1,000	3 212
Customwork and other agricultural services	\$1,000	(NA)	306	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	73
farms	81	118	66	86	\$1,000	788
\$1,000	137	77	124	70	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	241
Recreational services	farms	7	4	7	\$1,000	1 935
\$1,000	61	7	61	6	Interest, dividends, or royalties	131
Government farm programs	farms	119	406	66	\$1,000	180
\$1,000	28	377	18	269	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	77
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms	86	(NA)	48	\$1,000	229
\$1,000	126	(NA)	89	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	29
Other farm-related sources	farms	27	(NA)	19	\$1,000	80
\$1,000	20	(NA)	15	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms	83	(NA)	51		
\$1,000	134	(NA)	118	(NA)		

¹ See text. ² 1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969		
Total farm production expenses	farms	1 051	1 208	587	525						
\$1,000	9 752	5 438	9 097	4 603	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms	602	728	424	415	
Farms with—					\$1,000	540	203	523	175		
\$1 to \$999	255	402	18	46	Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms	795	930	483	461	
\$1,000 to \$1,999	175	221	57		\$1,000	2 012	708	1 922	609		
\$2,000 to \$2,999	127	166	66	94	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms	407	(NA)	293	(NA)	
\$3,000 to \$4,999	131	173	93	145	\$1,000	261	121	249	100		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	178	131	168	126	Lime	farms	(NA)	301	93		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	87		87	69	\$1,000	(NA)	54	43	42		
\$20,000 to \$39,999	49		49	30	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms	975	1 135	570	521	
\$40,000 to \$59,999	13	115	13		\$1,000	565	326	511	243		
\$60,000 and over	36		36	15	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	476	476		
Livestock and poultry purchased					(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	243	147		
farms	398	593	222	280	Diesel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	372	247	
\$1,000	922	679	810	551	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	184	64		
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					LP gas, butane, and propane	farms	(NA)	(NA)	36	56	
farms	785	909	424	446	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	7		
\$1,000	1 668	1 059	1 517	907	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	570	521	
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms	524	553	336	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	68	26		
\$1,000	906	599	856	556	Hired farm labor	farms	289	545	200	321	
(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	142	116	\$1,000	506	345	495	299		
Feed ingredients	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	305	117	Contract labor	farms	53	655	47	43
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	193	175	\$1,000	91	281	90	24		
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	297	190	Machine hire and customwork	farms	443		300	342	
(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	61	73	\$1,000	261		234	200		
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	59	45	farms	952	957	582	519		
(NA)	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	2 926	1 717	2 689	1 495		
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms	(NA)	(NA)	286	(NA)						
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	(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..... farms.....	953	1 124	533	513	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	157	112	152	107
..... \$1,000.....	13 652	6 917	10 944	5 051	..... number.....	163	119	158	114
Average per farm..... dollars.....	14 326	6 154	20 533	9 845	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	71	82	71	80
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	127	241	125	79
\$1 to \$999.....	9	140	2	188	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	62	146	62	59
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	264	563	99	170	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	168	153	147	147
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	323	250	114	83	..... number.....	169	154	149	149
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	142	91	114	83	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	23	22	22	67
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	89	80	79	38	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	122	(NA)	93	(NA)
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	84	80	83	26	..... number.....	129	(NA)	99	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	23	80	23	8	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	48	(NA)	39	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	19	80	19	8	Pickup balers..... farms.....	204	216	173	179
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	700	824	400	390	..... number.....	208	223	177	184
..... number.....	864	1 039	518	484	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	66	118	61	100
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	509	574	298	315	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	57	(NA)	51	54
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	816	854	461	446	..... number.....	59	(NA)	53	54
..... number.....	1 089	1 030	720	581	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22	(NA)	21	32
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	397	531	295	288	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	43	(NA)	43	31
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	790	846	451	445	..... number.....	45	(NA)	45	34
..... number.....	1 231	1 193	854	713	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22	(NA)	22	17
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	279	520	250	356					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	23	19	17	19					
..... number.....	25	18	18	21					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	3	3	4					

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.....	861	(X)	493	(X)	846	(X)	497	(X)	5 934
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	842	(X)	483	(X)	830	(X)	491	(X)	2 776
..... 1969.....	977	(X)	485	(X)	968	(X)	495	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	812	34 356	457	27 478	778	11 616	460	9 503	1 734
..... 1969.....	887	29 729	451	23 745	835	14 134	456	11 378	1 504
Farms with —									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	42	124	17	47	199	502	65	163	32
5 to 9..... 1974.....	98	681	26	180	197	1 340	93	651	112
10 to 19..... 1974.....	176	2 489	70	1 021	198	2 730	122	1 745	330
20 to 49..... 1974.....	299	9 271	160	5 255	147	4 382	143	4 282	786
50 to 99..... 1974.....	116	7 764	103	6 948	33	2 231	33	2 231	396
100 to 199..... 1974.....	64	8 124	64	8 124	4	431	4	431	78
200 to 499..... 1974.....	15	(D)	15	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over..... 1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	711	17 801	427	14 232	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	756	14 363	411	11 531	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	607	13 180	344	9 789	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	9 866	333	7 486	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	230	4 621	171	4 443	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	309	4 497	184	4 045	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	117	(X)	2 774
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	153	(X)	1 534
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Beef cows.....	607	13 180	344	9 789	Cattle sold.....				
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4.....	74	184	35	80	1 to 4.....				
5 to 9.....	110	753	36	252	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	181	2 436	80	1 074	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	188	5 484	141	4 160	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	47	2 910	45	2 810	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	4	513	4	513	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499.....				
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....				
Milk cows.....	230	4 621	171	4 443	Calves sold.....				
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2.....	75	109	43	67	1 or 2.....				
3 or 4.....	30	101	15	54	3 or 4.....				
5 to 9.....	31	194	24	156	5 to 9.....				
10 to 19.....	34	455	29	404	10 to 19.....				
20 to 49.....	31	940	31	940	20 to 49.....				
50 to 99.....	20	1 398	20	1 398	50 to 99.....				
100 to 199.....	7	(D)	7	(D)	100 to 199.....				
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	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	1974.....	327	6 580	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates			
	1969.....	374	6 521	1974.....	65	1 084	299
				1969.....	24	714	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974.....	275	4 474	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	1974.....	90	2 106	1 to 9.....	36	175	42
				10 to 19.....	15	211	60
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974.....	349	6 666	20 to 49.....	7	174	49
	1969.....	385	5 693	50 to 99.....	6	(D)	(D)
				100 to 199.....	1	(D)	(D)
				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	1974.....	294	10 703	205	9 909	285	19 805	203	17 632	1 036
	1969.....	498	17 199	287	13 688	509	31 630	297	25 494	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974.....	71	193	33	90	15	38	5	12	1
5 to 9	1974.....	51	348	31	217	21	153	9	66	4
10 to 24	1974.....	71	1 094	45	727	59	1 026	36	651	36
25 to 49	1974.....	41	1 444	37	1 307	72	2 466	49	1 718	96
50 to 99	1974.....	33	2 285	32	2 229	68	4 751	55	3 916	221
100 to 199	1974.....	20	2 684	20	2 684	32	4 161	31	4 059	218
200 to 499	1974.....	6	(D)	6	(D)	16	(D)	16	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	127	7 898	82	6 412	128
	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	257	10 761	117	6 696	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974.....	14	338	10	284	12	234	10	210	(NA)
	1969.....	34	929	21	711	34	730	23	570	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	10	235	1 314
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	10	(X)	6
Goats	1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	7	144	(NA)	(NA)	2	11	(Z)
	1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	26	425	(NA)	(NA)	4	40	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974.....	147	543	79	382	28	616	21	607	91
	1969.....	211	682	(NA)	(NA)	42	204	(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	1974.....	154	1 502	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
	1969.....	232	2 360	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....				
Other hogs and pigs	1974.....	173	8 407	1969.....	237	2 240	167	1 946
	1969.....	248	11 328	1969.....	441	3 673	251	2 802
Lambs under 1 year old	1974.....	4	38	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	216	1 254	153	1 074
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974.....	10	232	1969.....	405	1 980	235	1 504
Rams and wethers	1974.....	10	14	June 1 and November 30.....	178	986	138	872
				1969.....	362	1 693	215	1 298

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	1974.....	195	(X)	104	(X)	21	(X)	17	(X)
	1969.....	(NA)	(X)	124	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974.....	182	4 860	95	3 018	13	73 844	9	(D)
	1969.....	267	22 410	114	18 604	17	5 259	8	5 131
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974.....	174	4 436	91	2 824	10	(D)	6	(D)
	1969.....	255	21 722	113	18 433	17	5 259	8	5 131
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974.....	170	3 578	89	2 196	8	92	4	51
100 to 399	1974.....	3	358	1	128	1	250	1	250
400 to 1,599	1974.....	1	500	1	500	-	-	-	-
1,600 to 3,199	1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	1974.....	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over	1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974.....	18	17 465	8	17 258	8	131 113	8	131 113
	1969.....	8	36 520	4	36 482	4	234 907	4	234 907
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	34	250	25	249
	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	24	210

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..	91	2 824	6	(D)	Turkeys.....1974..	2	21	1	250
.....1969..	113	18 433	8	5 131	.....1969..	3	19	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	90	2 669	6	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	2	18	1	250
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	5	155	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974..	2	13	1	250
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	5	49	1	(D)	Light breed.....1974..	1	5	-	-
.....1969..	3	16	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	1	3	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	42	145	2	2	.....1969..	1	2	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	1	(D)	-	-	Other poultry.....1974..	9	(X)	-	(X)
					.....1969..	18	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	546	567	22 875	19 427	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	22	9	352	207	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	361	324	20 466	13 156	423 662	299 780
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	1	2	1	2	300	200
Wheat (bushels).....	176	160	7 509	3 711	193 006	122 546
Other small grains for grain.....	26	98	465	1 902	-	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	11	-	114	-	77
Tobacco (pounds).....	18	40	14	51	29 666	100 470
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	23	(NA)	294	(NA)	28 764	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	10	(NA)	5	(NA)	779	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	562	601	11 807	13 024	21 404	21 361
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	19	26	57	196	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	4	13	28	21	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	4	18	9	66	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	23	(NA)	739	740	(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).....	398	342	19 905	15 558	1 351 951	816 387	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	68	64	1 803	1 297	28 858	16 417	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	4	6	44	61	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	7	7	66	197	2 825	14 441	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	9	(NA)	218	-	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	51	29	796	533	2 131	1 180	-	-

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.....1974..	404	26 022	(X)	-	-	140	7 268	133	997	10	26
.....1969..	411	30 501	(X)	-	-	219	9 649	211	1 750	12	41
Improved pasture.....1974..	98	8 307	(X)	-	-	31	2 042	29	347	6	88
.....1969..	62	2 995	(X)	-	-	26	1 366	25	243	2	6
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	408	21 752	(X)	-	-	334	19 194	304	4 856	115	1 049
.....1969..	361	16 916	(X)	-	-	266	12 579	250	3 271	89	686
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	16	284	(X)	-	-	10	144	9	25	1	2
.....1969..	7	197	(X)	-	-	6	137	5	32	1	10
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	166	7 430	191 024	-	-	130	5 785	112	872	48	237
.....1969..	139	3 387	115 473	-	-	111	2 576	(NA)	440	(NA)	63
Oats (bushels).....1974..	6	57	2 020	-	-	6	57	5	4	4	3
.....1969..	64	1 170	60 413	-	-	53	1 041	(NA)	171	(NA)	33
Barley (bushels).....1974..	13	132	3 982	-	-	6	61	6	9	-	-
.....1969..	11	231	11 696	-	-	10	212	(NA)	48	(NA)	6
Rye (bushels).....1974..	1	12	240	-	-	1	12	1	3	-	-
.....1969..	7	114	1 608	-	-	4	76	(NA)	11	(NA)	1
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	7	264	(X)	-	-	6	224	5	26	1	3
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	314	20 029	415 223	-	-	171	11 611	164	1 155	7	61
.....1969..	218	11 661	268 038	-	-	123	6 977	(NA)	768	(NA)	18
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	1	1	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	352	9 108	17 661	-	-	132	3 294	126	640	15	54
.....1969..	328	9 599	16 929	-	-	146	3 522	143	627	6	14
Field seed crops.....1974..	7	99	(X)	-	-	2	31	2	4	-	-
.....1969..	12	159	(X)	-	-	5	62	5	11	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	6	81	63	-	-	4	77	(NA)	9	(NA)	15
.....1969..	16	13	28 516	-	-	16	13	15	11	1	1
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	29	25	49 196	1	1	29	25	(NA)	25	(NA)	-
.....1969..	16	292	28 586	-	-	11	285	11	304	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	29	153	13 490	-	-	21	152	(NA)	102	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	15	55	(X)	-	-	8	19	8	8	-	-
.....1969..	12	141	(X)	-	-	9	131	9	57	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974..	4	12	(X)	-	-	1	5	1	(Z)	-	-
.....1969..	3	3	(X)	-	-	1	1	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	1	3	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1969	4	56	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nursery and greenhouse products	7	555	(X)	-	-	2	245	2	65	-	
1969	5	321	(X)	-	-	2	249	2	61	-	
Other crops	6	85	(X)	-	-	2	81	3	9	-	

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	489		475		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
\$1,000	2	171	709		Diseases in crops and orchards	2		1	
Commercial fertilizer	483		412		acres on which used	15		54	
acres on which used	50	376	39	133	\$1,000	(Z)		(Z)	
\$1,000	10	858	8	577	Weeds or grass in crops	164		170	
Lime	1	922	609		acres on which used	16	479	9	104
acres on which used	4	391	6	177	\$1,000	134		40	
tons	8	554	12	446	Weeds or brush in pasture	2		22	
\$1,000		43	42		acres on which used	20		706	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					\$1,000	(Z)		1	
Insects on hay crops	27		9		Weeds on all other land	17		(NA)	
acres on which used	470		116		acres on which used	212		(NA)	
\$1,000	3		(Z)		\$1,000	1		(NA)	
Insects on other crops	68		45		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
acres on which used	5	457	2	559	of crops or thinning of fruit	4		4	
\$1,000	48		8		acres on which used	58		299	
Nematodes in crops	1		-		\$1,000	(Z)		2	
acres on which used	25		-		Insect control on livestock and poultry	51		120	
\$1,000	(Z)		-		\$1,000	4		5	
					Other chemicals (see text)	54		(NA)	
					\$1,000	15		(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	-		-		Land irrigated by— Continued				
Proportion of farms	-		-		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	-		-		acres	-		(NA)	
Average per farm	-		-		Other sprinkler systems	-		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	-		-		acres	-		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	-		-		Land in irrigated farms	-		-	
acres	-		-		Cropland	-		-	
Cropland pasture irrigated	-		-		Harvested cropland	-		-	
Other cropland irrigated	-		(NA)		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-		-		between 1970 and 1973	-		(X)	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	-		-		acres irrigated in most recent year	-		(X)	
Average per acre irrigated	-		-		Farms with artificial drainage	19		15	
Land irrigated by—					Proportion of farms	3.2		2.8	
Furrows or ditches	-		(NA)		Land in farms with drainage	6	093	3	366
acres	-		(NA)		Land drained	538		345	
					Average per farm	28.3		23.0	
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	231		(NA)	
					number	748		(NA)	
					acres	265		(NA)	

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) <th colspan="2">Total operator debt</th> <th colspan="2">Secured by real estate</th> <th colspan="2">Not secured by real estate</th>	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
	194	5 980	143	4 248	113	1 732
Farms by size of debt owed:						
Under \$5,000	30		18		35	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29		30		31	
\$10,000 to \$29,999	75		49		32	
\$30,000 to \$49,999	29		28		6	
\$50,000 and over	31		18		9	

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	43	47	79	78	311	299	200	43	48	161
25 to 149 days	48	296	146	961	120		495	311	120	64
Less than 25 days	161		869	(NA)	90	24	1 094	79	146	869
Total contract labor	47	43	(NA)	(NA)						
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	19	(NA)	151	(NA)	61	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							50	28	21	34
2 workers							35	11	13	28
3 or 4 workers							48	2	8	45
5 to 9 workers							38	1	5	30
10 workers and over							29	1	1	24