

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.....	1 193	1 495	697	638	Land in Farms According to Use					
Land in farms..... acres.....	190 043	213 006	147 811	132 900		Total cropland..... farms.....	1 131	1 427	677	617
Average size of farm..... acres.....	159	142	212	208		acres.....	101 465	106 597	83 595	72 433
Approximate land area..... acres.....	329 280	329 280	329 280	329 280		Harvested cropland..... farms.....	1 007	1 253	652	591
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	57.7	64.7	44.9	40.4		acres.....	51 918	41 936	46 897	32 575
Value of land and buildings...\$1,000.....	59 643	36 047	46 697	24 130		Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	49 994	24 111	66 997	37 820		1 to 9 acres.....	123	329	18	} 342
Average per acre..... dollars.....	314	169	316	182		10 to 19 acres.....	224	278	66	
Farms by size:						20 to 29 acres.....	162	186	99	
1 to 9 acres.....	61	80	16	14		30 to 49 acres.....	191	196	164	
10 to 49 acres.....	197	257	49	44	50 to 99 acres.....	168	191	166	176	
50 to 69 acres.....	122	158	52	47	100 to 199 acres.....	98	61	98	61	
70 to 99 acres.....	153	233	82	65	200 to 499 acres.....	38	11	38	11	
100 to 139 acres.....	179	213	100	89	500 to 999 acres.....	3	1	3	1	
140 to 179 acres.....	153	169	122	96	1,000 acres and over.....	-	-	-	-	
180 to 219 acres.....	70	104	51	62	Cropland used only for pasture					
220 to 259 acres.....	55	83	48	59	or grazing..... farms.....	731	805	449	430	
260 to 499 acres.....	154	153	131	120	acres.....	35 678	34 231	26 473	24 353	
500 to 999 acres.....	37	41	34	38	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	427	843	277	(NA)	
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	11	3	11	3	acres.....	13 869	30 430	10 225	15 505	
2,000 acres and over.....	1	1	1	1	Total woodland..... farms.....	841	1 051	516	498	
					acres.....	59 709	71 049	44 351	42 922	
					Other land (see text)..... farms.....	936	1 148	561	(NA)	
					acres.....	28 869	35 360	19 865	17 545	
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	-	7	-	7	
					acres.....	-	156	-	156	

	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		
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969	
Other cropland..... farms.....	277	(NA)	277	(NA)	Total woodland—Continued					
acres.....	10 225	15 505	10 225	15 505		Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			393	363
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....	120	240	120	240		acres.....			31 554	28 950
acres.....	2 496	7 907	2 496	7 907		Other land..... farms.....			561	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....	73	34	73	34		acres.....			19 865	17 545
acres.....	2 044	589	2 044	589	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			222	204	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....	38	52	38	52	acres.....			11 638	8 806	
acres.....	1 299	1 824	1 299	1 824	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			161	141	
Cropland idle..... farms.....	131	172	131	172	acres.....			8 486	4 891	
acres.....	4 386	5 185	4 386	5 185	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			99	119	
Total woodland..... farms.....	516	498	516	498	acres.....			3 152	3 915	
acres.....	44 351	42 922	44 351	42 922	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....			521	441	
Woodland pastured..... farms.....	320	316	320	316	acres.....			8 227	8 739	
acres.....	12 797	13 972	12 797	13 972						

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.....	1 193	1 495	697	638	Farms by type of organization—Con.					
Land in farms..... acres.....	190 043	213 006	147 811	132 900		Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	66	98
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	51 918	41 936	46 897	32 575		Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	22 781
Farms by tenure of farm operator:						Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	5
Full owners..... number.....	856	1 074	451	405		Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	3 375
Land in farms..... acres.....	118 790	150 673	82 266	81 995		Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	4
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	23 956	22 413	20 044	16 175		acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	963
Part owners..... number.....	255	284	198	172		Farm operators by age group: ¹				
Land in farms..... acres.....	62 367	51 882	58 488	43 371		Under 25 years.....	32	45	19	13
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	23 654	15 168	22 969	13 158		25 to 34 years.....	138	179	67	83
Tenants..... number.....	82	137	48	61		35 to 44 years.....	169	274	103	127
Land in farms..... acres.....	8 886	10 451	7 057	7 534		45 to 54 years.....	302	335	185	183
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	4 308	4 355	3 884	3 242		55 to 64 years.....	308	385	189	172
Percent of tenancy.....	6.9	9.1	6.9	9.5		65 years and over.....	242	277	132	60
						Average age.....	51.9	51.0	52.1	49.3
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²					
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	737	1 074	467	515	
All farm operators..... number.....	51	71	20	16	On another farm.....	64		28		
Land in farms..... acres.....	4 954	5 844	2 650	1 899	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	54	227	31	60	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	1 533	1 144	1 156	620	In a city, town, or urban area.....	77		42		
Full owners..... number.....	43	46	15	6	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²					
Land in farms..... acres.....	3 914	3 797	1 758	710	None.....	335	(NA)	223	(NA)	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	757	712	418	434	1 to 49 days.....	76	186	37	79	
Part owners..... number.....	7	12	4	5	50 to 99 days.....	53	80	27	35	
Land in farms..... acres.....	997	1 630	849	925	100 to 149 days.....	41	27	27	34	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	733	205	695	82	150 to 199 days.....	55	175	34	66	
Tenants..... number.....	1	13	1	5	200 days and over.....	391	532	158	176	
Land in farms..... acres.....	43	417	43	264	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	43	227	43	104	Farming.....	607	(NA)	456	(NA)	
Percent of tenancy.....	2.0	18.3	5.0	31.2	Other.....	584	(NA)	239	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)	
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	629	531	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	79	(NA)	
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	127 046	105 781						

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.....	4	4	4	4	Crops..... farms.....	540	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	46	42	46	42	\$1,000.....	4 065	1 419
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	68	42	68	42	farms.....	455	315
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	148	115	148	115	\$1,000.....	3 100	570
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	208	207	208	207	farms.....	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	215	247	215	247	\$1,000.....	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	504	880	8	23	farms.....	168	408
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	84	106	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	709	717
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	108	113	(X)	(X)	farms.....	115	106
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	105	146	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	235	82
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	207	515	(X)	(X)	farms.....	1	11
					\$1,000.....	1	6
Market value of agricultural products sold					farms.....	12	28
\$1,000.....	10 097	6 162	9 506	5 361	\$1,000.....	20	26
Average per farm..... dollars.....	8 463	4 122	13 639	8 402	farms.....	2	4
					\$1,000.....	(Z)	18
Crops, including hay..... farms.....	785	1 108	540	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	564	568
\$1,000.....	4 321	1 863	4 065	1 419	\$1,000.....	5 250	3 826
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms.....	-	-	-	-	farms.....	21	25
\$1,000.....	-	-	-	-	\$1,000.....	4	4
Forest products..... farms.....	93	116	73	80	farms.....	15	26
\$1,000.....	198	132	192	115	\$1,000.....	193	283
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	893	982	564	568	farms.....	433	(NA)
\$1,000.....	5 579	4 167	5 250	3 826	\$1,000.....	1 643	1 185
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	42	(NA)	21	25	farms.....	380	(NA)
\$1,000.....	8	(NA)	4	4	\$1,000.....	3 388	2 354
					farms.....	-	-
					\$1,000.....	-	-
					farms.....	27	21
					\$1,000.....	21	21

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	548	(NA)	204	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ² farms.....	446	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ farms.....	414	(NA)	270	(NA)	\$1,000.....	3 769	
\$1,000.....	561	(NA)	469	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related..... farms.....	99	
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms.....	105	124	83	90	\$1,000.....	1 037	
\$1,000.....	136	155	121	146	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	284	
Recreational services..... farms.....	6	8	4	5	\$1,000.....	2 255	
\$1,000.....	5	10	5	8	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	117	
Government farm programs..... farms.....	271	929	183	441	\$1,000.....	175	
\$1,000.....	243	1 200	209	776	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms.....	80	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms.....	94	(NA)	49	(NA)	\$1,000.....	210	
\$1,000.....	148	(NA)	108	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms.....	43	
Other farm-related sources..... farms.....	27	(NA)	22	(NA)	\$1,000.....	93	
\$1,000.....	29	(NA)	26	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ farms.....	121	(NA)	85	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	98	(NA)	79	(NA)			

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.....	1 192	1 495	697	638	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms.....	783	1 167	549	573
\$1,000.....	7 964	5 014	7 323	4 176	\$1,000.....	260	1 555	237	119
Farms with.....					Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms.....	950	1 287	590	590
\$1 to \$999.....	282	550	35	81	\$1,000.....	1 305	670	1 179	529
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	215	301	52		Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms.....	484	(NA)	374	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	144	169	91	104	\$1,000.....	246	146	234	117
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	162	177	140	160	farms.....	(NA)	389	82	245
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	184	190	174	185	\$1,000.....	(NA)	52	28	41
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	127		127	86	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms.....	1 138	1 451	674	636
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	50		50	20	\$1,000.....	467	370	397	273
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	19	108	19		farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	536	606
\$60,000 and over.....	9		9	2	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	192	201
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	431	584	280	348	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	350	153
\$1,000.....	1 094	599	1 032	514	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	130	27
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	878	928	512	527	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	5	50
\$1,000.....	2 109	1 193	1 948	1 076	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	16
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms.....	703	697	469	473	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	674	633
\$1,000.....	1 381	676	1 310	623	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	70	30
Feed ingredients..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	99	86	Hired farm labor..... farms.....	298	667	197	325
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	46	59	\$1,000.....	220	257	203	192
Whole grains..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	244	271	farms.....	35	759	24	43
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	552	374	\$1,000.....	27	333	17	28
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	53	52	farms.....	473	347	330	411
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	39	20	\$1,000.....	347	347	315	237
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	296	(NA)	farms.....	1 067	1 122	695	623
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	38	(NA)	\$1,000.....	1 888	1 290	1 723	1 090

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	1 099	1 406	636	619	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	144	68	139	52
\$1,000	12 958	6 960	9 748	4 668	number	147	71	142	55
Average per farm	11 791	4 950	15 327	7 541	mfd in last 5 years, number	40	49	40	40
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines	76	227	76	47
\$1 to \$999	11	153	1	282	number	78	241	78	49
\$1,000 to \$4,999	259	801	107		mfd in last 5 years, number	12	115	12	31
\$5,000 to \$9,999	378	294	156	202	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	191		166	137
\$10,000 to \$19,999	271	104	198	83	number	191		166	139
\$20,000 to \$29,999	86		84	29	mfd in last 5 years, number	19		19	71
\$30,000 to \$49,999	77		73	19	Mower conditioners	104	(NA)	84	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	15	54	15		number	111	(NA)	88	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	2		2	4	mfd in last 5 years, number	37	(NA)	27	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers	170	120	137	99
Automobiles	793	872	460	419	number	175	122	142	100
number	992	1 056	596	525	mfd in last 5 years, number	52	62	43	55
mfd in last 5 years, number	526	592	298	317	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	73	(NA)	55	40
Motor trucks, including pickups	906	1 004	539	511	number	74	(NA)	55	41
number	1 146	1 186	763	651	mfd in last 5 years, number	22	(NA)	16	22
mfd in last 5 years, number	369	613	285	364	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	11	(NA)	10	9
Wheel tractors	979	1 198	574	575	number	12	(NA)	10	9
number	1 451	1 697	1 007	941	mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	4
mfd in last 5 years, number	337	626	290	414					
Crawler tractors	22		16	18					
number	22		16	24					
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		4	10					

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	918	(X)	557	(X)	893	(X)	564	(X)	5 250
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	894	(X)	549	(X)	882	(X)	561	(X)	5 031
Cattle and calves	1 004	(X)	559	(X)	955	(X)	564	(X)	1 643
1969	738	27 289	450	21 816	676	11 232	433	9 700	1 643
1969	723	16 687	411	13 312	644	9 433	402	7 798	1 185
Farms with—									
1 to 4	60	168	22	62	184	425	77	183	30
5 to 9	80	565	25	172	174	1 226	96	677	103
10 to 19	173	2 452	87	1 292	167	2 208	115	1 603	256
20 to 49	258	7 838	168	5 231	123	3 490	117	3 354	590
50 to 99	116	7 548	97	6 341	17	1 020	17	1 020	151
100 to 199	40	5 178	40	5 178	8	1 200	8	1 200	240
200 to 499	11	3 540	11	3 540	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	-	-	-	-	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	634	13 988	412	11 359	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	630	8 590	376	6 908	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	592	13 490	401	10 985	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	7 746	333	6 199	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	123	498	76	374	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	184	844	112	709	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	193
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	283
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	Farms	Number
Beef cows	592	13 490	401	10 985	Cattle sold	310	5 828	1 146	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	49	137	25	63	1 to 4	94	214	45	
5 to 9	113	759	63	431	5 to 9	76	511	98	
10 to 19	190	2 617	111	1 569	10 to 19	75	1 017	197	
20 to 49	180	5 223	143	4 218	20 to 49	51	1 473	312	
50 to 99	47	2 926	46	2 876	50 to 99	6	404	76	
100 to 199	11	(D)	11	(D)	100 to 199	6	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499	-	-	-	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	2	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	123	498	76	374	Calves sold	314	3 872	497	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	83	103	58	71	1 or 2	39	58	7	
3 or 4	19	66	3	9	3 or 4	45	153	21	
5 to 9	12	77	6	42	5 to 9	99	655	87	
10 to 19	4	61	4	61	10 to 19	73	980	126	
20 to 49	3	(D)	3	(D)	20 to 49	51	1 463	181	
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	5	(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	1974..	290	4 628	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974..	42	782	215
	1969..	335	3 393		1969..	12	199	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974..	282	4 391	Farms with—				
Milk heifers	1974..	25	237	1 to 9	1974..	23	90	19
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974..	360	5 829	10 to 19	1974..	9	124	30
	1969..	359	3 011	20 to 49	1974..	7	219	65
				50 to 99	1974..	1	(D)	(D)
				100 to 199	1974..	2	(D)	(D)
				200 to 499	1974..	—	—	—
				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..	481	28 219	353	26 530	501	57 877	380	54 668	3 388		
	1969..	718	40 129	452	35 791	678	61 131	467	55 442	(NA)		
Farms with—												
1 to 4	1974..	91	253	42	119	18	42	3	7	(Z)		
5 to 9	1974..	49	330	24	169	25	179	9	67	5		
10 to 24	1974..	99	1 588	66	1 083	79	1 308	39	594	33		
25 to 49	1974..	70	2 398	56	1 940	98	3 494	71	2 563	151		
50 to 99	1974..	91	6 153	84	5 722	113	7 544	90	6 127	341		
100 to 199	1974..	53	6 905	53	6 905	90	11 902	90	11 902	708		
200 to 499	1974..	23	7 137	23	7 137	60	17 225	1	60	1 012		
500 and over	1974..	5	3 455	5	3 455	18	16 183	18	16 183	1 136		
Feeder pigs sold	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	239	17 226	161	14 947	350		
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	274	17 954	155	14 295	(NA)		
Sheep and lambs	1974..	2	4	2	4	—	—	—	—	(NA)		
	1969..	1	80	1	80	2	125	2	125	(NA)		
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—		
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—		
Goats	1974..	(NA)	(NA)	2	16	(NA)	(NA)	2	52	(Z)		
	1969..	(NA)	(NA)	23	301	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)		
Horses and ponies	1974..	158	472	88	303	25	105	20	97	20		
	1969..	261	771	(NA)	(NA)	47	102	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
		Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Inventory						
		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			
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding ..	1974..	284	4 203	Litters of pigs farrowed between—								
	1969..	385	5 939	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..				1974..	413	6 132	311	5 748
Other hogs and pigs	1974..	323	22 327	December 1 of preceding year and May 31				1969..	620	8 065	415	7 139
	1969..	407	29 852	June 1 and November 30				1974..	379	3 257	282	3 024
Lambs under 1 year old	1974..	2	2					1969..	549	3 953	379	3 457
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974..	2	2					1974..	313	2 875	257	2 724
Rams and wethers	1974..	—	—					1969..	512	4 112	369	3 682

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..	204	(X)	106	(X)	12	(X)	7	(X)
	1969..	(NA)	(X)	145	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974..	202	5 719	104	3 279	12	422	7	337
	1969..	320	9 525	145	4 555	10	445	4	280
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974..	191	5 293	103	3 113	12	422	7	337
	1969..	306	8 812	141	4 307	9	435	4	280
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974..	189	4 793	101	2 613	11	142	6	57
100 to 399	1974..	2	500	2	500	1	280	1	280
400 to 1,599	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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..	7	111	4	67	—	—	—	—
	1969..	1	6	—	—	1	8	1	8
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	42	8	21	4
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	25	4

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	103	3 113	7	337	Turkeys	1974	1	1	-	-
	1969	141	4 307	4	280		1969	7	36	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	101	2 912	7	337	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	1	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	12	201	-	-	Heavy breed	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	Light breed	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	5	56	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	4	76	-	-		1969	6	28	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	39	110	-	-	Other poultry	1974	4	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	4	22	-	-		1969	5	(X)	-	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms									
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested				Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		603	731	13 673	15 965	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes		16	6	677	44	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		476	266	20 994	7 700	448 645	184 073				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		4	15	4	24	1 800	12 782				
Wheat (bushels)		26	10	653	162	17 753	6 492				
Other small grains for grain		-	2	-	40	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)		250	917	7 126	9 885	3 625	9 736				
Tobacco (pounds)		-	2	-	1	-	2 000				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		21	(NA)	5	(NA)	242	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		11	(NA)	3	(NA)	332	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry)		494	516	9 925	7 831	16 613	11 240				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		25	47	106	142	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards		-	14	-	13	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale		2	4	(Z)	62	(X)	(X)				
Other crops		20	(NA)	213	803	(X)	(X)				

		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)		386	410	10 486	12 109	517 472	520 379	-	1	-	15
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		41	23	852	343	10 294	3 524	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		28	32	706	465	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		13	1	631	26	30 770	1 820	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		3	(NA)	46	17	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		16	13	166	230	211	396	-	-	-	-

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		Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
		1974	1969	(X)	1974	1969	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	449	26 473	(X)	-	-	176	7 517	167	1 066	15	80
	1969	430	24 353	(X)	4	125	264	11 715	241	1 775	26	252
Improved pasture	1974	161	8 486	(X)	-	-	49	3 683	44	355	7	72
	1969	141	4 891	(X)	-	-	53	1 953	51	263	2	9
Corn for all purposes	1974	419	12 044	(X)	-	-	334	9 911	298	2 029	103	553
	1969	429	12 917	(X)	1	15	328	9 770	308	2 206	118	461
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	16	677	(X)	-	-	9	304	7	55	2	7
	1969	5	43	(X)	-	-	3	41	3	13	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	1974	25	641	17 653	-	-	20	546	20	65	1	1
	1969	10	162	6 492	-	-	5	118	(NA)	26	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	2	40	1 700	-	-	2	40	(NA)	3	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	382	19 920	431 822	-	-	238	13 492	205	1 248	34	259
	1969	165	6 464	156 102	1	15	98	4 046	(NA)	485	(NA)	38
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	2	2	800	-	-	2	2	2	(Z)	-	-
	1969	8	9	4 340	-	-	3	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	344	8 062	13 962	-	-	110	3 491	106	522	10	27
	1969	312	5 990	8 818	-	-	73	1 278	72	228	1	2
Field seed crops	1974	10	163	(X)	-	-	5	54	5	19	-	-
	1969	22	491	(X)	-	-	8	293	8	67	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	179	6 631	3 380	-	-	171	6 545	135	1 100	40	473
	1969	414	6 794	6 966	-	-	377	6 514	(NA)	1 398	(NA)	313
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	10	3	172	-	-	4	1	4	1	-	-
	1969	32	3	260	-	-	4	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	14	89	(X)	-	-	6	68	6	27	-	-
	1969	27	113	(X)	-	-	22	78	22	25	-	-
Land in orchards	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	3	5	(X)	-	-	2	4	2	1	-	-

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
Berries for sale	2	(2)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	3	60	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1	2	(X)	-	-	1	2	3	1	-
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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000		Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	603	601	601	601	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	10	4	10	4
lime	1 413	646	646	646	Diseases in crops and orchards	147	33	147	33
Commercial fertilizer	590	546	546	546	acres on which used	2	(2)	2	(2)
acres on which used	45 922	35 926	35 926	35 926	Weeds or grass in crops	247	310	247	310
tons	8 020	7 592	7 592	7 592	acres on which used	18 137	12 625	18 137	12 625
\$1,000	1 179	529	529	529	Weeds or brush in pasture	130	60	130	60
Lime	82	245	245	245	acres on which used	2	22	2	22
acres on which used	2 392	5 072	5 072	5 072	Weeds on all other land	45	188	45	188
tons	5 438	10 775	10 775	10 775	acres on which used	(2)	1	(2)	1
\$1,000	28	41	41	41	acres on which used	15	(NA)	15	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	60	(NA)	60	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	5	7	7	7	\$1,000	(2)	(NA)	(2)	(NA)
acres on which used	64	95	95	95	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000	1	1	1	1	of crops or thinning of fruit	9	9	9	9
Insects on other crops	106	72	72	72	acres on which used	191	261	191	261
acres on which used	5 256	1 983	1 983	1 983	\$1,000	1	1	1	1
\$1,000	50	8	8	8	Insect control on livestock and poultry	46	125	46	125
Nematodes in crops	4	-	-	-	\$1,000	3	5	3	5
acres on which used	265	-	-	-	farms	71	(NA)	71	(NA)
\$1,000	3	-	-	-	\$1,000	17	(NA)	17	(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	-	-	7	7	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	-	-	1.0	1.0	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Total land irrigated	-	-	156	156	acres	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Average per farm	-	-	22.2	22.2	Other sprinkler systems	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	-	-	7	7	acres	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	-	-	156	156	Land in irrigated farms	-	1 318	-	1 318
acres	-	-	3	3	Cropland	-	976	-	976
Cropland pasture irrigated	-	-	31	31	Harvested cropland	-	286	-	286
acres	-	-	4	4	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated	-	-	125	125	between 1970 and 1973	-	(X)	-	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture			(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	(X)	-	(X)
acres	-	-	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage	89	99	89	99
acres	-	-	-	-	Proportion of farms	12.8	15.5	12.8	15.5
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	-	-	105	105	Land in farms with drainage	28 474	27 913	28 474	27 913
Average per acre irrigated	-	-	0.7	0.7	Land drained	7 668	11 872	7 668	11 872
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	86.2	119.9	86.2	119.9
Furrows or ditches	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
acres	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	251	(NA)	251	(NA)
					number	1 010	(NA)	1 010	(NA)
					acres	485	(NA)	485	(NA)

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	206	162	93
\$1,000	4 538	3 584	954
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	67	42	50
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	25	11
\$10,000 to \$29,999	63	64	26
\$30,000 to \$49,999	17	12	4
\$50,000 and over	27	19	2

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	23	26	29	46	93	48	197	23	46	162
25 to 149 days	46	315	73	1 386	48	62	203	93	48	62
Less than 25 days	162	43	747	(NA)	62	17	849	29	73	747
Total contract labor	24	43	(NA)	(NA)						
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	12	(NA)	5	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker								66	18	29
2 workers								42	4	9
3 or 4 workers								36	1	8
5 to 9 workers								27	-	26
10 workers and over								26	-	24