

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.....	949	1 390	571	708	Land in Farms According to Use Total cropland..... farms..... acres..... Harvested cropland..... farms..... acres..... Farms by acres harvested: 1 to 9 acres..... 10 to 19 acres..... 20 to 29 acres..... 30 to 49 acres..... 50 to 99 acres..... 100 to 199 acres..... 200 to 499 acres..... 500 to 999 acres..... 1,000 acres and over..... Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms..... acres..... Other cropland (see text)..... farms..... acres..... Total woodland..... farms..... acres..... Other land (see text)..... farms..... acres..... Irrigated land..... farms..... acres.....	899	1 330	553	697
Land in farms..... acres.....	200 749	237 361	183 466	209 292		155 219	175 233	145 760	158 882
Average size of farm..... acres.....	212	171	321	296		789	1 185	537	679
Approximate land area..... acres.....	293 888	293 888	293 888	293 888		123 188	121 771	120 657	116 189
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	68.3	80.8	62.4	71.2					
Value of land and buildings..... \$,000.....	110 332	84 884	98 237	72 146					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	116 261	61 067	172 044	101 901					
Average per acre..... dollars.....	550	358	535	345					
Farms by size:									
1 to 9 acres.....	60	109	12	3					
10 to 49 acres.....	295	469	95	81					
50 to 69 acres.....	100	145	49	49					
70 to 99 acres.....	99	130	61	88					
100 to 139 acres.....	88	125	66	101					
140 to 179 acres.....	61	75	49	66					
180 to 219 acres.....	43	60	38	56					
220 to 259 acres.....	22	39	20	32					
260 to 499 acres.....	90	124	90	120					
500 to 999 acres.....	44	74	44	72					
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	35	33	35	33					
2,000 acres and over.....	12	7	12	7					
Other cropland..... farms..... acres.....			152 (NA)	7 363	Total woodland - Continued				
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms..... acres.....			21	127	Woodland not pastured..... farms..... acres.....		161	244	
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..... acres.....			759	3 131	Other land..... farms..... acres.....		13 402	23 910	
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..... acres.....			67	41	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..... acres.....		414 (NA)	18 634	
Cropland idle..... farms..... acres.....			2 475	1 092	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... acres.....		112	145	
Total woodland..... farms..... acres.....			16	31	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..... acres.....		74	87	
Woodland pastured..... farms..... acres.....			1 753	2 081	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..... acres.....		5 324	3 141	
			85	174			58	74	
			2 376	6 274			2 586	2 237	
			289	405			392	493	
			19 072	35 744			10 724	9 288	
			185	260					
			5 670	11 834					

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.....	949	1 390	571	708	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres.....	200 749	237 361	183 466	209 292	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	67	101
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	123 188	121 771	120 657	116 189	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	33 735	41 813
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	3
Full owners..... number.....	521	750	235	255	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	5 875	3 541
Land in farms..... acres.....	42 663	70 032	29 082	48 703	Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	3
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	13 875	20 547	12 092	16 921	Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	245	4 193
Part owners..... number.....	305	393	253	316	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	135 938	126 774	133 070	122 828	Under 25 years.....	11	28	8	12
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	93 424	75 743	93 004	74 957	25 to 34 years.....	92	122	57	59
Tenants..... number.....	123	247	83	137	35 to 44 years.....	151	241	78	140
Land in farms..... acres.....	22 148	40 555	21 314	37 761	45 to 54 years.....	210	336	140	184
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	15 889	25 481	15 561	24 311	55 to 64 years.....	285	461	194	241
Percent of tenancy.....	13.0	17.7	14.5	19.3	65 years and over.....	196	202	90	72
Black and other races, see text—					Average age.....	53.4	51.7	52.9	50.9
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators..... number.....	127	315	48	107	On farm operated.....	523	921	315	523
Land in farms..... acres.....	11 866	24 792	9 066	19 072	On another farm.....	87	276	46	109
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	7 033	15 142	6 337	13 568	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	34		21	
Full owners..... number.....	66	164	14	34	In a city, town, or urban area.....	69		41	
Land in farms..... acres.....	2 917	6 734	974	3 184	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ³				
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	871	2 381	512	1 564	None.....	294	(NA)	224	(NA)
Part owners..... number.....	35	87	24	53	1 to 49 days.....	42	137	20	83
Land in farms..... acres.....	7 413	13 161	6 860	11 916	50 to 99 days.....	28	56	15	32
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	4 896	9 433	4 745	9 054	100 to 149 days.....	12	140	10	52
Tenants..... number.....	26	64	10	20	150 to 199 days.....	34	436	19	166
Land in farms..... acres.....	1 536	4 897	1 232	3 972	200 days and over.....	318		124	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	1 266	3 328	1 080	2 950	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy.....	20.5	20.3	20.8	18.6	Farming.....	552	(NA)	407	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other.....	393	(NA)	160	(NA)
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	500	601	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	24	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	143 611	159 745	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	67	(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 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
Forms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	51	58	51	58	Crops	497	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	66	70	66	70	Grains	15 525	7 353
\$20,000 to \$39,999	70	58	70	58	farms	400	500
					\$1,000	9 633	3 346
\$10,000 to \$19,999	106	131	106	131	Tobacco		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	110	200	110	200	farms		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	151	232	151	232	\$1,000		
Under \$2,500 (see text)	395	711	17	29	Cotton and cottonseed	436	629
\$2,000 to \$2,499	49	80	(X)	(X)	farms	5 630	3 742
\$1,500 to \$1,999	84	70	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	52	91
\$1,000 to \$1,499	81	151	(X)	(X)	farms	110	89
Under \$1,000 (see text)	181	410	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	8	19
					Other field crops	106	37
					farms	21	42
					\$1,000	44	69
					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons		(D)
					farms		
					\$1,000		
					Fruits, nuts, and berries		
					farms		
					\$1,000		
Market value of agricultural products sold					Livestock, poultry, and their products		
\$1,000	19 136	10 555	18 717	9 930	farms	340	507
Average per farm	20 165	7 593	32 779	14 025	\$1,000	2 989	2 511
					farms	3	16
					\$1,000	1	132
Crops, including hay	682	1 134	497	(NA)	Dairy products	10	15
farms	15 714	7 753	15 525	7 353	farms	542	259
\$1,000	6		6	1	\$1,000	324	(NA)
Nursery and greenhouse products	79		79	(D)	Cattle and calves	1 463	1 312
farms					farms	99	(NA)
\$1,000					\$1,000	2	809
Forest products	4	38	4	24	Hogs and pigs	980	
farms	123	72	123	67	farms	2	
\$1,000					\$1,000	2	
Livestock, poultry, and their products	581	802	340	507	Other livestock and livestock products		
farms	3 220	2 730	2 989	2 511	farms	5	
\$1,000					\$1,000	2	
Poultry and poultry products	12	(NA)	3	16			
farms	1	(NA)	1	132			
\$1,000							

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	395	(NA)	140	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	329
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	232	(NA)	147	(NA)	farms	2 902
farms	605	(NA)	499	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	65
\$1,000	73	130	57	104	farms	517
\$1,000	213	212	201	195	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	213
\$1,000	6	14	3	12	farms	1 874
\$1,000	14	19	10	19	Interest, dividends, or royalties	123
Recreational services	79	813	55	505	farms	220
farms	89	2 253	81	2 077	\$1,000	
\$1,000					Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	75
Government farm programs	97	(NA)	48	(NA)	farms	209
farms	234	(NA)	152	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	38
\$1,000	23	(NA)	20	(NA)	farms	82
\$1,000	55	(NA)	54	(NA)	\$1,000	
\$1,000	70	(NA)	44	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	131	(NA)	115	(NA)		
farms						
\$1,000						

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	944	1 390	570	708	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	676	1 123	494	674
farms	14 439	9 486	13 980	8 703	farms	666	362	653	333
\$1,000					\$1,000	718	1 252	494	691
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	2 254	978	2 200	903
\$1 to \$999	236	411	11	73	farms				
farms	143	234	72		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	465	(NA)	352	(NA)
\$1,000	94	154	50	83	farms	1 032	546	1 021	526
\$2,000 to \$2,999	111	152	79	118	\$1,000	(NA)	204	58	149
\$3,000 to \$4,999	94	228	92	223	farms	(NA)	71	71	64
\$5,000 to \$9,999	115		115	112	Lime				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	62	211	62	51	farms				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	28		28		\$1,000				
\$40,000 to \$59,999	61		61	48	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	876	1 331	540	704
\$60,000 and over					farms	1 248	849	1 185	741
					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	464	671
					farms	(NA)	(NA)	375	
					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	302	281
Livestock and poultry purchased	279	442	161	226	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	532	239
farms	492	608	435	541	farms	(NA)	(NA)	55	131
\$1,000					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	50	42
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	544	787	303	438	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	540	704
farms	1 248	679	1 152	594	farms	(NA)	(NA)	128	85
\$1,000					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)		
\$1,000	368	459	227	324	Hired farm labor	340	908	255	557
farms	718	364	689	340	farms	1 289	1 121	1 267	1 040
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	117	143	\$1,000				
farms	(NA)	(NA)	108	76	Contract labor	25	757	22	43
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	119	133	farms	72	526	72	52
farms	(NA)	(NA)	312	137	Machine hire and customwork	381		270	438
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	60	100	farms	390		367	414
farms	(NA)	(NA)	43	41	\$1,000	829	1 151	564	699
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			farms	5 748	3 816	5 587	3 558
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	238	(NA)	\$1,000				
farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	(NA)					
\$1,000									

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.....	839	1 272	494	683					
.....\$1,000.....	16 975	11 510	14 604	9 427					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	20 232	9 048	29 564	13 802					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	2	117	1	250					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	201	646	84	155					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	250	201	71	129					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	155	142	116	49					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	78		69	59					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	83	166	83	49					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	20		20	41					
\$70,000 and over.....	50		50						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	608	815	360	470					
.....number.....	768	982	483	582					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	518	611	342	401					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	702	974	436	573					
.....number.....	1 086	1 336	807	914					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	503	733	422	512					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	708	1 050	430	622					
.....number.....	1 379	2 003	1 069	1 421					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	428	866	400	695					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	33		28	48					
.....number.....	35		30	63					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	11		11	17					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	148	207	145	193					
.....number.....	184	256	181	240					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	83	184	83	176					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	20	116	20	58					
.....number.....	20	126	20	59					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	72	5	38					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	50		41	53					
.....number.....	51		42	59					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5		5	31					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	86	(NA)	64	(NA)					
.....number.....	88	(NA)	66	(NA)					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	44	(NA)	32	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	76	108	61	86					
.....number.....	79	113	62	91					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	28	67	21	58					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	24	(NA)	16	42					
.....number.....	24	(NA)	16	44					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	(NA)	7	30					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	21	(NA)	20	28					
.....number.....	23	(NA)	21	28					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	(NA)	8	19					

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.....	637	(X)	353	(X)	581	(X)	340	(X)	2 989
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	602	(X)	337	(X)	561	(X)	340	(X)	2 445
.....1969.....	885	(X)	518	(X)	775	(X)	501	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	565	23 021	317	18 400	528	9 288	324	7 898	1 463
.....1969.....	779	23 006	474	19 262	681	10 734	455	9 206	1 312
Farms with —									
1 to 4.....1974.....	43	129	11	37	117	275	45	102	21
5 to 9.....1974.....	69	488	13	100	139	959	57	399	71
10 to 19.....1974.....	125	1 742	55	765	145	1 894	101	1 372	232
20 to 49.....1974.....	189	5 975	115	3 776	96	2 639	90	2 504	419
50 to 99.....1974.....	93	6 113	77	5 148	20	1 358	20	1 358	322
100 to 199.....1974.....	32	4 158	32	4 158	8	909	8	909	148
200 to 499.....1974.....	13	(D)	13	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	490	12 091	291	9 645	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	674	11 830	441	10 169	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	458	11 281	280	8 939	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	11 044	400	9 479	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	59	810	30	706	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	115	786	70	690	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	10	(X)	542
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	259
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Beef cows.....	458	11 281	280	8 939					
Farms with —									
1 to 4.....	48	132	17	47					
5 to 9.....	88	598	34	215					
10 to 19.....	127	1 760	74	1 012					
20 to 49.....	142	4 126	103	3 065					
50 to 99.....	42	2 498	41	2 433					
100 to 199.....	9	(D)	9	(D)					
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
Milk cows.....	59	810	30	706					
Farms with —									
1 or 2.....	23	33	12	16					
3 or 4.....	22	80	9	33					
5 to 9.....	7	52	2	12					
10 to 19.....	-	-	-	-					
20 to 49.....	-	-	-	-					
50 to 99.....	5	(D)	5	(D)					
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)					
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-					
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-					
Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)						
Cattle sold.....	255	4 219	1 003						
Farms with —									
1 to 4.....	66	150	33						
5 to 9.....	64	446	93						
10 to 19.....	68	905	195						
20 to 49.....	41	1 113	262						
50 to 99.....	12	799	244						
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	(D)						
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)						
500 and over.....	-	-	-						
Calves sold.....	214	3 679	460						
Farms with —									
1 or 2.....	19	32	3						
3 or 4.....	22	79	8						
5 to 9.....	50	330	40						
10 to 19.....	72	936	114						
20 to 49.....	40	1 084	129						
50 to 99.....	8	520	68						
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	(D)						
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)						
500 and over.....	-	-	-						

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

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
				Dollars (1,000)		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	258	4 824	1974.....	17	234	91
.....	403	5 009	1969.....	7	146	(NA)
Beef heifers	248	4 535	1974.....	7	12	3
Milk heifers	13	289	10 to 19	7	76	34
.....			20 to 49	1	(D)	(D)
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	274	3 931	50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
.....	431	4 084	100 to 199	-	-	-
			200 to 499	-	-	-
			500 and over	-	-	-

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

	Inventory				Sales				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	147	8 519	86	8 024	129	14 771	99	14 250	980
.....	360	10 713	204	9 693	267	18 116	190	16 965	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	40	81	11	31	11	28	6	16	1
5 to 9	30	198	17	112	11	74	7	44	3
10 to 24	38	604	22	361	42	661	28	464	27
25 to 49	12	423	10	369	28	1 000	22	776	50
50 to 99	10	672	9	610	15	1 034	14	976	51
100 to 199	8	1 161	8	1 161	8	1 158	8	1 158	84
200 to 499	5	1 321	5	1 321	7	2 216	7	2 216	158
500 and over	4	4 059	4	4 059	7	8 600	7	8 600	606
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	29	2 809	19	2 541	48
.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	59	1 674	37	1 263	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	5	217	3	143	4	144	2	90	(NA)
.....	10	235	4	144	6	151	4	104	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	90	680
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	2
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	1	6	(Z)
.....	(NA)	(NA)	3	12	(NA)	(NA)	1	5	(NA)
Horses and ponies	108	478	44	223	20	49	3	10	2
.....	249	820	(NA)	(NA)	31	74	(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
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	63	803	Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
.....	151	1 252		December 1 of preceding year and November 30	108	1 490	78	1 399
Other hogs and pigs	76	7 221	.....	249	1 968	166	1 791
.....	200	8 441	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	94	791	65	731	
Lambs under 1 year old	2	50	.....	212	1 028	151	926
Ewes 1 year old or older	3	88	June 1 and November 30	71	699	60	668	
Rams and wethers	3	5	.....	194	940	139	865

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	116	(X)	42	(X)	5	(X)	1	(X)
.....	(NA)	(X)	100	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	114	3 242	41	1 453	5	131	1	50
.....	248	24 219	97	21 089	10	13 299	8	13 247
Hens and pullets of laying age	111	3 020	41	1 391	4	128	1	50
.....	227	23 163	90	20 676	8	13 269	7	13 229
Farms with—								
1 to 99	109	2 695	39	1 066	4	128	1	50
100 to 399	2	325	2	325	-	-	-	-
400 to 1,599	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1,600 to 3,199	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	7	70	1	9	-	-	-	-
.....	3	125	3	125	2	10	-	-
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	1	3	1
.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	132

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..	41	1 391	1	50	Turkeys.....1974..	3	10	--	--
.....1969..	90	20 676	7	13 229	.....1969..	6	18	--	--
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	41	1 278	1	50	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	1	6	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	8	113	--	--	Heavy breed.....1974..	1	6	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	Light breed.....1974..	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	4	19	--	--	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	2	4	--	--
.....1969..	8	147	2	18	.....1969..	4	11	--	--
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	12	43	--	--	Other poultry.....1974..	5	(X)	--	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	1	3	--	--	.....1969..	16	(X)	--	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes.....	202	454	2 861	7 772	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	8	9	208	173	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	452	550	69 964	68 133	1 538	857	1 538	825
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	5	--	294	--	628	700	--	--
Wheat (bushels).....	59	85	3 502	3 447	105	589	117	895
Other small grains for grain.....	18	46	400	742	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	556	1 067	44 525	38 360	28	337	39	967
Tobacco (pounds).....	4	1	1	1	2	190	2	169
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	7	(NA)	3	(NA)	204	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	11	(NA)	17	(NA)	4	136	(NA)	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	268	314	4 332	4 450	8	967	8	108
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	37	67	143	323	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	21	35	68	244	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	2	11	1	5	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	18	(NA)	51	558	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	121	275	1 572	5 520	78 574	182 337	--	--	--	--
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	37	74	1 008	1 560	9 963	15 083	--	--	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	9	13	36	99	(X)	(X)	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	1	2	100	105	(D)	2 172	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	6	(NA)	106	64	(X)	(X)	--	(NA)	--	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	34	55	356	740	1 036	2 187	--	--	--	--

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.....1974..	263	17 740	(X)	1	15	91	4 317	90	476	4	15
.....1969..	449	30 115	(X)	--	--	207	9 028	200	1 215	15	38
Improved pasture.....1974..	74	5 324	(X)	--	--	33	1 748	30	178	6	11
.....1969..	87	3 141	(X)	--	--	31	1 039	31	123	--	--
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	145	2 616	(X)	--	--	119	2 357	105	402	43	135
.....1969..	320	7 179	(X)	--	--	226	5 728	193	876	109	271
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	7	206	(X)	--	--	4	124	3	2	1	5
.....1969..	7	169	(X)	--	--	2	25	1	1	1	1
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	54	3 456	104 459	--	--	47	3 060	44	391	7	72
.....1969..	76	3 384	116 544	--	--	66	2 715	(NA)	299	(NA)	8
Oats (bushels).....1974..	16	341	13 159	--	--	14	280	13	37	1	4
.....1969..	34	632	34 719	--	--	28	509	(NA)	65	(NA)	7
Barley (bushels).....1974..	3	59	2 196	--	--	3	59	3	11	--	--
.....1969..	8	66	3 027	--	--	8	66	(NA)	7	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	1	20	600	--	--	1	20	(NA)	2	(NA)	2
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	389	69 475	1 530 569	--	--	124	22 736	119	2 397	--	--
.....1969..	437	66 775	1 512 051	--	--	124	15 318	(NA)	1 244	(NA)	11
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	4	293	627 700	--	--	1	65	1	13	(NA)	72
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	185	3 489	7 730	--	--	65	1 481	63	223	7	19
.....1969..	232	3 834	7 161	--	--	57	1 120	57	192	2	3
Field seed crops.....1974..	1	20	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	14	260	(X)	--	--	2	20	2	3	--	--
Cotton (bales).....1974..	440	43 647	27 801	--	--	409	43 187	397	9 095	70	579
.....1969..	630	35 541	36 951	--	--	606	34 999	(NA)	6 583	(NA)	696
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969..	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	3	2	155	--	--	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	--	--
.....1969..	16	6	199	--	--	7	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	22	86	(X)	--	--	21	85	21	28	--	--
.....1969..	57	305	(X)	1	6	22	187	22	33	--	--
Land in orchards.....1974..	7	56	(X)	--	--	1	5	1	1	--	--
.....1969..	24	225	(X)	--	--	14	117	14	20	--	--

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	2	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	8	4	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	6	4	(X)	1	1	5	2	3	1	3	1
1969	1	1	(X)	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-
Other crops	5	21	(X)	-	-	3	16	2	1	2	3

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	512	3 221	693	1 429	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
Commercial fertilizer	79 747	79 747	71 006	71 006	Diseases in crops and orchards	14	20	2 216	834
Lime	2 200	2 200	903	903	acres on which used	29	7	29	7
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	58	58	149	149	Weeds or grass in crops	69 333	60 592	242	427
Insects on hay crops	14	14	19	19	acres on which used	516	290	12	14
Insects on other crops	155	155	197	197	acres on which used	228	154	2	(Z)
Nematodes in crops	18	18	12	12	Weeds or brush in pasture	23	(NA)	23	(NA)
	1 306	1 306	2 228	2 228	acres on which used	241	(NA)	241	(NA)
	12	12	27	27	Weeds on all other land	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
					acres on which used	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	77	76	11 877	7 768
					of crops or thinning of fruit	104	32	104	32
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	42	97	42	97
					Other chemicals (see text)	60	(NA)	60	(NA)
						39	(NA)	39	(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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	1	0.2	2	0.2	Land irrigated by—				
Proportion of farms					Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Total land irrigated	15	15.0	9	4.5	Other sprinkler systems	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Average per farm	1	15	2	9	Land in irrigated farms	50	3 511	45	3 482
Cropland irrigated	15	15	2	9	Cropland	30	3 300	30	3 300
Harvested cropland irrigated	1	1	2	2	Harvested cropland	-	-	-	-
Cropland pasture irrigated	1	1	9	9	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	-	(X)	-	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	15	15	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	(X)	-	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage	34	27	6.0	3.8
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	15	15	2	2	Proportion of farms	26 029	9 971	26 029	9 971
Average per acre irrigated	1.0	1.0	0.2	0.2	Land in farms with drainage	13 954	6 167	13 954	6 167
Land irrigated by—					Land drained	410.4	228.4	410.4	228.4
Furrows or ditches	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	195	(NA)	195	(NA)
	15	15	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	875	(NA)	875	(NA)
						588	(NA)	588	(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)	199	137	124
\$1,000	6 396	3 717	2 679
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	42	28	37
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	12	27
\$10,000 to \$29,999	69	58	36
\$30,000 to \$49,999	20	13	8
\$50,000 and over	43	26	16

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—							255	100	105	160
150 days or more	100	134	253	296	886	886	1 267	886	254	126
25 to 149 days	105	513	281	3 117	254	254	2 085	253	281	1 551
Less than 25 days	160		1 551	(NA)	126	72				
Total contract labor	22	43	(NA)	(NA)	52	52				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	10	(NA)	94	(NA)	46	(NA)				
Farms with—							57	43	46	35
1 worker							47	25	25	29
2 workers							47	21	23	24
3 or 4 workers							55	9	8	31
5 to 9 workers							49	2	3	41
10 workers and over										