

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Land in Farms According to Use	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms number.....	498	639	427	512	Total cropland farms.....	463	590	404	493
Land in farms acres.....	534 591	575 907	517 837	550 366	Harvested cropland farms.....	194 698	221 546	185 332	210 736
Average size of farm acres.....	1 073	901	1 213	1 075	..... acres.....	403	523	380	470
Approximate land area acres.....	572 096	572 096	572 096	572 096	..... acres.....	115 079	103 750	114 374	102 575
Proportion in farms percent.....	93.4	100.7	90.5	96.2	Farms by acres harvested:				
Value of land and buildings \$1,000.....	78 473	60 402	75 100	57 586	1 to 9 acres	4	9		
Average per farm dollars.....	157 576	94 526	175 878	112 472	10 to 19 acres	8	31	5	
Average per acre dollars.....	147	105	145	105	20 to 29 acres	24	25	19	
Farms by size:					30 to 49 acres	33	65	24	79
1 to 9 acres	9	24	6	7	50 to 99 acres	68	92	67	90
10 to 49 acres	32	34	19	11	100 to 199 acres	70	113	69	113
50 to 69 acres	5	6	5	5	200 to 499 acres	127	147	127	147
70 to 99 acres	19	26	9	13	500 to 999 acres	56	33	56	33
100 to 139 acres	16	27	14	12	1,000 acres and over	13	8	13	8
140 to 179 acres	49	65	36	41	Cropland used only for pasture or grazing	236	358	199	300
180 to 219 acres	10	17	7	11	..... farms.....	43 934	55 836	37 824	49 508
220 to 259 acres	19	28	15	23	..... acres.....	215	357	193	(NA)
260 to 499 acres	109	134	93	123	Other cropland (see text)	35 685	61 960	33 134	58 653
500 to 999 acres	90	150	85	140	..... acres.....				
1,000 to 1,999 acres	74	72	72	71	Total woodland	17	26	13	17
2,000 acres and over	66	56	66	55	..... farms.....	877	957	671	839
					..... acres.....	388	466	336	(NA)
					Other land (see text)	339 016	353 404	331 834	338 791
					..... farms.....	65	90	65	88
					..... acres.....	6 906	8 219	6 906	8 183
					Irrigated land				
					..... farms.....				
					..... acres.....				

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.....	498	639	427	512	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms acres.....	534 591	575 907	517 837	550 366	Partnership number.....	(NA)	(NA)	32	65
Harvested cropland acres.....	115 079	103 750	114 374	102 575	Land in farms acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	55 061	96 105
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation number.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	1
Full owners number.....	243	300	188	198	Land in farms acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 871	76
Land in farms acres.....	217 679	188 577	207 260	168 304	Other number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	—
Harvested cropland acres.....	25 467	23 810	24 982	22 934	..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	29	—
Part owners number.....	170	227	159	220	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms acres.....	237 735	329 629	233 041	326 877	Under 25 years	10	29	10	17
Harvested cropland acres.....	67 346	64 163	67 126	64 029	25 to 34 years	50	43	43	34
Tenants number.....	85	112	80	94	35 to 44 years	57	90	50	72
Land in farms acres.....	79 177	57 701	77 536	55 185	45 to 54 years	100	163	93	139
Harvested cropland acres.....	22 266	15 777	22 266	15 612	55 to 64 years	139	150	116	127
Percent of tenancy	17.1	17.5	18.7	18.3	65 years and over	135	164	108	123
Black and other races, see text—					Average age	54.0	53.4	53.6	53.4
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
All farm operators number.....	—	—	—	—	On farm operated	168	309	151	269
Land in farms acres.....	—	—	—	—	On another farm	20	257	15	190
Harvested cropland acres.....	—	—	—	—	In a rural area, not on a farm	16		15	
Full owners number.....	—	—	—	—	In a city, town, or urban area	162		146	
Land in farms acres.....	—	—	—	—	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Harvested cropland acres.....	—	—	—	—	None	197	(NA)	184	(NA)
Part owners number.....	—	—	—	—	1 to 49 days	42	86	31	75
Land in farms acres.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99 days	12	41	9	26
Harvested cropland acres.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 149 days	12		11	
Tenants number.....	—	—	—	—	150 to 199 days	22	41	17	34
Land in farms acres.....	—	—	—	—	200 days and over	74	146	51	92
Harvested cropland acres.....	—	—	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy	—	—	—	—	Farming	383	(NA)	351	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Other	108	(NA)	69	(NA)
Individual or family number.....	(NA)	(NA)	388	446	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market	(NA)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Land in farms acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	460 876	454 185	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts	(NA)	(NA)	4	(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
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	26	45	26	45			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	62		62				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	97	83	97	83			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	95	121	95	121			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	63	109	63	109			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	64	106	64	106			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	91	175	20	48			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	13	34	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	21	26	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	22	31	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	35	84	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold:							
\$1,000	14 417	10 166	14 344	10 048			
Average per farm	28 949	15 909	33 592	19 624			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	farms... 372		farms... 372	(NA)	372		(NA)
	\$1,000... 6 974		\$1,000... 6 974	3 264	6 974		3 264
Grains	farms... 279		farms... 279	313	279		313
	\$1,000... 2 654		\$1,000... 2 654	819	2 654		819
Tobacco	farms... -		farms... -	-	-		-
	\$1,000... -		\$1,000... -	-	-		-
Cotton and cottonseed	farms... 307		farms... 307	423	307		423
	\$1,000... 3 728		\$1,000... 3 728	1 927	3 728		1 927
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms... 64		farms... 64	136	64		136
	\$1,000... 392		\$1,000... 392	349	392		349
Other field crops	farms... 19		farms... 19	46	19		46
	\$1,000... 195		\$1,000... 195	167	195		167
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms... -		farms... -	1	-		1
	\$1,000... -		\$1,000... -	(2)	-		(2)
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms... 3		farms... 3	3	3		3
	\$1,000... 5		\$1,000... 5	2	5		2
Livestock, poultry, and their products:							
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms... 314		farms... 314	414	314		414
	\$1,000... 7 370		\$1,000... 7 370	6 777	7 370		6 777
Poultry and poultry products	farms... 6		farms... 6	16	6		16
	\$1,000... 11		\$1,000... 11	9	11		9
Dairy products	farms... -		farms... -	3	-		3
	\$1,000... -		\$1,000... -	65	-		65
Cattle and calves	farms... 307		farms... 307	(NA)	307		(NA)
	\$1,000... 7 001		\$1,000... 7 001	6 527	7 001		6 527
Hogs and pigs	farms... 23		farms... 23	(NA)	23		(NA)
	\$1,000... 347		\$1,000... 347	175	347		175
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms... 2		farms... 2	-	2		-
	\$1,000... 1		\$1,000... 1	-	1		-
Other livestock and livestock products	farms... 12		farms... 12	-	12		-
	\$1,000... 11		\$1,000... 11	-	11		-

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 sold¹						
	113	(NA)	74	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	226
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹						
farms...	176	(NA)	158	(NA)	\$1,000...	1 630
\$1,000	583	(NA)	539	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	35
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms... 58	98	farms... 54	94	\$1,000	252
	\$1,000... 242	230	\$1,000... 232	220	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	137
Recreational services	farms... 1	2	farms... 1	2	\$1,000	848
	\$1,000... 4	1	\$1,000... 4	1	Interest, dividends, or royalties	84
Government farm programs	farms... 120	453	farms... 109	397	\$1,000	326
	\$1,000... 218	2 272	\$1,000... 211	2 214	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	48
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms... 32	(NA)	farms... 28	(NA)	\$1,000	179
	\$1,000... 98	(NA)	\$1,000... 71	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	13
Other farm-related sources	farms... 14	(NA)	farms... 14	(NA)	\$1,000	24
	\$1,000... 21	(NA)	\$1,000... 21	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms... 53	(NA)	farms... 51	(NA)		
	\$1,000... 149	(NA)	\$1,000... 147	(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... 495	639	farms... 427	512	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees				
	\$1,000... 12 864	9 355	\$1,000... 12 745	9 201	purchased	farms... 381	519	farms... 355	458
Farms with--						\$1,000... 490	233	\$1,000... 487	229
\$1 to \$999	49	89	13	50	Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms... 253	358	farms... 235	322
\$1,000 to \$1,999	49	68	35			\$1,000... 703	341	\$1,000... 696	337
\$2,000 to \$2,999	38	54	35	44	Other agricultural chemicals	farms... 134	(NA)	farms... 131	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	50	80	43	73	purchased	\$1,000... 150	118	\$1,000... 149	117
\$5,000 to \$9,999	69	125	61	122	Lime	farms... (NA)	8	farms... -	8
\$10,000 to \$19,999	95		95	127		\$1,000... (NA)	5	\$1,000... -	5
\$20,000 to \$39,999	80		80	54	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms... 481	621	farms... 417	507
\$40,000 to \$59,999	28		28			\$1,000... 1 008	581	\$1,000... 990	557
\$60,000 and over	37	223	37	42	Gasoline	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 320	449
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms... 159	322	farms... 140	284		\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 328	239
	\$1,000... 3 472	3 332	\$1,000... 3 438	3 304	Diesel oil	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 165	139
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms... 321	410	farms... 272	341		\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 266	64
	\$1,000... 1 913	797	\$1,000... 1 892	780	LP gas, butane, and propane	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 292	325
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms... 236	272	farms... 205	243		\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 311	191
	\$1,000... 943	394	\$1,000... 933	388	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 417	507
Feed ingredients	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 109	108		\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 85	62
	\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 170	131	Hired farm labor	farms... 181	370	farms... 180	329
Whole grains	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 79	82		\$1,000... 705	675	\$1,000... 704	663
	\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 641	209	Contract labor	farms... 73	430	farms... 71	107
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 56	66		\$1,000... 150	518	\$1,000... 149	98
	\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 148	52	Machine hire and customwork	farms... 249		farms... 232	360
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms... (NA)	(NA)	farms... 205	(NA)		\$1,000... 456		\$1,000... 453	408
	\$1,000... (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000... 85	(NA)	All other production expenses	farms... 476	579	farms... 420	501
						\$1,000... 3 817	2 759	\$1,000... 3 703	2 710

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	428	606	373	496					
farms	9 918	5 371	9 455	5 014					
dollars	23 173	8 863	25 349	10 108					
Average per farm									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	3	43	3	168					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	53	215	41						
\$5,000 to \$9,999	100	151	72	140					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	100	118	87	115					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	65		63	44					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	59	79	59	23					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	19		19	6					
\$70,000 and over	29		29						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	330	442	291	377					
number	426	558	381	481					
mfd in last 5 years	270	347	257	314					
Motor trucks, including pickups	380	520	328	442					
number	655	751	603	660					
mfd in last 5 years	340	416	323	374					
Wheel tractors	387	528	340	448					
number	900	1 101	825	981					
mfd in last 5 years	225	391	208	355					
Crawler tractors	10		8	13					
number	10		8	14					
mfd in last 5 years	2		2	4					
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	73	49	73	48					
number	75	50	75	49					
mfd in last 5 years	29	19	29	19					
Corn heads for combines	3	3	3	1					
number	3	3	3	1					
mfd in last 5 years	2		2						
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	17		17	2					
number	17		17	2					
mfd in last 5 years	1		1						
Mower conditioners	22	(NA)	20	(NA)					
number	23	(NA)	21	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years	6	(NA)	6	(NA)					
Pickup balers	46	52	44	50					
number	48	56	46	54					
mfd in last 5 years	18	30	18	29					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	27	(NA)	25	26					
number	27	(NA)	25	26					
mfd in last 5 years	11	(NA)	11	20					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	7	(NA)	7	11					
number	7	(NA)	7	11					
mfd in last 5 years	2	(NA)	2	6					

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	359	(X)	309	(X)	362	(X)	314	(X)	7 370
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	353	(X)	303	(X)	360	(X)	313	(X)	7 348
1969	472	(X)	402	(X)	479	(X)	410	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	348	42 407	298	41 120	354	32 596	307	32 156	7 001
1969	461	45 904	398	44 902	466	40 512	404	39 975	6 527
Farms with—									
1 to 4	9	28	6	16	26	72	15	38	6
5 to 9	10	69	7	47	42	290	25	176	27
10 to 19	32	430	19	249	70	988	55	793	133
20 to 49	116	3 722	90	2 970	89	2 686	85	2 589	416
50 to 99	76	5 115	71	4 795	51	3 283	51	3 283	666
100 to 199	45	5 907	45	5 907	38	5 132	38	5 132	878
200 to 499	40	11 427	40	11 427	27	8 264	27	8 264	1 706
500 and over	20	15 709	20	15 709	11	11 881	11	11 881	3 169
Cows and heifers that had calved	276	16 565	247	16 102	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	380	17 488	326	16 940	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	273	16 541	244	16 080	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	17 328	319	16 794	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	14	24	12	22	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	31	160	24	146	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	—	(X)	—
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	65
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	273	16 541	244	16 080	233	25 036			6 091
Farms with—									
1 to 4	10	27	8	20	14	44			8
5 to 9	22	149	15	100	32	218			42
10 to 19	58	832	48	667	44	599			110
20 to 49	92	2 852	82	2 612	56	1 707			314
50 to 99	40	2 593	40	2 593	35	2 357			536
100 to 199	34	4 166	34	4 166	20	2 546			559
200 to 499	14	3 664	14	3 664	23	7 315			1 575
500 and over	3	2 258	3	2 258	9	10 250			2 947
Milk cows	14	24	12	22	151	7 120			910
Farms with—									
1 or 2	12	17	10	15	11	19			2
3 or 4	2	7	2	7	5	16			2
5 to 9	—	—	—	—	24	164			20
10 to 19	—	—	—	—	30	450			61
20 to 49	—	—	—	—	43	1 375			206
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	17	1 165			142
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	15	2 003			244
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	5	(D)			(D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	1	(D)			(D)

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.....	206	9 331	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	19	7 247	2 303
.....1969.....	278	10 050	.....1969.....	12	4 365	(NA)
Beef heifers	204	9 167	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	8	164	1 to 9.....	5	14	3
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	258	15 687	10 to 19.....	2	33	5
.....1974.....	359	17 912	20 to 49.....	4	92	21
.....1969.....			50 to 99.....	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199.....	2	(D)	(D)
			200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)
			500 and over.....	3	6 260	2 012

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.....	30	3 344	28	3 332	25	5 323	23	5 311	347
.....1969.....	78	2 697	68	2 467	83	4 528	71	4 124	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	5	13	5	13	2	8	2	8	(Z)
5 to 9.....	7	40	5	28	3	19	1	7	(Z)
10 to 24.....	9	167	9	167	6	125	6	125	9
25 to 49.....	3	105	3	105	8	241	8	241	7
50 to 99.....	2	150	2	150	2	121	2	121	10
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	617	11	617	11
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	25	1 194	17	994	(NA)
Sheep and lambs.....	3	45	3	45	2	27	2	27	(NA)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	2	143	1	140	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	38	1421
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(X)	1
Goats.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
.....1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	14	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	100	322	86	297	13	36	11	34	6
.....1974.....	179	638	(NA)	(NA)	19	32	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....									

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory	
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding.....	18	365	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		
.....1969.....	48	485	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	20	651
Other hogs and pigs.....	26	2 967	.....1969.....	61	547
.....1969.....	60	1 982	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	18	342
Lambs under 1 year old.....	2	15	.....1969.....	49	271
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	3	23	.....1974.....	14	309
Rams and wethers.....	3	7	.....1969.....	49	276

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.....	21	(X)	15	(X)	2	(X)	2	(X)
.....1969.....	(NA)	(X)	56	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	21	1 648	15	1 536	2	231	2	231
.....1969.....	70	3 517	56	3 123	13	825	12	763
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	21	1 502	15	1 399	2	211	2	211
.....1969.....	68	3 353	55	2 983	12	680	11	618
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	20	502	14	399	1	11	1	11
100 to 399.....	—	—	—	—	1	200	1	200
400 to 1,599.....	1	1 000	1	1 000	—	—	—	—
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.....	3	209	2	200	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	11	6	11
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	9

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.....	15	1 399	2	211	Turkeys.....	1	2	-	-
.....1969.....	55	2 983	11	618	.....1969.....	2	3	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production.....	14	399	1	11	Turkeys for slaughter.....	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	1	1 000	1	200	.....1974.....	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed.....	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	2	24	-	-	.....1974.....	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	5	98	-	-	Light breed.....	1	2	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	5	113	1	20	.....1969.....	1	2	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	-	-	-	-	Other poultry.....	1	00	-	(X)
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	.....1974.....	3	00	-	(X)
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	.....1969.....	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	11	7	897	442	00	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	222	307	29 719	30 839	00	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	14	18	443	518	968 408	485 302
Wheat (bushels).....	206	195	29 958	16 654	388 647	250 265
Other small grains for grain.....	21	45	1 500	2 368	00	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	316	448	49 209	45 440	22 015	20 169
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	125	161	5 584	6 381	7 111	11 934
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	1	2	1	4	00	00
Land in orchards.....	8	14	26	57	00	00
Berries for sale.....	1	2	5	2	00	00
Other crops.....	18	(NA)	534	2 321	00	00

	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).....	8	6	713	441	49 390	23 865	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	2	1	74	1	1 110	15	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	-	-	-	-	00	00	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	182	230	22 743	21 721	499 404	542 891	4	19
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	77	(NA)	6 775	8 912	00	00	4	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	59	91	1 638	2 544	3 311	7 072	15	16

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	Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres	Quantity			Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....	199	37 824	00	3	162	24	2 326	16	65	10	63
.....1969.....	300	49 508	00	14	527	35	2 640	20	99	18	92
Improved pasture.....	70	29 723	00	3	174	13	1 716	12	85	1	5
.....1969.....	78	37 441	00	1	58	11	804	11	79	2	5
Corn for all purposes.....	10	787	00	-	-	1	400	1	40	-	-
.....1974.....	7	442	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	212	29 518	00	6	360	73	11 136	62	558	27	263
Sorghums for all purposes.....	295	30 633	00	24	1 213	128	13 704	63	472	81	584
.....1969.....	197	29 734	386 822	9	326	76	12 695	44	579	35	325
Wheat (bushels).....	184	16 483	247 475	8	479	52	4 349	(NA)	86	(NA)	113
.....1974.....	7	579	17 520	-	-	3	173	3	13	-	-
.....1969.....	16	831	18 516	-	-	3	111	(NA)	-	(NA)	4
Barley (bushels).....	1	24	360	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	1	38	565	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	15	897	8 069	-	-	7	600	5	36	2	14
Rye (bushels).....	24	1 201	16 135	2	325	9	404	(NA)	5	(NA)	13
Other small grains for grain.....	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	14	443	968 408	7	271	11	394	10	63	(NA)	14
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	17	504	477 302	2	61	15	382	(NA)	32	(NA)	6
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	119	5 498	7 040	20	537	18	636	14	37	6	13
.....1974.....	144	6 045	11 600	18	546	38	1 485	28	82	12	45
.....1969.....	11	282	00	3	92	1	30	1	2	-	-
Field seed crops.....	32	1 192	00	-	-	8	183	7	8	1	1
.....1974.....	308	49 130	21 983	51	4 961	172	29 354	147	1 830	40	386
.....1969.....	415	45 021	19 977	71	4 958	250	27 050	(NA)	1 389	(NA)	653
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	1	1	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	2	4	00	-	-	1	-	1	(Z)	-	-
.....1969.....	8	26	00	2	8	2	8	2	1	-	-
Land in orchards.....	10	45	00	2	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used							
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid			
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons		
Berries for sale	1974	1	5	(X)									
	1969	2	2	(X)									
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	-	-	(X)									
	1969	1	(Z)	(X)		1	1	1	(Z)				
Other crops	1974	5	238	(X)		1	20	1	1				

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000		farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Can.				
farms	262		358		Diseases in crops and orchards	1		4	
\$1,000	845		453		acres on which used	38		744	
Commercial fertilizer					farms	1		1	
farms	235		288		\$1,000	86		103	
acres on which used	59 970		51 244		Weeds or grass in crops	22 817		14 012	
tons	4 413		3 791		acres on which used	99		40	
\$1,000	696		337		farms	3		13	
Lime					acres on which used	188		2 904	
farms	-		8		farms	1		7	
acres on which used	-		985		acres on which used	4		(NA)	
tons	-		985		farms	417		(NA)	
\$1,000	-		5		acres on which used	2		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					\$1,000				
Insects on hay crops	16		26		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
farms	515		570		of crops or thinning of fruit	7		9	
acres on which used	3		3		farms	1 373		708	
\$1,000	33		128		acres on which used	7		2	
Insects on other crops	5 762		13 918		farms	12		55	
farms	29		50		acres on which used	2		7	
acres on which used	-		2		\$1,000	16		(NA)	
farms	-		120		farms	6		(NA)	
acres on which used	-		(Z)		\$1,000				
\$1,000					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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	65		88		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	15.2		17.1		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	12		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	6 906		8 183		acres	1 006		(NA)	
Average per farm	106.2		92.9		farms	38		(NA)	
acres	64		87		acres	3 325		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	6 732		8 125		Land in irrigated farms	86 196		98 487	
farms	63		85		acres	45 779		49 589	
acres	6 493		7 569		Harvested cropland	29 812		27 240	
farms	3		14		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres	162		527		between 1970 and 1973	9		(X)	
farms	1		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	482		(X)	
acres	77		29		Farms with artificial drainage	4		6	
farms	3		1		Proportion of farms	0.9		1.1	
acres	174		58		Land in farms with drainage	1 355		4 785	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	174		58		acres	34.8		725	
farms	8 714		8 184		Average per farm	139		120.8	
acres	1.3		1.0		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	8 714		8 184		tanks	89		(NA)	
acre-feet	1.3		1.0		farms	295		(NA)	
acres	22		(NA)		number	578		(NA)	
Land irrigated by—					acres				
Furrows or ditches	22		(NA)						
farms	2 418		(NA)						
acres									

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)	179	121	120
farms	7 587	4 269	3 318
\$1,000			
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	33	24	25
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	15	17
\$10,000 to \$29,999	48	44	44
\$30,000 to \$49,999	34	19	17
\$50,000 and over	39	19	17

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—							180			
150 days or more	74	99	122	141	551	663	74	42	99	
25 to 149 days	42	273	85	1 316	80		551	80	73	
Less than 25 days	99		579		73		122	85	579	
Total contract labor	71	107	(NA)	(NA)	149	98				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	29	(NA)	286	(NA)	72	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	68		51		19		27			
2 workers	29		13		12		11			
3 or 4 workers	24		4		8		14			
5 to 9 workers	34		6		3		23			
10 workers and over	25		-		-		24			