

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..	698	744	321	313	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms..... acres..	235 967	270 190	190 180	214 519	Total cropland..... farms..	553	570	262	239
Average size of farm..... acres..	338	363	592	685	..... acres..	81 578	75 293	57 411	47 837
Approximate land area..... acres..	307 200	307 200	307 200	307 200	Harvested cropland..... farms..	362	319	226	180
Proportion in farms..... percent..	76.8	88.0	61.9	69.8	..... acres..	14 656	11 410	13 058	8 157
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000..	111 322	58 051	88 634	45 776	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars..	159 487	78 026	276 118	146 248	1 to 9 acres.....	74	76	19	
Average per acre..... dollars..	472	215	466	213	10 to 19 acres.....	120	115	63	
					20 to 29 acres.....	55	48	37	
					30 to 49 acres.....	56	35	50	140
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres.....	30	23	30	19
1 to 9 acres.....	19	18	9	9	100 to 199 acres.....	14	13	14	13
10 to 49 acres.....	103	88	9	5	200 to 499 acres.....	7	6	7	6
50 to 69 acres.....	65	69	10	7	500 to 999 acres.....	6	2	6	2
70 to 99 acres.....	85	82	16	10	1,000 acres and over.....	-	1	-	-
100 to 139 acres.....	90	94	34	29	Cropland used only for pasture				
140 to 179 acres.....	64	88	26	22	or grazing..... farms..	384	403	146	140
					..... acres..	62 690	58 587	40 434	35 698
180 to 219 acres.....	28	50	14	21	Other cropland (see text)..... farms..	39	88	25	(NA)
220 to 259 acres.....	26	39	16	26	..... acres..	4 232	5 296	3 919	3 982
260 to 499 acres.....	100	103	79	76	Total woodland..... farms..	249	289	129	152
500 to 999 acres.....	69	65	61	63	..... acres..	22 605	44 791	18 172	38 389
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	28	32	26	30	Other land (see text)..... farms..	452	511	232	(NA)
2,000 acres and over.....	21	16	21	15	..... acres..	131 784	150 106	114 597	128 293
					Irrigated land..... farms..	2	3	2	2
					..... acres..	70	577	70	82
					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
Other cropland..... farms..									
..... acres..			25	(NA)	Total woodland - Continued				
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses,					Woodland not pastured..... farms..			9	24
not harvested and not pastured..... farms..			13	11	..... acres..			768	1 637
..... acres..			973	519	Other land..... farms..			232	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms..			4	6	..... acres..			114 597	128 293
..... acres..			2 107	552	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms..			193	219
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms..			4	8	..... acres..			110 628	124 615
..... acres..			168	482	Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			155	192
Cropland idle..... farms..			7	29	..... acres..			34 907	78 004
..... acres..			671	2 429	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms..			112	97
Total woodland..... farms..			129	152	..... acres..			75 721	46 611
..... acres..			18 172	38 389	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. farms..			177	165
Woodland pastured..... farms..			122	141	..... acres..			3 969	3 678
..... acres..			17 404	36 752					

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..	698	744	321	313	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms..... acres..	235 967	270 190	190 180	214 519	Partnership..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	15	27
Harvested cropland..... acres..	14 656	11 410	13 058	8 157	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	48 389
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	1	-
Full owners..... number..	483	503	186	180	Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	-
Land in farms..... acres..	124 275	112 800	89 219	72 799	Other..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	-	2
Harvested cropland..... acres..	7 476	5 509	6 221	2 607	..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	-	297
Part owners..... number..	154	174	104	106	Farm operators by age group:²				
Land in farms..... acres..	92 432	127 119	85 883	116 168	Under 25 years.....	4	5	1	1
Harvested cropland..... acres..	6 120	5 707	5 864	5 381	25 to 34 years.....	46	42	24	19
Tenants..... number..	61	67	31	27	35 to 44 years.....	103	94	44	41
Land in farms..... acres..	19 260	30 271	15 078	25 552	45 to 54 years.....	147	173	62	64
Harvested cropland..... acres..	1 060	194	973	169	55 to 64 years.....	192	223	90	101
Percent of tenancy.....	8.7	9.0	9.7	8.6	65 years and over.....	205	207	99	87
					Average age.....	55.7	56.0	55.6	56.0
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence:²				
Farm operators by tenure:¹					On farm operated.....	321	360	168	177
All farm operators..... number..	41	49	5	8	On another farm.....	15		3	
Land in farms..... acres..	4 592	9 551	1 535	5 729	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	37	293	19	105
Harvested cropland..... acres..	114	204	25	94	In a city, town, or urban area.....	194		69	
Full owners..... number..	31	34	1	2	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm:²				
Land in farms..... acres..	2 666	4 843	101	2 351	None.....	197	(NA)	100	(NA)
Harvested cropland..... acres..	45	49	17	-	1 to 49 days.....	34	45	16	18
Part owners..... number..	9	12	4	5	50 to 99 days.....	27	23	10	8
Land in farms..... acres..	1 854	4 492	1 434	3 354	100 to 149 days.....	27	74	12	28
Harvested cropland..... acres..	69	116	8	70	150 to 199 days.....	41	116	18	114
Tenants..... number..	1	3	-	1	200 days and over.....	285	341	110	114
Land in farms..... acres..	72	216	-	24	Farm operators by principal occupation:²				
Harvested cropland..... acres..	-	39	-	24	Farming.....	235	(NA)	158	(NA)
Percent of tenancy.....	2.4	6.1	-	12.5	Other.....	462	(NA)	162	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	(NA)
Individual or family..... number..	(NA)	(NA)	305	284	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)
Land in farms..... acres..	(NA)	(NA)	163 021	165 833					

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		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	10	17	10	17	Crops	90	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	16	21	16	21	farms	569	113
\$20,000 to \$39,999	21	28	21	28	\$1,000	13	9
\$10,000 to \$19,999	54	53	54	53	farms	40	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	89	85	89	85	\$1,000	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999	119	119	119	118	farms	—	—
Under \$2,500 (see text)	389	442	12	12	\$1,000	1	4
\$2,000 to \$2,499	63	56	00	00	farms	(0)	6
\$1,500 to \$1,999	59	71	00	00	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	78	53
\$1,000 to \$1,499	87	86	00	00	\$1,000	418	84
Under \$1,000 (see text)	180	229	00	00	farms	6	—
Market value of agricultural products sold					Other field crops	36	—
\$1,000	5 396	5 186	4 987	4 553	\$1,000	6	—
Average per farm	7 730	6 970	15 537	14 546	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	9	—
farms					\$1,000	2	7
Crops, including hay	131	103	90	(NA)	farms	(0)	19
\$1,000	603	208	569	113	Livestock, poultry, and their products	316	310
farms	2	(D)	2	(NA)	\$1,000	4 382	4 427
\$1,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	farms	6	—
Forest products	2	7	2	6	\$1,000	1	—
\$1,000	(D)	13	(D)	13	Dairy products	12	15
Livestock, poultry, and their products	651	684	316	310	\$1,000	768	755
\$1,000	4 756	4 965	4 382	4 427	farms	312	(NA)
Poultry and poultry products	15	(NA)	6	—	\$1,000	3 358	3 554
\$1,000	2	(NA)	1	—	farms	21	(NA)
					\$1,000	133	118
					farms	—	—
					Other livestock and livestock products	22	—
					\$1,000	122	—

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	422	(NA)	155	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	146	(NA)	79	(NA)	farms
\$1,000	261	(NA)	204	(NA)	\$1,000
farms	39	52	24	24	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related
\$1,000	150	136	124	78	farms
Recreational services	18	24	12	20	\$1,000
\$1,000	20	22	18	20	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips
Government farm programs	76	268	41	134	farms
\$1,000	40	152	31	73	\$1,000
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	34	(NA)	17	(NA)	Interest, dividends, or royalties
\$1,000	35	(NA)	23	(NA)	farms
Other farm-related sources	10	(NA)	5	(NA)	\$1,000
\$1,000	15	(NA)	9	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	62	(NA)	36	(NA)	farms
\$1,000	106	(NA)	68	(NA)	\$1,000
					Rent income of nonfarm property
					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	698	744	321	313	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	164	167	77	89
\$1,000	6 270	5 013	5 555	4 085	farms	55	54	47	28
Farms with—					\$1,000	477	543	254	259
\$1 to \$999	142	187	2	25	farms	758	487	652	405
\$1,000 to \$1,999	124	177	25	33	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	179	(NA)	107	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	107	80	34	33	farms	80	96	72	80
\$3,000 to \$4,999	98	96	55	71	\$1,000	(NA)	76	10	46
\$5,000 to \$9,999	112	110	90	91	farms	(NA)	30	4	26
\$10,000 to \$19,999	65	65	65	59	Lime	618	710	306	311
\$20,000 to \$39,999	24	94	24	20	farms	313	215	258	153
\$40,000 to \$59,999	8	8	8	14	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	289	302
\$60,000 and over	18	18	18	14	farms	(NA)	(NA)	190	105
Livestock and poultry purchased	215	334	107	160	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	93
\$1,000	653	976	551	813	farms	(NA)	(NA)	35	22
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	630	665	291	294	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	58
\$1,000	1 789	1 066	1 570	839	farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	11
Commercially mixed formula feeds	498	483	275	256	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	618	710	306	311
\$1,000	1 559	833	1 436	686	farms	313	215	258	153
farms	(NA)	(NA)	70	51	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	289	302
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	28	72	farms	(NA)	(NA)	190	105
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	54	29	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	124	93
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	20	farms	(NA)	(NA)	35	22
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	64	88	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	29	58
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	80	62	farms	(NA)	(NA)	9	11
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	191	(NA)	Hired farm labor	217	332	133	193
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	63	(NA)	farms	479	501	452	349
					\$1,000	71	335	42	43
					farms	79	168	71	28
					Contract labor	208	130	130	161
					\$1,000	157	137	137	106
					farms	595	317	317	312
					\$1,000	1 907	1 449	1 681	1 284

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.....	676	277	290					
	\$1,000.....	6 221	3 336	4 014	2 170				
Average per farm.....	dollars.....	10 132	4 935	14 491	7 482				
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....		20	115	2	146				
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....		211	346	81	17				
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....		213	150	75	91				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		106	45	63	36				
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....		38		34	6				
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....		12		11	6				
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....		9	20	6	5				
\$70,000 and over.....		5		5					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	farms.....	349	355	154	175				
	number.....	392	413	179	203				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		162	273	108	141				
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	farms.....	511	503	242	239				
	number.....	625	591	338	312				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		269	373	184	215				
Wheel tractors.....	farms.....	493	507	236	251				
	number.....	751	718	387	391				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		190	284	87	167				
Crawler tractors.....	farms.....	18		10	12				
	number.....	21		13	17				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		1		1	9				
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	farms.....	3	1	3	1				
	number.....	3	1	3	1				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		—	1	—	1				
Corn heads for combines.....	farms.....	1	15	1	1				
	number.....	1	15	1	1				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		—	6	—	—				
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	farms.....	17		13	9				
	number.....	17		13	9				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		—		—	4				
Mower conditioners.....	farms.....	84	(NA)	59	(NA)				
	number.....	98	(NA)	72	(NA)				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		31	(NA)	23	(NA)				
Pickup balers.....	farms.....	58	51	45	37				
	number.....	61	64	47	45				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		28	40	23	31				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	farms.....	26	(NA)	18	27				
	number.....	30	(NA)	22	30				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		3	(NA)	3	25				
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	farms.....	8	(NA)	5	11				
	number.....	15	(NA)	6	11				
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		1	(NA)	1	9				

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.....	661	00	312	00	651	00	316	00	4 382
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	649	00	308	00	645	00	316	00	3 491
.....1969.....	698	00	304	00	683	00	310	00	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	645	57 776	304	48 298	641	24 366	312	21 518	3 358
.....1969.....	694	46 516	302	37 261	678	29 736	308	25 766	3 554
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	13	31	3	8	102	271	7	18	3
5 to 9.....1974.....	34	251	—	—	118	809	12	81	14
10 to 19.....1974.....	99	1 431	6	69	148	1 996	40	573	84
20 to 49.....1974.....	208	6 701	52	1 884	155	4 664	135	4 220	653
50 to 99.....1974.....	146	10 066	98	7 041	69	4 687	69	4 687	594
100 to 199.....1974.....	87	11 710	87	11 710	33	4 427	33	4 427	704
200 to 499.....1974.....	46	14 305	46	14 305	14	(D)	14	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....1974.....	12	13 281	12	13 281	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	544	35 184	280	30 336	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	585	30 577	284	25 763	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	535	34 037	274	29 224	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	28 937	273	24 168	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	32	1 147	15	1 112	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	46	1 640	23	1 595	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	00	00	00	00	(NA)	00	12	00	768
.....1969.....	00	00	00	00	(NA)	00	15	00	755
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Cattle sold		Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Dollars (1,000)	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows.....	535	34 037	274	29 224	208	6 338	1 614		
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	21	55	4	10	50	147	31		
5 to 9.....	52	381	4	33	42	258	60		
10 to 19.....	105	1 485	11	147	48	692	153		
20 to 49.....	182	5 715	85	2 908	43	1 256	302		
50 to 99.....	97	6 690	92	6 415	12	872	152		
100 to 199.....	52	7 078	52	7 078	6	723	230		
200 to 499.....	20	6 029	20	6 029	6	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	6	6 604	6	6 604	1	(D)	(D)		
Milk cows.....	32	1 147	15	1 112	291	15 180	1 744		
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	15	20	3	5	3	4	(Z)		
3 or 4.....	4	13	1	3	4	14	2		
5 to 9.....	2	10	—	—	20	144	17		
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	57	810	98		
20 to 49.....	1	25	1	25	128	3 971	489		
50 to 99.....	4	263	4	263	49	3 353	335		
100 to 199.....	6	816	6	816	21	2 903	339		
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	7	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	2	(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	252	9 422	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	10	102	19
1969	241	6 252	1969	2	28	(NA)
Beef heifers	247	8 698	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	16	724	1 to 9	6	31	9
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	267	8 540	10 to 19	3	48	7
1969	281	5 246	20 to 49	1	23	2
			50 to 99	—	—	—
			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	43	1 068	24	929	28	2 704	21	2 620	133
1969	42	4 272	23	1 160	38	3 071	26	2 356	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	16	38	5	12	4	4	3	3	(Z)
5 to 9	9	67	6	44	3	25	1	9	(Z)
10 to 24	10	151	6	88	7	111	3	44	3
25 to 49	3	90	2	63	1	46	1	46	3
50 to 99	2	132	2	132	5	290	5	290	17
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	574	4	574	24
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	1 178	10	1 126	26
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	289	6	222	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1	3	1	3	—	—	—	—	(NA)
1969	3	24	1	8	2	2	—	—	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	00	—
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	1	12	(Z)
1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	30	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	152	695	74	520	32	136	22	123	122
1969	207	638	(NA)	(NA)	18	37	(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	11	159	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969	17	196	December 1 of preceding year and November 30			
Other hogs and pigs	19	770	1969			
1969	22	964	December 1 of preceding year and May 31			
Lambs under 1 year old	—	—	1969			
Ewes 1 year old or older	1	2	June 1 and November 30			
Rams and wethers	1	1	1969			

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	74	00	20	00	10	00	5	00
1969	(NA)	00	18	00	(NA)	00	—	00
Chickens 3 months old or older	70	1 794	20	478	2	36	1	24
1969	58	8 630	16	296	4	13 473	—	—
Hens and pullets of laying age	68	1 623	20	454	2	36	1	24
1969	58	4 849	16	294	4	10 892	—	—
Farms with—								
1 to 99	67	1 469	20	454	2	36	1	24
100 to 399	1	154	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	15	197	2	10	8	40	4	24
1969	2	78	2	78	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	00	(X)	00	15	2	6	1
1969	(X)	00	(X)	00	(NA)	(NA)	—	—

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..	20	454	1	24	Turkeys.....1974..	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	16	294	-	-	.....1969..	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	20	454	1	24	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	-	-	-	-	Light breed.....1974..	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	10	24	-	-	.....1969..	-	-	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	-	-	-	-	Other poultry.....1974..	-	00	-	00
					.....1969..	2	00	-	00

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	46	49	624	448	00	00
Sorghums for all purposes.....	13	13	688	990	00	00
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	1	-	1	-	1 650
Wheat (bushels).....	1	-	4	-	60	-
Other small grains for grain.....	2	3	70	120	00	00
Cotton (bales).....	1	6	70	339	67	221
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	11	(NA)	33	(NA)	3 886	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	3	(NA)	4	(NA)	505	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	330	283	11 742	7 866	25 469	13 565
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	7	1	18	(D)	00	00
Land in orchards.....	6	15	1 351	934	00	00
Berries for sale.....	-	1	-	9	00	00
Other crops.....	6	(NA)	133	427	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).....	24	19	454	261	18 186	5 093	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	1	-	25	-	300	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	-	2	-	16	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	6	7	395	353	18 540	8 442	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	6	(NA)	260	106	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	7	4	199	190	527	228	-	-

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974..	146	40 434	00	-	-	72	9 247	72	1 253	2	4
.....1969..	140	35 698	00	-	-	91	8 331	91	1 295	3	20
Improved pasture.....1974..	155	34 907	00	-	-	75	12 893	72	1 609	4	37
.....1969..	192	78 004	00	2	52	135	23 823	134	3 810	1	5
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	25	479	00	-	-	18	369	18	60	3	7
.....1969..	21	277	00	-	-	16	243	16	48	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	9	655	00	-	-	7	560	7	140	-	-
.....1969..	9	459	00	-	-	8	432	8	50	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oats (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	1	15	600	-	-	1	15	(NA)	4	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974..	1	60	540	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	213	10 344	23 093	-	-	127	6 300	125	1 562	8	81
.....1969..	165	6 380	11 539	1	30	88	3 981	88	877	1	4
Field seed crops.....1974..	1	70	00	-	-	1	70	1	10	-	-
.....1969..	1	110	00	-	-	1	110	1	13	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	1	70	67	-	-	1	70	1	10	1	5
.....1969..	4	144	53	-	-	4	144	(NA)	12	(NA)	2
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	7	32	3 849	-	-	5	32	5	32	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	6	13	00	-	-	6	13	6	2	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974..	5	1 350	00	-	-	1	(D)	-	-	1	60
.....1969..	9	830	00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	2	60	00	2	30	2	15	2	15	
.....	1969	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other crops	1974	2	4	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	

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	farms	262	273	273	273	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	farms	—	—	—	—
.....	\$1,000	724	484	484	484	Diseases in crops and orchards	acres on which used	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	farms	254	232	232	232	.....	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
.....	acres on which used	29 983	37 079	37 079	37 079	Weeds or grass in crops	farms	12	10	10	10
.....	tons	4 900	6 139	6 139	6 139	.....	acres on which used	1 483	444	444	444
.....	\$1,000	652	405	405	405	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	6	2	2	2
Lime	farms	10	46	46	46	.....	acres on which used	14 250	26 597	26 597	26 597
.....	acres on which used	414	3 609	3 609	3 609	Weeds on all other land	farms	32	34	(NA)	(NA)
.....	tons	493	3 986	3 986	3 986	.....	acres on which used	299	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....	\$1,000	4	26	26	26	.....	\$1,000	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	9	33	33	33	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	farms	1	4	4	4
Insects on hay crops	acres on which used	858	1 836	1 836	1 836	of crops or thinning of fruit	acres on which used	40	59	59	59
.....	\$1,000	8	6	6	6	.....	\$1,000	(2)	(2)	(2)	
Insects on other crops	farms	7	4	4	4	Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	43	119	119	119
.....	acres on which used	1 050	280	280	280	.....	\$1,000	8	11	11	
.....	\$1,000	9	(2)	(2)	(2)	Other chemicals (see text)	farms	18	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	farms	—	—	—	—	.....	\$1,000	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....	acres on which used	—	—	—	—						

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	farms	2	2	2	2	Land irrigated by—Continued	farms	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	percent	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	acres	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	acres	70	82	82	82	Other sprinkler systems	farms	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	acres	35.0	41.0	41.0	41.0	acres	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	farms	2	1	1	1	Land in irrigated farms	acres	780	(D)	(D)	(D)
.....	acres	70	30	30	30	Cropland	acres	180	70	70	
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	2	1	1	1	Harvested cropland	acres	120	70	70	
.....	acres	30	30	30	30	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	farms	1	(X)	(X)	
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	acres irrigated in most recent year	50	(X)	(X)	
.....	acres	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	farms	5	13	13	
Other cropland irrigated	farms	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms	percent	1.6	4.1	4.1	
.....	acres	40	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	acres	18 155	47 499	47 499	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	—	2	2	2	Land drained	acres	4 615	12 826	12 826	
.....	acres	—	52	52	52	Average per farm	acres	923.0	986.6	986.6	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	30	36	36	36	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	farms	198	(NA)	(NA)	
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	tanks	number	1 055	(NA)	(NA)	
Land irrigated by—	farms	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	.....	acres	915	(NA)	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	acres	70	(NA)	(NA)	(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)	farms	120	74	87
.....	\$1,000	6 084	4 108	1 975
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000		18	17	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999		14	9	20
\$10,000 to \$29,999		40	17	33
\$30,000 to \$49,999		19	9	13
\$50,000 and over		29	22	6

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—											
150 days or more	39	42	100	78	380	349	Farms	133	39	25	86
25 to 149 days	25	174	66	498	25	47	Cash wages paid .. \$1,000	452	380	25	47
Less than 25 days	86	43	(NA)	(NA)	71	28	Number of workers	910	100	66	744
Total contract labor	42	43	(NA)	(NA)	71	28	Farms with—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor ..	16	(NA)	120	(NA)	42	(NA)	1 worker	50	18	12	34
							2 workers	33	11	6	20
							3 or 4 workers	18	5	4	8
							5 to 9 workers	23	4	2	18
							10 workers and over	9	1	1	6