

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.....	991	1 161	596	651	Land in Farms According to Use	Total cropland..... farms.....	709	780	428	449
Land in farms..... acres.....	471 126	508 917	413 084	422 116		Total cropland..... acres.....	118 579	116 319	87 448	80 901
Average size of farm..... acres.....	475	438	693	648		Harvested cropland..... farms.....	380	475	294	338
Approximate land area..... acres.....	596 480	596 480	596 480	596 480		Harvested cropland..... acres.....	28 093	31 282	26 411	28 583
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	79.0	85.3	69.3	70.8		Farms by acres harvested:				
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000.....	137 965	69 135	117 913	56 303		1 to 9 acres.....	50	67	25	
Average per farm..... dollars.....	139 218	59 547	197 840	86 486		10 to 19 acres.....	71	101	46	181
Average per acre..... dollars.....	293	136	285	133		20 to 29 acres.....	57	63	38	
Farms by size:						30 to 49 acres.....	65	81	56	
1 to 9 acres.....	27	54	14	13		50 to 99 acres.....	65	71	57	68
10 to 49 acres.....	71	74	12	15		100 to 199 acres.....	39	57	39	54
50 to 69 acres.....	33	50	9	16		200 to 499 acres.....	25	29	25	29
70 to 99 acres.....	98	98	27	18		500 to 999 acres.....	7	5	7	5
100 to 139 acres.....	112	81	38	18		1,000 acres and over.....	1	1	1	1
140 to 179 acres.....	95	107	44	40		Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms.....	479	506	253	239
180 to 219 acres.....	59	73	31	32		Woodland not pastured..... acres.....	83 118	78 124	55 195	46 656
220 to 259 acres.....	57	61	33	39		Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	73	138	39	(NA)
260 to 499 acres.....	185	260	143	182		Other cropland (see text)..... acres.....	7 368	6 913	5 842	5 662
500 to 999 acres.....	142	193	133	170		Total woodland..... farms.....	231	368	134	184
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	74	76	74	75		Woodland..... acres.....	27 543	47 737	20 831	33 155
2,000 acres and over.....	38	34	38	33	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	692	882	469	(NA)	
					Other land (see text)..... acres.....	325 004	344 861	304 805	308 060	
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	28	19	21	14	
					Irrigated land..... acres.....	754	608	667	564	
					Total woodland—Continued					
					Woodland not pastured..... farms.....			16	16	
					Woodland not pastured..... acres.....			1 929	3 850	
					Other land..... farms.....			469	(NA)	
					Other land..... acres.....			304 805	308 060	
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms.....			413	469	
					Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... acres.....			297 134	291 488	
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			230	289	
					Improved pastureland and rangeland..... acres.....			55 239	91 842	
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms.....			307	352	
					Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... acres.....			241 895	199 646	
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms.....			294	311	
					Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... acres.....			7 671	16 572	

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.....	991	1 161	596	651	Farms by type of organization—Con.	Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	28	77
Land in farms..... acres.....	471 126	508 917	413 084	422 116		Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	28 025	80 283
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	28 093	31 282	26 411	28 583		Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	1
Farms by tenure of farm operator:						Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	958
Full owners..... number.....	639	710	336	335		Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	4
Land in farms..... acres.....	201 683	235 974	162 392	180 778		Other..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	(D)	2 042
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	11 696	12 012	10 454	10 235		Farm operators by age group: ²				
Part owners..... number.....	245	305	200	244		Under 25 years.....	10	21	6	11
Land in farms..... acres.....	221 878	216 029	210 432	198 319		25 to 34 years.....	112	105	67	47
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	13 372	15 097	13 176	14 635		35 to 44 years.....	150	195	87	123
Tenants..... number.....	107	146	60	72		45 to 54 years.....	185	278	121	165
Land in farms..... acres.....	47 565	56 914	40 260	43 019		55 to 64 years.....	277	314	154	171
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	3 025	4 173	2 781	3 713		65 years and over.....	253	248	158	134
Percent of tenancy.....	10.8	12.5	10.1	11.0		Average age.....	54.4	53.2	54.5	53.2
Block and other races, see text—						Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹						On farm operated.....	482	605	300	355
All farm operators..... number.....	1	2	1	—		On another farm.....	10	—	7	—
Land in farms..... acres.....	230	40	230	—		In a rural area, not on a farm.....	40	393	24	217
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	36	—	—		In a city, town, or urban area.....	259	—	145	—
Full owners..... number.....	1	—	—	—		Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	230	—	230	—	None.....	255	(NA)	178	(NA)	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	1 to 49 days.....	30	60	11	35	
Part owners..... number.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99 days.....	17	48	9	28	
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 149 days.....	42	—	25	—	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	—	—	—	150 to 199 days.....	66	86	39	40	
Tenants..... number.....	—	2	—	—	200 days and over.....	414	560	213	270	
Land in farms..... acres.....	—	40	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	—	36	—	—	Farming.....	410	(NA)	307	(NA)	
Percent of tenancy.....	—	100.0	—	—	Other.....	577	(NA)	286	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	8	(NA)	
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	565	569	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	15	(NA)	
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	381 948	338 833						

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			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	12	24	12	24	Crops	farms	177 (NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	31		31		\$1,000	farms	1 546 1 158
\$20,000 to \$39,999	72	56	72	56	Grains	farms	83 81
					\$1,000	farms	532 226
\$10,000 to \$19,999	106	121	106	121	Tobacco	farms	-- --
\$5,000 to \$9,999	156	197	156	197	\$1,000	farms	-- --
\$2,500 to \$4,999	181	236	181	235	Cotton and cottonseed	farms	21 34
Under \$2,500 (see text)	433	527	38 (X)	18 (X)	\$1,000	farms	125 92
\$2,000 to \$2,499	96	88	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms	59 111
\$1,500 to \$1,999	79	126	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	farms	223 185
\$1,000 to \$1,499	99	136	(X)	(X)	Other field crops	farms	41 70
Under \$1,000 (see text)	159	177	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	farms	423 421
					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms	28 41
					\$1,000	farms	103 100
					Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms	39 134
					\$1,000	farms	-- --
					Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	574 637
Market value of agricultural products sold					\$1,000	farms	7 523 7 005
\$1,000	9 582	8 800	9 088	8 176	Poultry and poultry products	farms	9 12
Average per farm	dollars 9 669	7 579	15 249	12 558	\$1,000	farms	1 174
					Dairy products	farms	26 11
Crops, including hay	farms 227	323	177 (NA)	(NA)	\$1,000	farms	1 513 384
\$1,000	1 590	1 236	1 546	1 158	Cattle and calves	farms	567 (NA)
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms 5	5	5	4	\$1,000	farms	5 785 6 026
\$1,000	18	18	18	11	Hogs and pigs	farms	40 (NA)
					\$1,000	farms	187 421
Forest products	farms 7	10	3	4	Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms	6 4
\$1,000	2	3	2	1	\$1,000	farms	21 35
					Other livestock and livestock products	farms	-- --
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 918	1 066	574	637			
\$1,000	7 973	7 561	7 523	7 005			
Poultry and poultry products	farms 21	(NA)	9	12			
\$1,000	2	(NA)	1	174			

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	555	(NA)	248	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms	420
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	175	(NA)	136	(NA)	\$1,000	farms	5 453
\$1,000	344	(NA)	310	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms	85
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms 56	94	46	71	\$1,000	farms	1 395
\$1,000	182	161	168	123	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms	282
Recreational services	farms 6	16	6	11	\$1,000	farms	3 179
\$1,000	2	6	2	4	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms	154
Government farm programs	farms 93	224	72	172	\$1,000	farms	521
\$1,000	95	175	85	154	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms	111
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms 42	(NA)	31	(NA)	\$1,000	farms	275
\$1,000	53	(NA)	44	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms	42
Other farm-related sources	farms 7	(NA)	7	(NA)	\$1,000	farms	83
\$1,000	11	(NA)	11	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms 64	(NA)	42	(NA)			
\$1,000	86	(NA)	65	(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 988	1 161	596	651	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms 281	334	176	218
\$1,000	10 107	7 400	9 328	6 640	\$1,000	farms 148	112	137	102
					Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms 506	630	350	397
Farms with --					\$1,000	farms 573	368	525	324
\$1 to \$999	127	252	11	77	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms 221	(NA)	167	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,999	180	204	38	80	\$1,000	farms 93	78	87	68
\$2,000 to \$2,999	123	174	73	177	Lime	farms (NA)	5	3	--
\$3,000 to \$4,999	169	190	106	164	\$1,000	farms (NA)	(2)	2	--
\$5,000 to \$9,999	167	187	147	177	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms 871	1 117	563	646
\$10,000 to \$19,999	119		118	90	\$1,000	farms 545	429	485	352
\$20,000 to \$39,999	65	154	65	45	Gasoline	farms (NA)	(NA)	504	623
\$40,000 to \$59,999	13		13	18	\$1,000	farms (NA)	(NA)	306	249
\$60,000 and over	25		25		Diesel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	159	159
					\$1,000	farms (NA)	(NA)	64	45
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms 404	543	249	323	LP gas, butane, and propane	farms (NA)	(NA)	99	144
\$1,000	2 304	2 158	2 163	1 985	\$1,000	farms (NA)	(NA)	41	24
					Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	562	645
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms 895	1 031	546	593	\$1,000	farms (NA)	(NA)	74	34
\$1,000	2 971	1 579	2 687	1 408	Hired farm labor	farms 234	387	173	306
					\$1,000	farms 410	395	392	368
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms 686	703	454	496	Contract labor	farms 73	524	61	74
\$1,000	2 025	1 072	1 866	999	\$1,000	farms 93	366	88	58
Feed ingredients	farms (NA)	(NA)	171	132	Machine hire and customwork	farms 337		218	346
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	203	198	\$1,000	farms 215		193	270
Whole grains	farms (NA)	(NA)	155	79	All other production expenses	farms 914	992	586	649
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	344	80	\$1,000	farms 2 755	1 915	2 466	1 705
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms (NA)	(NA)	162	198					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	273	130					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms (NA)	(NA)	389	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	106	(NA)					

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....	852	1 080	523	621	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	31	36	29	35
..... farms.....					..... number.....	32	36	30	35
Average per farm.....	9 915	4 655	12 193	6 209	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	20	5	20
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines.....	1	11	—	—
\$1 to \$999.....	24	171	13	373	..... number.....	1	13	—	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	270	610	132	151	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	5	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	293	185	159	56	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	9	9	9	11
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	174	69	137	23	..... number.....	9	9	9	13
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	51	45	45	17	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	3	3	5
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	28	45	25	7	Mower conditioners.....	98	(NA)	72	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	7	7	7	1	..... number.....	108	(NA)	79	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	5	5	5	1	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	36	(NA)	27	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers.....	85	89	72	76
Automobiles.....	524	629	311	384	..... number.....	91	96	75	83
..... number.....	640	762	385	454	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	23	47	20	44
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	270	458	205	302	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	33	(NA)	32	36
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	731	888	460	556	..... number.....	33	(NA)	32	41
..... number.....	966	1 108	663	759	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	(NA)	8	24
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	388	625	303	470	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	8	(NA)	6	12
Wheel tractors.....	665	804	438	490	..... number.....	8	(NA)	6	12
..... number.....	1 023	1 145	707	726	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	(NA)	2	8
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	189	387	116	270					
Crawler tractors.....	29	19	19	40					
..... number.....	31	21	21	44					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	1	1	15					

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.....	919	(X)	557	(X)	918	(X)	574	(X)	7 523
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	905	(X)	553	(X)	916	(X)	573	(X)	5 975
.....1969.....	1 049	(X)	614	(X)	1 057	(X)	635	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	896	73 418	547	64 855	905	35 087	567	31 832	5 785
.....1969.....	1 035	66 967	607	58 818	1 044	43 075	627	38 516	6 026
Farms with —									
1 to 4.....1974.....	10	30	4	10	68	181	9	20	4
5 to 9.....1974.....	31	229	5	41	154	1 070	25	187	36
10 to 19.....1974.....	151	2 180	28	421	205	2 792	80	1 177	189
20 to 49.....1974.....	296	9 223	129	4 518	276	8 322	251	7 726	1 213
50 to 99.....1974.....	198	13 819	171	11 928	128	8 555	128	8 555	1 350
100 to 199.....1974.....	130	17 341	130	17 341	54	7 029	54	7 029	1 290
200 to 499.....1974.....	64	17 818	64	17 818	16	4 238	16	4 238	868
500 and over.....1974.....	16	12 778	16	12 778	4	2 900	4	2 900	835
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	776	40 087	491	35 795	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	865	35 636	550	31 841	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	749	38 486	468	34 259	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	34 842	541	31 138	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	94	1 601	65	1 536	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	112	794	62	703	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)	1 513
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	384
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.....	749	38 486	468	34 259	Cattle sold.....	444	17 125	3 996	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4.....	25	66	6	11	1 to 4.....	41	97	21	
5 to 9.....	78	541	16	104	5 to 9.....	67	466	94	
10 to 19.....	168	2 255	39	556	10 to 19.....	112	1 491	288	
20 to 49.....	229	6 925	164	5 221	20 to 49.....	137	4 052	815	
50 to 99.....	153	10 164	147	9 832	50 to 99.....	52	3 390	691	
100 to 199.....	65	8 924	65	8 924	100 to 199.....	27	3 528	887	
200 to 499.....	28	7 611	28	7 611	200 to 499.....	4	1 201	366	
500 and over.....	3	2 000	3	2 000	500 and over.....	4	2 900	835	
Milk cows.....	94	1 601	65	1 536	Calves sold.....	433	14 707	1 789	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2.....	57	76	34	46	1 or 2.....	13	19	2	
3 or 4.....	9	29	5	16	3 or 4.....	20	71	9	
5 to 9.....	2	10	2	10	5 to 9.....	48	336	44	
10 to 19.....	7	95	5	73	10 to 19.....	112	1 565	194	
20 to 49.....	3	79	3	79	20 to 49.....	155	4 802	572	
50 to 99.....	13	907	13	907	50 to 99.....	57	3 802	435	
100 to 199.....	3	405	3	405	100 to 199.....	23	2 840	377	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	5	1 272	156	
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	405	12 371	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	48	2 316	819
	1969	501	13 003		1969	13	2 687	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	389	11 953	Farms with—				
Milk heifers	1974	20	418	1 to 9	1974	16	69	15
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	486	16 689	10 to 19	1974	8	96	20
	1969	573	13 974	20 to 49	1974	16	493	134
				50 to 99	1974	3	175	32
				100 to 199	1974	3	383	118
				200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	(D)
				500 and over	1974	1	(D)	(D)

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		Dollars (1,000)
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Hogs and pigs	1974	70	1 516	47	1 381	49	3 408	40	3 310	187
	1969	113	4 129	72	3 623	94	6 912	68	6 507	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	35	81	15	40	8	16	4	9	1
5 to 9	1974	5	35	5	35	5	32	5	32	2
10 to 24	1974	13	228	13	228	15	280	10	189	9
25 to 49	1974	11	345	8	251	2	72	2	72	3
50 to 99	1974	3	158	3	158	9	639	9	639	38
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	5	612	5	612	22
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	5	1 757	5	1 757	112
500 and over	1974									
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	1 008	12	1 008	21
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	36	2 533	25	2 293	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	12	204	5	134	12	193	6	149	(NA)
	1969	14	468	9	358	14	292	10	223	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	91	1892
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	(X)	4
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)			(NA)	(NA)			
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	11	2 236	(NA)	(NA)	6	2 074	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	207	736	140	593	22	99	19	96	34
	1969	319	1 148	(NA)	(NA)	46	336	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

		Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory				
		Farms	Number		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
					Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	31	325	Litters of pigs farrowed between—					
	1969	53	664	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1974	35	439	32	425
Other hogs and pigs	1974	42	1 056		1969	78	820	58	750
	1969	66	2 959	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	31	239	30	233
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	2	32		1969	69	426	54	392
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	5	94	June 1 and November 30	1974	26	200	23	192
Rams and wethers	1974	5	8		1969	56	394	44	358

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	116	(X)	67	(X)	7	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	76	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	112	2 878	66	1 710	7	257	4	172
	1969	180	5 307	76	2 818	5	1 318	3	1 218
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	106	2 622	62	1 550	7	244	4	169
	1969	166	4 879	71	2 650	5	1 318	3	1 218
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	103	2 322	60	1 350	6	144	3	69
100 to 399	1974	3	300	2	200	1	100	1	100
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	5	100	2	75				
	1969	1	1	1	1				
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	21	2	9	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	12	174

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	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	62	1 550	4	169	Turkeys	1974	4	36	-	-
	1969	71	2 650	3	1 218		1969	4	16	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	62	1 445	3	139	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	2	22	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	3	105	1	30	Heavy breed	1974	1	20	-	-
	1974	4	47	-	-	Light breed	1974	1	2	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	47	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	14	-	-
	1969	4	85	-	-		1969	4	12	1	3
Roasters and male chickens for breeding	1974	29	113	1	3	Other poultry	1974	8	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	-	-	-	-		1969	10	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms											
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested							
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969		1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes	23	23	459	546	(X)	(X)						
Sorghums for all purposes	66	53	3 283	2 941	(X)	(X)						
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	2 552	537	3 622	176				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	43	73	2 207	3 121								
Wheat (bushels)	55	67	5 387	4 347	120	996	116	797				
Other small grains for grain	30	44	995	1 996	(X)	(X)						
Cotton (bales)	25	42	2 558	2 519	988		1 096					
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	6	(NA)	8	(NA)	184		(NA)					(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	407		(NA)					(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	277	306	12 132	11 944	13 646		14 593					
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	35	58	333	990	(X)	(X)						
Land in orchards	51	91	1 762	2 907	(X)	(X)						
Berries for sale	3	9	2	10	(X)	(X)						
Other crops	10	(NA)	225	376	(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)	14	18	405	501	5 107	9 930	-	-	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grozed	1	1	15	17	-	-	-	1	-	17
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	40	31	2 666	2 265	68 204	65 972	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	16	(NA)	369	384	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	25
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	32	40	699	1 053	959	2 578	-	-	-	-

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	253	55 195	(X)	2	40	82	7 521	78	631	15	132
	1969	239	46 656	(X)	2	75	79	6 135	76	625	8	58
Improved pasture	1974	230	55 239	(X)	2	20	90	10 978	85	834	6	70
	1969	289	91 842	(X)	3	109	143	17 472	127	2 281	30	257
Corn for all purposes	1974	15	420	(X)	-	-	9	173	9	18	-	-
	1969	19	518	(X)	1	17	8	130	8	13	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	51	3 035	(X)	-	-	32	1 094	32	111	-	-
	1969	41	2 649	(X)	1	25	17	563	17	35	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	1974	54	5 367	120 869	1	12	39	4 441	36	316	8	60
	1969	59	3 951	111 620	-	-	39	2 192	(NA)	193	(NA)	7
Oats (bushels)	1974	26	931	21 445	-	-	15	491	15	61	-	-
	1969	32	1 145	50 623	-	-	15	517	(NA)	42	(NA)	5
Barley (bushels)	1974	1	9	180	-	-	1	9	1	2	-	-
	1969	3	119	2 513	-	-	1	70	(NA)	4	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	2	110	1 701	-	-	2	110	(NA)	20	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	40	2 172	2 521 597	10	405	38	2 069	38	307	-	-
	1969	53	2 842	3 381 638	7	226	47	2 582	(NA)	275	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	222	11 041	12 276	8	187	113	3 804	112	466	4	11
	1969	237	10 684	13 252	2	65	102	3 924	98	481	12	39
Field seed crops	1974	3	78	(X)	-	-	1	30	1	1	-	-
	1969	6	151	(X)	-	-	1	85	1	17	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	22	2 523	973	-	-	8	169	2	4	6	5
	1969	35	2 438	1 073	-	-	10	162	(NA)	16	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	6	8	184	2	6	5	8	5	2	-	-
	1969	9	7	506	-	-	4	7	(NA)	2	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	28	322	(X)	7	33	19	179	19	37	-	-
	1969	41	931	(X)	3	9	29	553	29	69	-	-
Land in orchards	1974	29	1 623	(X)	2	50	9	155	9	25	-	-
	1969	65	2 696	(X)	2	37	23	838	22	82	1	3

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	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	4	3	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	5	2	(X)	2	2	2	(Z)	—	—	—
.....	1969	4	(Z)	(X)	2	2	3	(Z)	—	—	—
Other crops	1974	2	112	(X)	—	—	2	(Z)	1	(Z)	(Z)
.....	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	2	—	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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	378	—	449	—	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	—	—	—	—
..... farms	378	—	449	—	Diseases in crops and orchards	6	—	20	—
..... \$1,000	612	—	392	—	..... farms	168	—	520	—
Commercial fertilizer	350	—	325	—	..... acres on which used	2	—	3	—
..... farms	31	338	35	388	Weeds or grass in crops	34	—	44	—
..... acres on which used	3	111	4	539	..... \$1,000	2	987	2	420
..... tons	525	—	324	—	..... farms	15	—	11	—
Lime	3	—	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	60	—	128	—
..... farms	370	—	—	—	..... \$1,000	8	799	18	718
..... acres on which used	270	—	—	—	..... farms	26	—	31	—
..... tons	2	—	—	—	Weeds on all other land	11	—	(NA)	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	15	—	1	—	..... \$1,000	622	—	(NA)	—
Insects on hay crops	666	—	50	—	..... farms	3	—	8	—
..... farms	5	—	(Z)	—	..... acres on which used	291	—	262	—
..... \$1,000	28	—	46	—	..... farms	1	—	(Z)	—
Insects on other crops	1	712	1	906	Insect control on livestock and poultry	59	—	151	—
..... farms	18	—	11	—	..... \$1,000	6	—	9	—
..... acres on which used	—	—	2	—	Other chemicals (see text)	39	—	(NA)	—
Nematodes in crops	—	—	7	—	..... farms	8	—	(NA)	—
..... farms	—	—	(Z)	—	..... \$1,000	—	—	(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	21	—	14	—	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	3.5	—	2.1	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	3	—	(NA)	—
Total land irrigated	667	—	564	—	..... farms	94	—	(NA)	—
Average per farm	31.8	—	40.2	—	Other sprinkler systems	17	—	(NA)	—
Cropland irrigated	20	—	13	—	..... farms	572	—	(NA)	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	647	—	455	—	Land in irrigated farms	6	453	9	711
..... farms	20	—	12	—	..... acres	2	955	4	147
Cropland pasture irrigated	607	—	380	—	Harvested cropland	1	749	1	135
..... farms	2	—	2	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	2	—	(X)	—
Other cropland irrigated	40	—	75	—	..... farms	69	—	(X)	—
..... farms	—	—	(NA)	—	..... acres irrigated in most recent year	5	—	10	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	2	—	3	—	Farms with artificial drainage	0.8	—	1.5	—
..... farms	2	—	109	—	Proportion of farms	3	274	7	236
..... acres	419	—	292	—	Land in farms with drainage	4	279	962	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	0.6	—	0.5	—	Land drained	85.8	—	96.2	—
Average per acre irrigated	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	—	—	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	372	—	(NA)	—
Furrows or ditches	1	—	(NA)	—	..... farms	2	205	(NA)	—
..... farms	1	—	(NA)	—	..... number	2	209	(NA)	—
..... acres .....	—	—	—	—	..... acres	—	—	—	—

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	232	160	153	—	—	—
..... farms	—	9 727	6 744	2 983	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	—	42	22	44	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	41	36	32	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	78	52	49	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	22	15	9	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	49	35	19	—	—	—

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—	52	66	82	97	285	368	173	52	51	104
150 days or more	51	274	97	869	57	—	392	285	57	51
25 to 149 days	104	—	406	—	51	—	585	82	97	406
Less than 25 days	61	74	(NA)	(NA)	88	58				
Total contract labor	29	(NA)	93	(NA)	53	(NA)				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	—	—	—	—	—	—				
..... farms	—	—	—	—	—	—				
..... workers	—	—	—	—	—	—				
..... dollars	—	—	—	—	—	—				
..... farms	—	—	—	—	—	—				
..... workers	—	—	—	—	—	—				
..... dollars	—	—	—	—	—	—				