

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farms..... number...	718	873	499	509
Land in farms..... acres...	530 377	587 612	491 315	526 951
Average size of farm..... acres...	739	673	985	1 035
Approximate land area..... acres...	568 512	568 512	568 512	568 512
Proportion in farms..... percent...	93.3	103.4	86.4	92.7
Value of land and buildings .. \$1,000...	91 550	62 024	84 016	54 324
Average per farm..... dollars...	127 507	71 046	168 369	106 727
Average per acre..... dollars...	173	106	171	103
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres.....	25	49	13	7
10 to 49 acres.....	33	44	11	6
50 to 69 acres.....	13	34	5	6
70 to 99 acres.....	61	47	18	10
100 to 139 acres.....	37	60	16	7
140 to 179 acres.....	63	76	33	30
180 to 219 acres.....	37	45	24	19
220 to 259 acres.....	51	44	31	23
260 to 499 acres.....	157	191	117	132
500 to 999 acres.....	110	120	101	112
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	76	107	75	101
2,000 acres and over.....	55	56	55	56
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms...			106	(NA)
..... acres...			9 771	25 896
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms...			6	46
..... acres...			217	3 958
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms...			54	31
..... acres...			4 507	1 784
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms...			41	137
..... acres...			3 529	14 788
Cropland idle..... farms...			24	87
..... acres...			1 518	5 366
Total woodland..... farms...			96	130
..... acres...			24 618	44 888
Woodland pastured..... farms...			85	119
..... acres...			21 416	41 328
				Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over
			1974	1969
Total woodland..... farms...			11	12
..... acres...			3 202	3 560
Woodland not pastured..... farms...				
..... acres...			407	(NA)
Other land..... farms...			354 725	357 086
..... acres...				
Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture..... farms...			345	361
..... acres...			347 446	350 428
Improved pastureland and rangeland..... farms...			112	141
..... acres...			51 319	56 461
Unimproved pastureland and rangeland..... farms...			269	295
..... acres...			296 127	293 967
Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc..... farms...			234	246
..... acres...			7 279	6 658

Land in Farms According to Use

	1974	1969	1974	1969
Total cropland..... farms...	602	694	427	440
..... acres...	128 680	145 652	111 972	124 977
Harvested cropland..... farms...	438	514	362	382
..... acres...	71 748	73 640	70 149	68 616
Farms by acres harvested:				
1 to 9 acres.....	31	26	8	
10 to 19 acres.....	28	32	12	70
20 to 29 acres.....	31	39	11	
30 to 49 acres.....	49	61	36	
50 to 99 acres.....	100	142	96	102
100 to 199 acres.....	87	99	87	95
200 to 499 acres.....	84	99	84	99
500 to 999 acres.....	24	12	24	12
1,000 acres and over.....	4	4	4	4
Cropland used only for pasture or grazing..... farms...	368	483	237	308
..... acres...	44 739	43 044	32 052	30 465
Other cropland (see text)..... farms...	141	303	106	(NA)
..... acres...	12 193	28 968	9 771	25 896
Total woodland..... farms...	153	243	96	130
..... acres...	29 708	59 984	24 618	44 888
Other land (see text)..... farms...	543	641	407	(NA)
..... acres...	371 989	381 976	354 725	357 086
Irrigated land..... farms...	13	10	10	8
..... acres...	370	255	355	253

Table 2. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All farm operators..... number...	718	873	499	509
Land in farms..... acres...	530 377	587 612	491 315	526 951
Harvested cropland..... acres...	71 748	73 640	70 149	68 616
Farms by tenure of farm operator:				
Full owners..... number...	392	452	244	212
Land in farms..... acres...	157 627	175 355	134 425	138 772
Harvested cropland..... acres...	19 377	18 586	18 390	15 828
Part owners..... number...	209	263	176	218
Land in farms..... acres...	286 167	311 750	276 782	300 406
Harvested cropland..... acres...	39 854	42 576	39 529	41 861
Tenants..... number...	117	158	79	79
Land in farms..... acres...	86 583	100 507	80 108	87 773
Harvested cropland..... acres...	12 517	12 478	12 230	10 927
Percent of tenancy.....	16.3	18.0	15.8	15.5
Black and other races, see text—				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹				
All farm operators..... number...	2	-	2	-
Land in farms..... acres...	(D)	-	(D)	-
Harvested cropland..... acres...	-	-	-	-
Full owners..... number...	1	-	1	-
Land in farms..... acres...	(D)	-	(D)	-
Harvested cropland..... acres...	-	-	-	-
Part owners..... number...	-	-	-	-
Land in farms..... acres...	-	-	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres...	-	-	-	-
Tenants..... number...	1	-	1	-
Land in farms..... acres...	960	-	960	-
Harvested cropland..... acres...	-	-	-	-
Percent of tenancy.....	50.0	-	50.0	-
Farms by type of organization:				
Individual or family..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	462	445
Land in farms..... acres...	(NA)	(NA)	422 948	439 915
Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Partnership..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	33	54
Land in farms..... acres...	(NA)	(NA)	53 337	66 301
Corporation..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	4	2
Land in farms..... acres...	(NA)	(NA)	15 030	(D)
Other..... number...	(NA)	(NA)	-	8
..... acres...	(NA)	(NA)	-	(D)
Farm operators by age group: ²				
Under 25 years.....	14	14	14	2
25 to 34 years.....	43	73	30	32
35 to 44 years.....	130	130	66	63
45 to 54 years.....	160	181	114	116
55 to 64 years.....	202	253	150	180
65 years and over.....	165	222	121	116
Average age.....	53.7	54.2	54.8	54.9
Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
On farm operated.....	276	406	208	260
On another farm.....	30	-	25	-
In a rural area, not on a farm.....	39	-	23	-
In a city, town, or urban area.....	235	368	159	203
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²				
None.....	154	(NA)	135	(NA)
1 to 49 days.....	46	78	31	47
50 to 99 days.....	25	30	20	17
100 to 149 days.....	22	89	20	53
150 to 199 days.....	49	33	33	-
200 days and over.....	293	352	163	176
Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Farming.....	341	(NA)	292	(NA)
Other.....	373	(NA)	203	(NA)
Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	14	(NA)
Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	(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	11	20	11	20			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	33		33				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	80	42	80	42			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	99	91	99	91			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	119	156	119	156			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	139	177	139	177			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	237	387	18	23			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	24	65	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	44	72	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	61	96	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	108	154	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	12 874	6 699	12 640	6 264			
Average per farm	17 931	7 673	25 331	12 306			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	farms		335	(NA)	335	(NA)	
	\$1,000		3 268	1 807			
Grains	farms		318	329			
	\$1,000		2 947	1 072			
Tobacco	farms		-	-			
	\$1,000		-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed	farms		62	118			
	\$1,000		250	252			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms		34	90			
	\$1,000		55	113			
Other field crops	farms		3	4			
	\$1,000		8	27			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms		1	2			
	\$1,000		(Z)	(D)			
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms		7	15			
	\$1,000		10	15			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms		464	493			
	\$1,000		8 747	4 456			
Poultry and poultry products	farms		14	15			
	\$1,000		52	72			
Dairy products	farms		7	7			
	\$1,000		199	101			
Cattle and calves	farms		460	(NA)			
	\$1,000		8 151	4 075			
Hogs and pigs	farms		27	(NA)			
	\$1,000		321	208			
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms		5				
	\$1,000		7				
Other livestock and livestock products	farms		20				
	\$1,000		17				

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	377	(NA)	198	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms	370
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	227	(NA)	182	(NA)		\$1,000	4 720
	\$1,000		356	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms	95
Customwork and other agricultural services	70	87	57	68		\$1,000	1 186
	\$1,000		113	97	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms	224
Recreational services	65	54	51	47		\$1,000	2 354
	\$1,000		38	19	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms	174
Government farm programs	116	377	96	285		\$1,000	953
	\$1,000		637	586	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms	75
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	42	(NA)	31	(NA)		\$1,000	183
	\$1,000		91	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms	31
Other farm-related sources	13	(NA)	9	(NA)		\$1,000	45
	\$1,000		11	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	76	(NA)	56	(NA)			
	\$1,000		113	(NA)			

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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	718	873	499	509					
	\$1,000	10 823	6 042	10 452	5 564					
Farms with—										
\$1 to \$999	farms	118	193	17	67					
	\$1,000	97	152	41						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	farms	94	112	64	54					
	\$1,000	114	139	97	115					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	farms	118	156	103	152					
	\$1,000	88		88	73					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	farms	53		53	32					
	\$1,000	17	121	17						
\$10,000 to \$19,999	farms	19		19	16					
	\$1,000									
\$20,000 to \$39,999	farms									
	\$1,000									
\$40,000 to \$59,999	farms									
	\$1,000									
\$60,000 and over	farms									
	\$1,000									
Livestock and poultry purchased										
farms	292	436	214	278						
\$1,000	3 235	1 686	3 163	1 557						
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased										
farms	612	732	425	435						
\$1,000	2 376	780	2 276	685						
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms	520	519	397	370					
	\$1,000	1 854	580	1 802	535					
Feed ingredients	farms	(NA)	(NA)	76	52					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	21	66					
Whole grains	farms	(NA)	(NA)	95	54					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	269	27					
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms	(NA)	(NA)	78	115					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	185	57					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms	(NA)	(NA)	303	(NA)					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	61	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased										
farms	254	336	187	255						
\$1,000	220	155	212	146						
Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms	346	390	291	309					
	\$1,000	615	281	589	267					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased										
farms	76	(NA)	66	(NA)						
\$1,000	30	36	29	34						
Lime	farms	(NA)	1	1						
	\$1,000	(NA)	(Z)		(Z)					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business										
farms	659	806	475	505						
\$1,000	574	381	528	329						
Gasoline	farms	(NA)	(NA)	528	457					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	396	457					
Diesel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	252	202					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	203	155					
LP gas, butane, and propane	farms	(NA)	(NA)	54	54					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	153	138					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	110	39					
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	53						
Hired farm labor										
farms	178	337	154	250						
\$1,000	582	444	576	422						
Contract labor										
farms	63	455	53	64						
\$1,000	60	324	58	42						
Machine hire and customwork										
farms	277		236	310						
\$1,000	360		350	250						
All other production expenses	farms	659	742	494	497					
	\$1,000	2 771	1 956	2 609	1 832					

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	619	774	445	482	farms	100	90	95	79
	\$1,000	7 870	4 464	6 679	3 556	number	106	95	101	84
Average per farm.....	dollars	12 714	5 767	15 010	7 376	mfd in last 5 years, number	6	30	6	27
Farms by value group:										
\$1 to \$999.....		12	70	5	215	Corn heads for combines.....	farms	1	8	-
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....		160	385	101		number	1	8	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....		181	197	100	152	mfd in last 5 years, number	-	1	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		153	87	129	82	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	farms	7	6	5
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....		57		54	21	number	7	6	5	
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....		40		40	9	mfd in last 5 years, number	-	-	-	
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....		8	35	8	3	Mower conditioners.....	farms	52	(NA)	47
\$70,000 and over.....		8		8		number	59	(NA)	53	
						mfd in last 5 years, number	23	(NA)	20	
Selected Machinery and Equipment										
Automobiles.....	farms	428	513	305	340	Pickup balers.....	farms	45	51	37
number	502	613	369	399	number	46	55	38	47	
mfd in last 5 years, number	243	358	208	266	mfd in last 5 years, number	10	19	10	16	
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	farms	533	676	390	437	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	farms	34	(NA)	30
number	747	910	596	636	number	35	(NA)	31	27	
mfd in last 5 years, number	324	463	287	335	mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	9	
Wheel tractors.....	farms	499	597	368	398	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	farms	4	(NA)	4
number	844	984	648	701	number	5	(NA)	5	11	
mfd in last 5 years, number	148	285	100	228	mfd in last 5 years, number	1	(NA)	1	1	
Crawler tractors.....	farms	27		25	25					
number	37		35	27						
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	12						

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	639	(X)	451	(X)	642	(X)	464	(X)	8 747
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	1974	633	(X)	446	(X)	637	(X)	462	(X)	8 480
	1969	795	(X)	484	(X)	802	(X)	493	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....	1974	628	49 675	443	45 962	634	35 911	460	34 596	8 151
	1969	785	51 646	481	46 184	794	30 164	491	27 359	4 075
Farms with—										
1 to 4.....	1974	12	37	5	13	69	185	24	68	13
5 to 9.....	1974	32	209	12	80	128	881	54	380	70
10 to 19.....	1974	129	1 814	44	614	144	1 924	90	1 247	231
20 to 49.....	1974	222	6 781	161	5 103	165	5 100	164	5 080	891
50 to 99.....	1974	114	7 721	102	7 039	63	4 235	63	4 235	803
100 to 199.....	1974	64	8 603	64	8 603	44	5 616	44	5 616	992
200 to 499.....	1974	47	13 590	47	13 590	13	3 755	13	3 755	806
500 and over.....	1974	8	10 920	8	10 920	8	14 215	8	14 215	4 346
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	1974	541	22 883	399	21 103	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	672	24 791	435	22 258	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	1974	527	22 582	390	20 851	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	(NA)	24 405	431	21 954	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	1974	53	301	40	252	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969	83	386	49	304	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	199
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	101
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.....	527	22 582	390	20 851	Cattle sold.....	360	24 533	6 489		
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 to 4.....	30	82	16	43	1 to 4.....	44	113	27		
5 to 9.....	66	470	28	190	5 to 9.....	61	401	83		
10 to 19.....	147	2 005	86	1 211	10 to 19.....	84	1 150	242		
20 to 49.....	159	4 943	135	4 325	20 to 49.....	94	2 832	547		
50 to 99.....	73	4 834	73	4 834	50 to 99.....	41	2 823	612		
100 to 199.....	37	4 913	37	4 913	100 to 199.....	22	2 783	557		
200 to 499.....	13	(D)	13	(D)	200 to 499.....	8	2 129	601		
500 and over.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 and over.....	6	12 302	3 820		
Milk cows.....	53	301	40	252	Calves sold.....	302	10 063	1 662		
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 or 2.....	41	56	34	48	1 or 2.....	25	39	6		
3 or 4.....	4	15	2	7	3 or 4.....	19	69	12		
5 to 9.....	2	13	-	-	5 to 9.....	66	449	73		
10 to 19.....	3	35	1	15	10 to 19.....	57	828	132		
20 to 49.....	-	-	-	-	20 to 49.....	86	2 533	362		
50 to 99.....	3	182	3	182	50 to 99.....	30	1 899	275		
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....	13	1 716	246		
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	5	(D)	(D)		
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)		

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

	Year	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Year	Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number			Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1974..	343	8 895	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974..	34	5 701	1 957
	1969..	411	9 740		1969..	9	93	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974..	335	8 796	Farms with—	1974..	7	38	11
Milk heifers	1974..	9	99	1 to 9	1974..	9	128	29
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974..	384	15 964	10 to 19	1974..	8	250	48
	1969..	458	14 186	20 to 49	1974..	6	345	71
				50 to 99	1974..	—	—	—
				100 to 199	1974..	3	(D)	(D)
				200 to 499	1974..	1	(D)	(D)
				500 and over	1974..			

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

	Year	Inventory				Sales				
		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number Dollars (1,000)	
Hogs and pigs	1974..	38	2 360	28	2 268	36	4 436	27	4 359	321
	1969..	75	3 242	47	2 806	67	4 314	43	3 834	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974..	8	13	6	11	4	9	1	3	(Z)
5 to 9	1974..	4	33	1	9	3	19	1	9	(Z)
10 to 24	1974..	10	157	5	91	9	145	5	84	5
25 to 49	1974..	6	183	6	183	6	206	6	206	6
50 to 99	1974..	5	304	5	304	6	407	6	407	23
100 to 199	1974..	4	(D)	4	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974..	—	(D)	—	(D)	3	825	3	825	44
500 and over	1974..	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	316	11	304	7
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	24	1 836	19	1 747	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974..	13	482	7	416	7	259	5	216	(NA)
	1969..	27	2 080	24	1 960	21	1 175	18	1 138	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	318	12 707
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	(X)	7
Goats	1974..	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
	1969..	(NA)	(NA)	18	5 004	(NA)	(NA)	11	1 850	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974..	115	349	85	292	18	73	16	71	16
	1969..	190	620	(NA)	(NA)	22	69	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Year	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Year	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..	19	253	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	1974..	30	576	24	564
	1969..	36	384	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	1969..	48	537	38	476
Other hogs and pigs	1974..	27	2 015	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974..	25	300	22	297
	1969..	44	2 422		1969..	39	266	29	223
Lambs under 1 year old	1974..	6	211	June 1 and November 30	1974..	23	276	19	267
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974..	7	191		1969..	41	271	35	253
Rams and wethers	1974..	6	14						

¹Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969**

	Year	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..	67	(X)	46	(X)	8	(X)	7	(X)
	1969..	(NA)	(X)	63	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974..	65	2 329	46	2 017	8	(D)	7	(D)
	1969..	102	15 889	61	14 441	8	4 740	6	4 500
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974..	63	2 252	44	1 947	6	(D)	5	(D)
	1969..	101	15 409	60	14 027	8	4 740	6	4 500
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974..	58	1 242	39	937	4	181	3	175
100 to 399	1974..	4	510	4	510	1	150	1	150
400 to 1,599	1974..	1	500	1	500	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	1974..	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)
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..	13	266	9	228	—	—	—	—
	1969..	2	4	2	4	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	18	52	14	52
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	15	72

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	44	1 947	5	(D)	Turkeys	4	14	--	--
1969	60	14 027	6	4 500	1969	2	16	--	--
Hens for table or market egg production	43	1 787	5	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	--	--	--	--
1974	3	160	--	--	1974	--	--	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production	3	--	--	--	Heavy breed	--	--	--	--
1974	--	--	--	--	1974	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older	3	392	--	--	Light breed	4	14	--	--
1969	--	--	--	--	1969	2	10	--	--
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	14	70	3	27	Turkey hens for breeding	4	--	--	(X)
1974	--	--	--	--	1974	--	(X)	--	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	--	--	--	--	1969	6	(X)	--	(X)
1974	--	--	--	--	1969	--	--	--	--

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	7	8	316	137	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes	51	72	2 748	3 936	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	1	32	17	23 744	25 500				
Wheat (bushels)	337	409	54 404	42 115	921 236	870 888				
Other small grains for grain	95	243	5 211	13 258	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)	66	126	4 410	7 332	1 312	2 686				
Tobacco (pounds)	--	--	--	--	--	--				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	6	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	10	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry)	139	211	4 628	6 460	3 658	8 347				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	5	3	5	52	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards	27	32	517	462	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale	--	7	--	5	(X)	(X)				
Other crops	4	(NA)	107	219	(X)	(X)				

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	3	4	311	79	7 475	2 164	--	1	--	35
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	--	2	--	20	--	--	--	--	--
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	--	1	--	(X)	(X)	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	20	32	1 589	2 615	16 069	54 570	--	--	--	--
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	24	(NA)	881	1 168	(X)	(X)	--	(NA)	--	--
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	2	6	37	177	25	151	--	1	--	8

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	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	237	32 052	(X)	5	165	41	2 689	37	197	10	47
1969	308	30 465	(X)	3	61	34	1 465	31	123	3	1
Improved pasture	112	51 319	(X)	2	97	16	1 148	13	101	3	8
1969	141	56 461	(X)	--	--	14	1 083	13	104	1	2
Corn for all purposes	5	314	(X)	--	--	3	63	2	6	1	(Z)
1969	4	79	(X)	1	35	3	42	3	5	1	1
Sorghums for all purposes	34	2 470	(X)	--	--	14	770	12	78	3	7
1969	58	3 783	(X)	--	--	36	1 688	33	306	5	8
Wheat (bushels)	314	53 872	915 374	--	--	194	36 818	169	1 912	55	563
1969	324	39 135	827 047	1	10	172	22 896	(NA)	1 255	(NA)	258
Oats (bushels)	74	3 610	78 967	--	--	40	1 828	34	93	10	23
1969	190	9 695	339 078	1	32	82	4 408	(NA)	254	(NA)	20
Barley (bushels)	24	1 340	28 103	--	--	12	644	11	41	2	3
1969	49	2 637	62 336	--	--	22	1 446	(NA)	56	(NA)	17
Rye (bushels)	1	20	100	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1969	4	124	1 800	--	--	2	40	(NA)	2	(NA)	(X)
Other small grains for grain	1	60	(X)	--	--	1	60	1	3	--	--
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1	32	23 744	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1969	1	17	25 500	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Hay crops (tons, dry)	112	4 088	3 282	4	90	32	998	27	74	8	14
1969	164	5 611	7 491	4	97	47	1 539	43	125	6	11
Field seed crops	2	75	(X)	--	--	2	75	2	5	--	--
1969	3	138	(X)	--	--	2	98	2	5	1	(Z)
Cotton (bales)	64	4 399	1 303	--	--	16	962	14	54	5	8
1969	115	7 188	2 645	1	15	23	1 145	(NA)	59	(NA)	6
Tobacco (pounds)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1969	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1969	2	3	78	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	(Z)	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1969	3	52	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Land in orchards	14	470	(X)	--	--	1	2	1	(Z)	--	--
1969	25	426	(X)	--	--	9	195	9	23	--	--

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.....	1	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974.....	1	2	(X)	1	2	-	-	-	1	1
	1969.....	1	2	(X)	1	2	-	-	1	20	-
Other crops	1974.....	1	30	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000		farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
lime	farms.....	306	farms.....	341	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms.....	2	farms.....	4
	\$1,000.....	619	\$1,000.....	301	acres on which used	acres.....	60	acres.....	119
Commercial fertilizer	farms.....	291	farms.....	247	Weeds or grass in crops	farms.....	(Z)	farms.....	1
acres on which used	acres.....	46 146	acres.....	36 125	acres on which used	acres.....	11	acres.....	22
tons	tons.....	3 244	tons.....	2 650	acres on which used	acres.....	1 015	acres.....	1 428
\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	589	\$1,000.....	267	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms.....	4	farms.....	8
Lime	farms.....	-	farms.....	1	acres on which used	acres.....	18	acres.....	29
acres on which used	acres.....	-	acres.....	10	Weeds on all other land	farms.....	6 080	farms.....	5 884
tons	tons.....	-	tons.....	10	acres on which used	acres.....	14	acres.....	13
\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	-	\$1,000.....	(Z)	acres on which used	acres.....	2	acres.....	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	acres.....	28	acres.....	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	farms.....	-	farms.....	3	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
acres on which used	acres.....	-	acres.....	95	of crops or thinning of fruit	farms.....	1	farms.....	1
\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	-	\$1,000.....	1	acres on which used	acres.....	46	acres.....	32
Insects on other crops	farms.....	8	farms.....	29	Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms.....	(Z)	farms.....	(Z)
acres on which used	acres.....	1 542	acres.....	1 750	acres on which used	acres.....	29	acres.....	107
\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	6	\$1,000.....	7	Other chemicals (see text)	farms.....	3	farms.....	5
Nematodes in crops	farms.....	-	farms.....	-	acres on which used	acres.....	15	acres.....	(NA)
acres on which used	acres.....	-	acres.....	-	\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	2	\$1,000.....	(NA)
\$1,000.....	\$1,000.....	-	\$1,000.....	-					

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	farms.....	10	farms.....	8	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	percent.....	2.0	percent.....	1.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms.....	2	farms.....	(NA)
Total land irrigated	acres.....	355	acres.....	253	acres.....	90	acres.....	(NA)	
Average per farm	acres.....	35.5	acres.....	31.6	Other sprinkler systems	farms.....	6	farms.....	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	farms.....	9	farms.....	8	acres.....	180	acres.....	(NA)	
acres.....	acres.....	258	acres.....	253	Land in irrigated farms	acres.....	8 221	acres.....	5 145
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms.....	5	farms.....	6	Cropland	acres.....	1 929	acres.....	1 695
acres.....	acres.....	93	acres.....	192	Harvested cropland	acres.....	1 068	acres.....	1 123
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms.....	5	farms.....	3	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres.....	acres.....	165	acres.....	61	between 1970 and 1973	farms.....	3	farms.....	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	farms.....	-	farms.....	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	acres.....	145	acres.....	(X)
acres.....	acres.....	-	acres.....	-	Farms with artificial drainage	farms.....	10	farms.....	14
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms.....	2	farms.....	-	Proportion of farms	percent.....	2.0	percent.....	2.7
acres.....	acres.....	97	acres.....	-	Land in farms with drainage	acres.....	5 833	acres.....	6 755
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet.....	878	acre-feet.....	126	Land drained	acres.....	1 362	acres.....	1 908
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet.....	2.5	acre-feet.....	0.5	Average per farm	acres.....	136.2	acres.....	136.2
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches	farms.....	2	farms.....	(NA)	tanks	farms.....	332	farms.....	(NA)
acres.....	acres.....	85	acres.....	(NA)	number.....	2 323	number.....	(NA)	
					acres.....	2 341	acres.....	(NA)	

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

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms.....		177	121				113
	\$1,000.....		5 952	3 762				2 190
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			46	28				45
\$5,000 to \$9,999			27	12				25
\$10,000 to \$29,999			53	46				23
\$30,000 to \$49,999			11	8				11
\$50,000 and over			40	27				9

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)		Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—										
150 days or more	43	52	115	100	484		154	43	48	86
25 to 149 days	48	216	113	489	51		576	484	51	42
Less than 25 days	86		300		42		528	115	113	300
Total contract labor	53	64	(NA)	(NA)	58					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	42	(NA)	11	(NA)				
Farms										
Cash wages paid — \$1,000										
Number of workers										
Farms with—										
1 worker										
2 workers										
3 or 4 workers										
5 to 9 workers										
10 workers and over										