

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	583	699	485	525	Land in Farms According to Use				
Land in farms ----- acres	100 865	108 745	96 913	98 437	Total cropland ----- farms	555	658	463	501
Average size of farm ----- acres	173	156	200	187	----- acres	85 810	87 548	83 528	80 226
Approximate land area ----- acres	174 272	174 272	174 272	174 272	Harvested cropland ----- farms	537	635	459	488
Proportion in farms ----- percent	57.9	62.4	55.6	56.5	----- acres	75 022	66 518	73 854	62 840
Value of land and buildings -- \$1,000 ..	92 230	65 670	87 580	58 187	Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm ----- dollars	158 199	93 948	180 577	110 831	1 to 9 acres -----	39	52	13	
Average per acre ----- dollars	914	604	904	591	10 to 19 acres -----	45	42	17	
Farms by size:					20 to 29 acres -----	35	45	20	102
1 to 9 acres -----	34	46	15	24	30 to 49 acres -----	59	92	52	
10 to 49 acres -----	95	100	45	35	50 to 99 acres -----	100	137	98	121
50 to 69 acres -----	48	44	37	25	100 to 199 acres -----	125	180	125	178
70 to 99 acres -----	71	109	60	71	200 to 499 acres -----	116	80	116	80
100 to 139 acres -----	72	97	68	78	500 to 999 acres -----	17	7	17	7
140 to 179 acres -----	63	79	60	72	1,000 acres and over	1	-	1	-
180 to 219 acres -----	35	50	35	48	Cropland used only for pasture				
220 to 259 acres -----	39	56	39	55	or grazing ----- farms	200	267	156	214
260 to 499 acres -----	95	101	95	100	----- acres	5 265	8 173	4 366	7 184
500 to 999 acres -----	28	15	28	15	Other cropland (see text) -- farms	179	386	160	(NA)
1,000 to 1,999 acres -----	3	2	3	2	----- acres	5 523	12 857	5 308	10 202
2,000 acres and over -----	-	-	-	-	Total woodland ----- farms	200	273	166	224
					----- acres	5 172	8 594	4 396	7 566
					Other land (see text) ----- farms	489	581	401	(NA)
					----- acres	9 883	12 603	8 989	10 645
					Irrigated land ----- farms	6	13	5	11
					----- acres	147	305	145	288
Other cropland ----- farms					Total woodland -- Continued				
----- acres					Woodland not pastured ----- farms			101	114
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured ----- farms			160	(NA)	----- acres			1 833	3 326
----- acres			719	3 752	Other land ----- farms			401	(NA)
Cropland on which all crops failed ----- farms			77	61	----- acres			8 989	10 645
----- acres			2 088	1 151	Pastureland and rangeland, other than cropland and woodland pasture ----- farms			80	108
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow ----- farms			15	64	----- acres			2 046	3 767
----- acres			283	1 698	Improved pastureland and rangeland ----- farms			19	29
Cropland idle ----- farms			70	102	----- acres			438	873
----- acres			2 218	3 601	Unimproved pastureland and rangeland ----- farms			61	85
Total woodland ----- farms			166	224	----- acres			1 608	2 894
----- acres			4 396	7 566	Land in houselots, barnlots, ponds, roads, wasteland, etc. ----- farms			389	436
Woodland pastured ----- farms			94	160	----- acres			6 943	6 878
----- acres			2 563	4 240					

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	583	699	485	525	Farms by type of organization—Con.				
Land in farms ----- acres	100 865	108 745	96 913	98 437	Partnership ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	56	65
Harvested cropland ----- acres	75 022	66 518	73 854	62 840	----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	13 938	13 528
Farms by tenure of farm operator:					Corporation ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	9	9
Full owners ----- number	279	389	191	244	----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 082	3 633
Land in farms ----- acres	24 785	40 213	21 092	32 174	Other ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	-	3
Harvested cropland ----- acres	14 390	21 316	13 376	18 399	----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	-	397
Part owners ----- number	207	196	198	185	Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms ----- acres	56 625	48 564	56 378	47 812	Under 25 years -----	7	8	7	7
Harvested cropland ----- acres	45 714	32 924	45 560	32 585	25 to 34 years -----	60	78	55	62
Tenants ----- number	97	114	96	96	35 to 44 years -----	124	179	111	140
Land in farms ----- acres	19 455	19 968	19 443	18 451	45 to 54 years -----	186	195	144	149
Harvested cropland ----- acres	14 918	12 278	14 918	11 856	55 to 64 years -----	120	157	105	117
Percent of tenancy -----	16.6	16.3	19.8	18.2	65 years and over -----	77	82	54	50
					Average age -----	49.9	49.2	49.2	48.3
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²				
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated -----	455	573	384	451
All farm operators ----- number	-	(NA)	-	-	On another farm -----	21	75	18	
Land in farms ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	In a rural area, not on a farm	13		13	
Harvested cropland ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	In a city, town, or urban area	18		12	40
Full owners ----- number	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators reporting days of work				
Land in farms ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	off farm: ²				
Harvested cropland ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	None -----	243	(NA)	225	(NA)
Part owners ----- number	-	(NA)	-	-	1 to 49 days -----	19	55	15	37
Land in farms ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days -----	7	23	7	21
Harvested cropland ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days -----	9	42	8	27
Tenants ----- number	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days -----	23	248	22	
Land in farms ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over -----	193		127	136
Harvested cropland ----- acres	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²				
Percent of tenancy -----	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming -----	371	(NA)	350	(NA)
					Other -----	203	(NA)	126	(NA)
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of				
Individual or family ----- number	(NA)	(NA)	420	448	----- futures market -----	(NA)	(NA)	16	(NA)
Land in farms ----- acres	(NA)	(NA)	77 893	80 879	Farm operators reporting agricultural				
					contracts -----	(NA)	(NA)	59	(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 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.....	583	683	485	521					
..... \$1,000.....	16 345	9 209	15 536	8 354					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	28 036	13 483	32 033	16 034					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	10	-	97					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	68	192	38	97					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	83	146	49	110					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	112	169	84	156					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	98	-	96	87					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	134	-	131	50					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	51	166	51	21					
\$70,000 and over.....	36	-	36	-					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	522	597	439	473					
..... number.....	756	842	650	653					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	420	526	366	426					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	509	559	432	446					
..... number.....	776	769	694	637					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	310	334	276	277					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	548	639	467	491					
..... number.....	1 692	1 774	1 569	1 485					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	341	482	329	434					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	28	-	23	38					
..... number.....	30	-	25	45					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	-	3	9					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	150	141	147	126					
..... number.....	153	145	150	130					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	47	70	47	69					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	99	330	99	62					
..... number.....	100	356	100	62					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	41	152	41	44					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	223	-	206	252					
..... number.....	234	-	217	256					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	43	-	43	104					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	197	(NA)	186	(NA)					
..... number.....	203	(NA)	192	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	82	(NA)	79	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	302	327	282	294					
..... number.....	309	333	289	299					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	54	124	49	117					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	100	(NA)	94	83					
..... number.....	103	(NA)	97	90					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29	(NA)	28	59					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	201	(NA)	197	172					
..... number.....	223	(NA)	219	187					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	69	(NA)	68	84					

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.....	393	(X)	338	(X)	373	(X)	326	(X)	12 577
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	352	(X)	304	(X)	336	(X)	299	(X)	2 751
.....1969.....	435	(X)	374	(X)	428	(X)	378	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	330	19 526	283	19 056	307	7 242	273	7 084	1 697
.....1969.....	393	21 969	337	21 293	386	11 281	341	11 007	1 997
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	32	80	18	39	62	158	42	105	35
5 to 9.....1974.....	29	200	13	86	44	297	32	221	70
10 to 19.....1974.....	41	544	30	384	58	790	56	761	195
20 to 49.....1974.....	82	2 644	76	2 489	116	3 449	116	3 449	694
50 to 99.....1974.....	77	5 685	77	5 685	20	1 256	20	1 256	349
100 to 199.....1974.....	60	7 877	60	7 877	4	492	4	492	213
200 to 499.....1974.....	8	(D)	8	(D)	3	800	3	800	141
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	246	8 777	216	8 594	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	297	10 122	272	9 969	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	76	853	48	676	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	1 373	81	1 240	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	182	7 924	180	7 918	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	232	8 749	223	8 729	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	163	(X)	6 900
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	216	(X)	4 935
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.....	76	853	48	676	Cattle sold.....	245	4 187	1 550	
Farms with—				Farms with—					
1 to 4.....	31	81	17	41	1 to 4.....	57	156	57	
5 to 9.....	17	116	9	63	5 to 9.....	53	344	118	
10 to 19.....	18	250	12	166	10 to 19.....	71	944	340	
20 to 49.....	7	188	7	188	20 to 49.....	49	1 373	494	
50 to 99.....	3	218	3	218	50 to 99.....	10	648	240	
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....	4	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	182	7 924	180	7 918	Calves sold.....	153	2 897	147	
Farms with—				Farms with—					
1 or 2.....	14	16	13	15	1 or 2.....	15	22	1	
3 or 4.....	4	15	4	15	3 or 4.....	12	43	5	
5 to 9.....	4	25	3	20	5 to 9.....	18	129	5	
10 to 19.....	11	167	11	167	10 to 19.....	53	726	41	
20 to 49.....	76	2 641	76	2 641	20 to 49.....	52	1 439	57	
50 to 99.....	68	4 306	68	4 306	50 to 99.....	1	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	100 to 199.....	-	-	-	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)	
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	215	6 187	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	95	1 773	696
1974			1969	83	2 969	(NA)
1969	273	6 586				
Beef heifers	78	1 008	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	166	5 179	1 to 9	47	208	88
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves			10 to 19	19	264	100
1974			20 to 49	22	639	229
1969	213	4 275	50 to 99	3	170	67
	256	4 738	100 to 199	4	492	213
			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	96	7 935	89	7 910	96	13 512	93	13 497	1 045
1969	124	8 077	117	7 981	142	12 979	134	12 841	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	9	17	3	5	3	6	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9	10	62	10	62	3	18	3	18	1
10 to 24	16	258	15	245	20	300	19	289	20
25 to 49	15	548	15	548	14	499	14	499	36
50 to 99	21	1 437	21	1 437	13	841	13	841	63
100 to 199	12	1 601	12	1 601	21	2 638	21	2 638	195
200 to 499	12	(D)	12	(D)	18	5 060	18	5 060	389
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	4	4 150	4	4 150	341
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	899	17	899	20
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	19	2 531	16	2 442	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	24	750	18	688	20	334	16	298	(NA)
1969	38	1 276	28	1 116	30	907	25	837	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	15	426	13 568
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	18	(X)	9
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	4	9	(NA)	(NA)	1	10	(Z)
1969	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	71	324	58	259	15	79	12	71	25
1969	124	479	(NA)	(NA)	20	32	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Liters of pigs farrowed between—	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	75	1 129	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	79	1 605	79	1 605
1969	92	1 168	1969	101	1 594	95	1 558
Other hogs and pigs	83	6 781	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	66	829	66	829
1969	105	6 813	1969	86	798	80	778
Lambs under 1 year old	13	207	June 1 and November 30	68	776	68	776
Ewes 1 year old or older	16	436	1969	81	796	76	780
Rams and wethers	14	45					

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	119	(X)	98	(X)	63	(X)	56	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	129	(X)	(NA)	(X)	93	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	111	174 332	90	173 372	45	75 268	40	75 009
1969	133	120 064	120	118 760	79	64 825	74	63 974
Hens and pullets of laying age	106	173 812	87	172 999	45	75 256	40	74 997
1969	131	119 167	118	117 863	74	62 239	70	61 639
Farms with—								
1 to 99	56	2 082	40	1 719	12	493	8	379
100 to 399	30	5 140	27	4 690	28	4 881	27	4 736
400 to 1,599	17	11 390	17	11 390	2	882	2	882
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	26	2 031	24	1 916	19	956	17	811
1969	3	145	3	145	6	545	6	545
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	88	1 851	77	1 847
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	113	1 103

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	87	172 999	40	74 997	Turkeys	11	25 108	5	47 115
1969	118	117 863	70	61 639	1969	—	—	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	86	172 864	39	74 872	Turkeys for slaughter	10	25 106	5	47 115
1969	2	135	1	125	1969	10	25 106	5	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	2	135	1	125	1974	—	—	1	(D)
1974	2	75	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
1969	3	208	1	180	1969	1	2	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	15	298	1	12	1974	—	—	—	—
1974	15	298	1	12	1969	22	(X)	15	(X)
1969	1	100	—	—	1969	35	(X)	25	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	100	—	—					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969		1969	
Corn for all purposes	406	449	35 248	26 342	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	6	5	39	53	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	224	215	12 996	8 440	237 561	230 058				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	166	176	4 209	2 477	152 195	99 835				
Other small grains for grain	259	384	5 864	9 250	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	(NA)	699	(NA)	59 751	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	341	419	16 154	17 143	41 874	54 354				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	41	64	1 351	1 786	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards	20	17	153	276	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale	6	9	81	136	(X)	(X)				
Other crops	23	(NA)	473	408	(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)	347	388	25 419	19 811	1 542 198	1 880 649	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	217	230	9 448	5 736	86 251	74 686	—	1	—	20
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	8	13	96	102	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	1	25	25	—	2 500	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	39	28	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	266	305	9 769	12 030	29 011	42 250	—	—	—	—

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	156	4 366	(X)	—	—	11	216	11	43	—	—
1969	214	7 184	(X)	—	—	10	218	10	33	—	—
Improved pasture	19	438	(X)	—	—	2	22	2	6	—	—
1969	29	873	(X)	—	—	2	24	2	4	—	—
Corn for all purposes	377	34 963	(X)	—	—	342	32 232	333	4 571	144	1 280
1969	406	25 649	(X)	1	20	351	23 353	347	3 792	151	941
Sorghums for all purposes	6	39	(X)	—	—	1	5	1	1	—	—
1969	5	53	(X)	—	—	3	38	3	6	—	3
Wheat (bushels)	154	4 101	148 732	—	—	94	2 766	93	367	5	5
1969	144	2 112	86 829	—	—	92	1 499	(NA)	209	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels)	233	5 221	269 115	—	—	99	2 429	96	263	3	3
1969	318	7 593	503 516	—	—	177	4 330	(NA)	502	(NA)	6
Barley (bushels)	23	470	16 416	—	—	15	334	15	28	—	—
1969	44	1 137	63 196	—	—	32	883	(NA)	124	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	1	2	40	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	215	12 902	235 971	—	—	106	6 053	103	563	4	33
1969	167	7 623	213 026	1	100	88	3 980	(NA)	435	(NA)	5
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	300	15 642	40 825	—	—	91	4 367	90	633	3	6
1969	336	15 863	51 654	—	—	84	3 196	81	472	4	21
Field seed crops	1	4	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	17	699	59 751	—	—	17	699	17	314	—	—
1969	22	1 116	230 315	2	19	22	1 112	(NA)	581	(NA)	5
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	36	1 345	(X)	—	—	27	1 094	27	356	—	—
1969	50	1 735	(X)	2	10	46	1 662	46	638	2	3
Land in orchards	7	130	(X)	—	—	2	110	2	24	—	—
1969	6	256	(X)	—	—	4	248	4	63	—	—

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	5	81	(X)	2	77	3	78	3	31	-	-
1969	6	135	(X)	5	132	5	135	5	30	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	16	280	(X)	3	13	7	190	6	62	1	7
1969	11	52	(X)	2	8	5	52	5	23	-	-
Other crops	3	186	(X)	-	-	1	170	1	35	-	-

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	422	473	408	436	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
Commercial fertilizer	51 665	41 087	51 665	41 087	Diseases in crops and orchards	14	13	996	1 031
acres on which used	8 784	7 977	8 784	7 977	acres on which used	19	15	218	295
Lime	1 487	647	1 487	647	Weeds or grass in crops	29 643	23 253	260	134
acres on which used	39	60	39	60	acres on which used	1	9	5	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	2 098	1 790	2 098	1 790	Weeds or brush in pasture	1	135	(2)	(2)
Insects on hay crops	3 122	2 792	3 122	2 792	acres on which used	8	(NA)	130	(NA)
acres on which used	20	14	20	14	Weeds on all other land	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Insects on other crops	19	2	19	2	acres on which used	5	9	79	122
acres on which used	673	101	673	101	of crops or thinning of fruit	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
Nematodes in crops	5	86	5	86	Insect control on livestock and poultry	44	137	4	10
acres on which used	15 650	8 699	15 650	8 699	Other chemicals (see text)	66	(NA)	26	(NA)
acres on which used	105	2	105	2					
acres on which used	174	32	174	32					
acres on which used	(Z)	1	(Z)	1					

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	5	11	5	11	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	1.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	(NA)	2	(NA)
Total land irrigated	145	288	145	288	Other sprinkler systems	4	(NA)	143	(NA)
Average per farm	29.0	26.1	29.0	26.1	Land in irrigated farms	838	2 074	674	1 707
Cropland irrigated	5	11	5	11	Harvested cropland	428	1 249	-	-
Harvested cropland irrigated	145	288	145	288	Cropland	-	-	-	-
acres	5	11	5	11	Harvested cropland	428	1 249	-	-
Cropland pasture irrigated	90	288	90	288	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	2	(X)	45	(X)
acres	-	-	-	-	acres irrigated in most recent year	45	(X)	-	-
Other cropland irrigated	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	177	261	36.5	49.7
acres	55	-	55	-	Proportion of farms	177	261	45 171	52 847
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	Land in farms with drainage	25 752	29 849	145.5	114.3
acres	-	-	-	-	Land drained	145.5	114.3	-	-
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	137	129	137	129	Average per farm	145.5	114.3	-	-
Average per acre irrigated	0.9	0.4	0.9	0.4	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	50	(NA)	56	(NA)
Land irrigated by—	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	acres	52	(NA)	-	-
Furrows or ditches	-	(NA)	-	(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)			230	10 489	155	6 269	155	4 220
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			15	27	15	27	31	30
\$5,000 to \$9,999			80	41	58	27	48	20
\$10,000 to \$29,999			67	67	42	67	26	26
\$30,000 to \$49,999								
\$50,000 and over								

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—							186	96	84	96
150 days or more	96	125	222	249	884	268	1 236	884	268	83
25 to 149 days	84	233	350	1 099	268	83	1 154	222	350	582
Less than 25 days	96	18	(NA)	(NA)	14	30				
Total contract labor	8	18	(NA)	(NA)	14	30				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	14	(NA)	11	(NA)				
Farms							57	44	33	28
Cash wages paid - \$1,000							32	27	18	21
Number of workers							41	15	15	17
Farms with—							24	9	9	14
1 worker							32	1	9	16
2 workers										
3 or 4 workers										
5 to 9 workers										
10 workers and over										