

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.....	675	719	493	531	Land in Farms According to Use					
Land in farms..... acres.....	144 700	149 393	123 429	121 570		Total cropland..... farms.....	660	691	484	516
Average size of farm..... acres.....	214	208	250	229		acres.....	68 696	61 160	60 711	52 962
Approximate land area..... acres.....	570 752	570 752	570 752	570 752		Harvested cropland..... farms.....	645	661	479	506
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	25.4	26.2	21.6	21.3		acres.....	53 354	39 150	48 730	35 036
Value of land and buildings... \$1,000.....	39 927	16 708	34 305	13 994		Farms by acres harvested:				
Average per farm..... dollars.....	59 151	23 238	69 584	26 354		1 to 9 acres.....	23	50	4	} 188
Average per acre..... dollars.....	276	112	278	115		10 to 19 acres.....	51	62	16	
						20 to 29 acres.....	53	72	15	
						30 to 49 acres.....	131	137	76	
Farms by size:					50 to 99 acres.....	206	222	187	201	
1 to 9 acres.....	8	5	4	2	100 to 199 acres.....	143	111	143	110	
10 to 49 acres.....	43	36	12	8	200 to 499 acres.....	37	7	37	7	
50 to 69 acres.....	16	10	10	5	500 to 999 acres.....	1	-	1	-	
70 to 99 acres.....	92	94	38	61	1,000 acres and over.....	1	-	1	-	
100 to 139 acres.....	90	89	58	59	Cropland used only for pasture					
140 to 179 acres.....	114	148	85	100	or grazing..... farms.....	396	422	305	337	
					acres.....	13 220	13 691	10 335	11 363	
180 to 219 acres.....	68	74	60	63	Other cropland (see text)..... farms.....	92	208	71	(NA)	
220 to 259 acres.....	70	77	63	71	acres.....	2 122	8 319	1 646	6 563	
260 to 499 acres.....	139	158	128	138	Total woodland..... farms.....	587	628	442	479	
500 to 999 acres.....	27	25	27	21	acres.....	59 600	65 420	49 075	52 222	
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	7	3	7	3	Other land (see text)..... farms.....	500	583	384	(NA)	
2,000 acres and over.....	1	-	1	-	acres.....	16 404	22 813	13 643	16 386	
					Irrigated land..... farms.....	4	5	4	3	
					acres.....	1 037	144	1 037	142	

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.....	675	719	493	531	Farms by type of organization—Con.					
Land in farms..... acres.....	144 700	149 393	123 429	121 570		Partnership..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	31	39
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	53 354	39 150	48 730	35 036		Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	9 784	10 336
Farms by tenure of farm operator:						Corporation..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	8	3
Full owners..... number.....	446	530	284	356		Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	6 450	595
Land in farms..... acres.....	81 572	101 307	62 557	75 741		Other..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	24 324	23 657	20 310	19 819		acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
Part owners..... number.....	206	169	189	161		Farm operators by age group: ²				
Land in farms..... acres.....	59 233	45 539	57 258	43 506		Under 25 years.....	16	12	12	10
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	27 001	14 769	26 506	14 493		25 to 34 years.....	88	62	53	43
Tenants..... number.....	23	20	20	14	35 to 44 years.....	113	163	87	130	
Land in farms..... acres.....	3 895	2 547	3 614	2 323	45 to 54 years.....	187	185	150	135	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	2 029	724	1 914	724	55 to 64 years.....	148	183	106	141	
Percent of tenancy.....	3.4	2.7	4.1	2.6	65 years and over.....	115	114	77	72	
					Average age.....	50.4	51.1	50.5	50.7	
Black and other races, see text—					Farm operators by place of residence: ²					
Farm operators by tenure: ¹					On farm operated.....	549	633	417	483	
All farm operators..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	-	On another farm.....	8	-	6	-	
Land in farms..... acres.....	120	(NA)	120	-	In a rural area, not on a farm.....	9	30	2	12	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	65	(NA)	65	-	In a city, town, or urban area.....	18	-	8	-	
Full owners..... number.....	1	(NA)	1	-	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²					
Land in farms..... acres.....	120	(NA)	120	-	None.....	250	(NA)	214	(NA)	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	65	(NA)	65	-	1 to 49 days.....	65	78	53	60	
Part owners..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	50 to 99 days.....	13	44	11	36	
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	100 to 149 days.....	20	72	16	47	
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	150 to 199 days.....	28	72	14	104	
Tenants..... number.....	-	(NA)	-	-	200 days and over.....	189	210	95	-	
Land in farms..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²					
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Farming.....	446	(NA)	390	(NA)	
Percent of tenancy.....	-	(NA)	-	-	Other.....	221	(NA)	95	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:					Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market.....	(NA)	(NA)	9	(NA)	
Individual or family..... number.....	(NA)	(NA)	454	489	Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts.....	(NA)	(NA)	18	(NA)	
Land in farms..... acres.....	(NA)	(NA)	107 195	110 639						

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	4	10	4	10			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	51	71	51	71			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	131		131				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	147	179	147	179			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	93	155	93	155			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	66	109	66	109			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	183	195	1	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	31	23	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	28	27	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	41	40	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	83	105	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	10 964	7 194	10 756	7 010			
Average per farm dollars	16 243	10 005	21 817	13 201			
Crops, including hay	252	250	152	(NA)			
Nursery and greenhouse products	1 382	451	1 295	386			
Forest products	107	122	92	91			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	577	637	460	520			
Poultry and poultry products	32	(NA)	21	43			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	152			(NA)			
Grains	1 295			386			
Tobacco	84			68			
Cotton and cottonseed	155			39			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	116			114			
Other field crops	270			99			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	3			2			
Fruits, nuts, and berries	174			5			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	460			520			
Poultry and poultry products	9 261			6 526			
Dairy products	21			43			
Cattle and calves	265			304			
Hogs and pigs	384			455			
Sheep, lambs, and wool	7 264			4 735			
Other livestock and livestock products	444			(NA)			
	1 308			970			
	50			(NA)			
	154			517			
	5						
	1						
	19						
	269						

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974	
	1974	1969	1974	1969			
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold¹	212	(NA)	79	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources²	316	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹	169	(NA)	133	(NA)	\$1,000	1 642	
Customwork and other agricultural services	471	(NA)	461	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	57	
Recreational services	51	74	51	62	related	259	
Government farm programs	80	48	80	44	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	189	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	1	6	1	3	\$1,000	1 057	
Other farm-related sources	(2)	11	(2)	10	Interest, dividends, or royalties	136	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	82	277	67	223	\$1,000	106	
	102	100	101	81	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	73	
	35	(NA)	17	(NA)	\$1,000	164	
	260	(NA)	252	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	26	
	40	(NA)	37	(NA)	\$1,000	56	
	28	(NA)	28	(NA)			
	43	(NA)	33	(NA)			
	138	(NA)	127	(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	674	719	493	531	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees				
\$1,000	8 205	5 198	7 911	4 918	purchased	411	404	339	338
Farms with —					\$1,000	319	74	311	69
\$1 to \$999	89	99	7	46	Commercial fertilizer purchased	490	496	402	412
\$1,000 to \$1,999	58	91	13		\$1,000	527	149	511	138
\$2,000 to \$2,999	54	64	29	46	Other agricultural chemicals				
\$3,000 to \$4,999	90	144	69	120	purchased	247	(NA)	221	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999	142	168	134	166	Lime	155	48	152	44
\$10,000 to \$19,999	123		123	121	\$1,000	(NA)	172	81	149
\$20,000 to \$39,999	84		84	26	\$1,000	(NA)	32	44	29
\$40,000 to \$59,999	24	153	24		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel				
\$60,000 and over	10		10	6	and oil for farm business	657	714	481	530
Livestock and poultry purchased	231	259	150	174	\$1,000	533	301	485	271
\$1,000	513	286	479	248	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	468	526
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	512	626	393	493	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	341	219
\$1,000	2 247	1 314	2 185	1 276	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	190	91
Commercially mixed formula feeds	333	387	264	310	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	11
\$1,000	1 126	566	1 097	542	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	83	105
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	194	259	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	18	13
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	599	374	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil				
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	179	279	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	481	530
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	409	337	(NA)	(NA)	57	28	
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	85	67	Hired farm labor	170	277	142	247
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	81	23	\$1,000	472	339	468	330
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	334	(NA)	Contract labor	15	426	10	14
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	97	(NA)	\$1,000	14	182	13	81
					Machine hire and customwork	302	246	246	339
					\$1,000	116	105	91	91
					\$1,000	619	672	493	531
					All other production expenses	3 309	2 505	3 103	2 371

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.....	652	709	476	525					
.....\$1,000.....	11 852	5 512	10 084	4 832					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	18 178	7 774	21 185	9 203					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	23		196					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	99	316	56						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	151	174	79	143					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	145	135	105	128					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	137		124	37					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	88		83	21					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	20	61	18						
\$70,000 and over.....	11		11						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	569	630	428	480					
.....number.....	711	812	546	601					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	329	407	242	318					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	563	528	421	423					
.....number.....	681	651	526	523					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	214	276	159	217					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	607	651	453	499					
.....number.....	1 496	1 529	1 251	1 202					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	171	292	156	228					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	81		71	57					
.....number.....	90		80	66					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7		7	12					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	109	59	98	52					
.....number.....	110	59	99	52					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	14	16	11					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	16	16	16	5					
.....number.....	16	16	16	5					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	1	6						
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	30		28	10					
.....number.....	31		29	10					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5		4						
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	276	(NA)	250	(NA)					
.....number.....	289	(NA)	262	(NA)					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	86	(NA)	82	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	444	463	381	397					
.....number.....	454	471	389	404					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	67	156	64	135					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	90	(NA)	73	96					
.....number.....	92	(NA)	75	100					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29	(NA)	29	42					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	207	(NA)	199	130					
.....number.....	227	(NA)	218	135					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	64	(NA)	64	43					

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.....	582	(X)	452	(X)	577	(X)	460	(X)	9 261
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	567	(X)	445	(X)	563	(X)	453	(X)	1 462
.....1969.....	611	(X)	493	(X)	605	(X)	505	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	560	24 038	440	21 954	548	9 341	444	8 745	1 308
.....1969.....	603	22 339	489	20 808	592	10 149	500	9 599	970
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	9	24	5	14	96	246	43	119	20
5 to 9.....1974.....	46	319	14	115	96	682	66	478	86
10 to 19.....1974.....	92	1 290	47	718	166	2 333	147	2 109	281
20 to 49.....1974.....	225	7 619	191	6 620	171	4 823	169	4 782	718
50 to 99.....1974.....	148	9 776	143	9 477	16	905	16	905	131
100 to 199.....1974.....	38	(D)	38	(D)	3	352	3	352	71
200 to 499.....1974.....	2	(D)	2	(D)					
500 and over.....1974.....									
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	527	12 924	426	11 889	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	551	12 545	476	12 090	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	174	2 095	88	1 213	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	1 298	83	1 017	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	419	10 829	386	10 676	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	483	11 247	444	11 073	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	384	(X)	7 264
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	455	(X)	4 735
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Cattle sold		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Dollars (1,000)	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows.....174	2 095	88	1 213	389	3 456				999
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....69	155	41	83	149	385				104
5 to 9.....33	212	10	67	115	760				213
10 to 19.....37	518	16	227	79	999				278
20 to 49.....29	804	15	430	44	(D)				(D)
50 to 99.....6	406	6	406	2	(D)				(D)
100 to 199.....									
200 to 499.....									
500 and over.....									
Milk cows.....419	10 829	386	10 676	366	5 289				308
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....19	25	8	10	21	34				2
3 or 4.....16	54	7	23	31	111				7
5 to 9.....30	231	22	176	89	643				45
10 to 19.....92	1 317	87	1 265	135	1 859				93
20 to 49.....221	6 811	221	6 811	85	2 259				110
50 to 99.....40	(D)	40	(D)	4	(D)				(D)
100 to 199.....1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)				(D)
200 to 499.....									
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	399	7 869	28	226	63
	1969	458	7 248	11	85	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	118	1 140	19	62	20
Milk heifers	1974	361	6 729	5	63	19
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	250	2 196	4	101	25
	1969	285	1 470	-	-	-

		Inventory— Farms with—		Sales		
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	19	62	20	41	18
	1969	5	63	15	105	83
1 to 9	1974	4	101	8	105	105
10 to 19	1974	-	-	9	349	185
20 to 49	1974	-	-	4	315	315
50 to 99	1974	-	-	7	985	985
100 to 199	1974	-	-	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974	-	-	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	-	-	32	3 721	3 557
	1969	-	-	56	3 755	3 620

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	83	1 979	59	1 804	67	4 563	50	4 354	154
	1969	80	1 604	67	1 452	73	4 340	63	4 162	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	40	85	24	52	20	41	10	18	1
5 to 9	1974	19	135	14	95	15	105	12	83	4
10 to 24	1974	14	206	13	194	8	105	8	105	4
25 to 49	1974	4	130	3	91	9	349	5	185	7
50 to 99	1974	2	111	1	60	4	315	4	315	9
100 to 199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	7	985	7	985	63
200 to 499	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	3 721	28	3 557	72
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	56	3 755	49	3 620	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	15	280	6	63	7	188	4	53	(NA)
	1969	20	274	11	129	15	162	7	90	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	4	54	1350
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	(X)	1
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	3	8	(NA)	(NA)	2	6	(2)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	22	(NA)	(NA)	3	8	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	93	241	59	141	19	60	10	21	4
	1969	119	303	(NA)	(NA)	16	25	(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	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	1974	35	346	46	659	39	633
	1969	55	415	69	618	59	588
Other hogs and pigs	1974	53	1 458	39	325	34	314
	1969	55	1 037	58	301	52	286
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	3	6	37	334	31	319
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	6	55	56	317	47	302
Rams and wethers	1974	2	2				

		Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		December 1 of preceding year and November 30		December 1 of preceding year and May 31		June 1 and November 30	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Litters of pigs farrowed between—									
	1974								
	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	1974	105	(X)	83	(X)	12	(X)	7	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	85	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	101	24 504	79	23 414	8	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	118	27 057	80	24 758	27	10 018	23	9 898
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	99	24 271	78	23 330	8	(D)	6	(D)
	1969	115	26 840	77	24 633	25	9 868	21	9 748
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	89	3 091	70	2 360	7	407	5	257
100 to 399	1974	9	(D)	7	(D)	-	-	-	-
400 to 1,599	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1,600 to 3,199	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	1974	-	-	-	-	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 and over	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	10	20 517	8	20 367	4	(D)	1	(D)
	1969	3	10 100	3	10 100	2	(D)	1	(D)
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	268	21	265
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	43	304

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.....	78	23 330	6	(D)	78	23 330	6	(D)	
1969.....	77	24 633	21	9 748	77	24 633	21	9 748	
Hens for table or market egg production.....	77	23 294	6	(D)	77	23 294	6	(D)	
Hens for hatching egg production.....	2	36	—	—	2	36	—	—	
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	3	51	—	—	3	51	—	—	
1969.....	2	76	—	—	2	76	—	—	
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	18	33	—	—	18	33	—	—	
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	2	(D)	—	—	2	(D)	—	—	
Turkeys.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Turkeys for slaughter.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Heavy breed.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Light breed.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Turkey hens for breeding.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other poultry.....	3	(X)	—	—	3	(X)	—	(X)	
1969.....	9	(X)	2	(X)	9	(X)	2	(X)	

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		
Corn for all purposes.....	265	190	5 906	2 412	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes.....	5	1	77	23	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	1	1	14	5	47	125		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Wheat (bushels).....	7	4	80	7	1 394	270		
Other small grains for grain.....	506	530	10 721	10 586	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	9	(NA)	197	(NA)	49 977	(NA)		
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)		
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	615	584	34 379	26 246	65 202	61 509		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	7	8	3 078	11	(X)	(X)		
Land in orchards.....	1	6	(Z)	13	(X)	(X)		
Berries for sale.....	5	6	133	105	(X)	(X)		
Other crops.....	11	(NA)	144	379	(X)	(X)		
Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over								
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land	
							Farms	Acres
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	56	19	1 286	221	86 200	19 818	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	239	171	4 496	2 071	42 758	21 684	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	2	12	5	59	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	4	(NA)	57	23	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	260	225	11 918	8 058	24 847	22 467	—	—

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.....	305	10 335	(X)	—	—	16	241	16	28	—	—
1969.....	337	11 363	(X)	—	—	27	411	27	70	—	—
Improved pasture.....	58	1 259	(X)	—	—	1	5	1	1	—	—
1969.....	56	2 160	(X)	—	—	5	75	5	10	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....	251	5 787	(X)	—	—	209	4 429	203	584	8	6
1969.....	182	2 351	(X)	—	—	149	1 861	149	293	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes.....	4	57	(X)	—	—	1	40	1	4	—	—
1969.....	1	23	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	7	80	1 394	—	—	7	80	7	9	—	—
1969.....	3	5	230	—	—	3	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels).....	419	9 802	597 246	—	—	284	7 093	282	896	3	1
1969.....	449	9 375	566 956	1	1	335	7 249	(NA)	1 001	(NA)	(Z)
Barley (bushels).....	11	65	3 345	—	—	8	45	8	6	—	—
1969.....	2	72	4 600	—	—	2	72	(NA)	9	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....	5	31	635	—	—	2	9	2	(Z)	—	—
1969.....	1	7	140	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....	1	18	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	1	14	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	1	5	125	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	467	30 652	59 719	—	—	130	6 152	128	730	2	1
1969.....	456	23 313	56 414	—	—	81	2 734	81	351	1	1
Field seed crops.....	8	140	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	28	368	(X)	—	—	1	15	1	2	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	5	195	49 910	1	100	3	195	3	136	—	—
1969.....	7	27	2 624	—	—	2	26	(NA)	6	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	4	3 074	(X)	1	(D)	3	3 034	3	538	—	—
1969.....	1	10	(X)	—	—	1	10	1	1	—	—
Land in orchards.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969.....	4	9	(X)	—	—	2	1	2	(Z)	—	—

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	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms
Berries for sale	1974..	3	132	(X)	3	132	3	132	3	24	-	-
	1969..	4	102	(X)	3	102	3	102	3	33	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974..	1	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974..	-	-	(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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms..	411	440	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	
	\$1,000..	663	182	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms..
Commercial fertilizer	farms..	402	383	acres on which used	\$1,000..
acres on which used	21 455	12 565		Weeds or grass in crops	farms..
tons	2 964	1 780		acres on which used	\$1,000..
Lime	farms..	511	138	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms..
acres on which used	1 836	2 145		acres on which used	\$1,000..
tons	4 365	5 458		Weeds on all other land	farms..
\$1,000..	44	29		acres on which used	\$1,000..
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	
Insects on hay crops	farms..	13	1	of crops or thinning of fruit	farms..
acres on which used	585	5		acres on which used	\$1,000..
\$1,000..	2	(Z)		Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms..
Insects on other crops	farms..	48	29	Other chemicals (see text)	farms..
acres on which used	4 295	489			\$1,000..
\$1,000..	48	3			\$1,000..
Nematodes in crops	farms..	1	-		
acres on which used	10	-			
\$1,000..	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 irrigated in census year	farms..	4	3	Land irrigated by— Continued	
Proportion of farms	percent..	0.8	0.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms..
Total land irrigated	acres..	1 037	142	acres..	660
Average per farm	acres..	259.3	47.3	Other sprinkler systems	farms..
Cropland irrigated	farms..	4	3	acres..	377
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms..	1 037	142	Land in irrigated farms	acres..
acres..	4	3	Cropland	acres..	
Harvested cropland	acres..	1 027	102	Harvested cropland	acres..
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms..	-	-	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	
acres..	-	-	between 1970 and 1973	farms..	
Other cropland irrigated	farms..	1	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	acres..
acres..	10	40		Farms with artificial drainage	farms..
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms..	-	-	Proportion of farms	percent..
acres..	-	-		Land in farms with drainage	acres..
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet..	707	224	Land drained	acres..
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet..	0.7	1.6	Average per farm	acres..
Land irrigated by—				Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	
Furrows or ditches	farms..	-	(NA)	tanks	farms..
acres..	-	(NA)		number	number..
				acres..	acres..

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms..	224	140	171
	\$1,000..	6 437	3 511	2 925
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000		40	20	53
\$5,000 to \$9,999		30	18	36
\$10,000 to \$29,999		84	63	50
\$30,000 to \$49,999		24	18	17
\$50,000 and over		46	21	15

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	41	52	74	82	292	330	41	51	98	
25 to 149 days	51	213	220	716	127	49	292	127	49	
Less than 25 days	98		568		49		74	220	568	
Total contract labor	10	14	(NA)	(NA)	13	81	59	26	18	
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	6	(NA)	36	(NA)	10	(NA)	20	7	12	
							23	5	3	
							22	3	13	
							18	-	5	