

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.....	336	397	191	140
Land in farms..... acres.....	87 648	108 557	64 618	63 906
Average size of farm..... acres.....	261	273	338	456
Approximate land area..... acres.....	263 168	263 168	263 168	263 168
Proportion in farms..... percent.....	33.3	41.3	24.6	24.3
Value of land and buildings..... \$1,000.....	19 516	9 892	13 837	5 901
Average per farm..... dollars.....	58 084	24 916	72 443	42 149
Average per acre..... dollars.....	223	91	214	92
Farms by size:				
1 to 9 acres.....	10	24	4	1
10 to 49 acres.....	42	46	13	7
50 to 69 acres.....	20	25	9	5
70 to 99 acres.....	19	36	9	7
100 to 139 acres.....	25	37	12	15
140 to 179 acres.....	47	35	23	9
180 to 219 acres.....	30	32	18	11
220 to 259 acres.....	27	24	15	9
260 to 499 acres.....	72	84	49	38
500 to 999 acres.....	36	41	31	26
1,000 to 1,999 acres.....	7	9	7	8
2,000 acres and over.....	1	4	1	4
			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			1974	1969
Other cropland..... farms.....			28	(NA)
..... acres.....			939	4 232
Cropland in cover crops, legumes, and soil-improvement grasses, not harvested and not pastured..... farms.....			5	34
..... acres.....			212	1 998
Cropland on which all crops failed..... farms.....			4	5
..... acres.....			41	228
Cropland in cultivated summer fallow..... farms.....			10	16
..... acres.....			450	760
Cropland idle..... farms.....			14	29
..... acres.....			236	1 246
Total woodland..... farms.....			158	116
..... acres.....			39 404	41 270
Woodland pastured..... farms.....			56	50
..... acres.....			6 652	6 130
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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	336	397	191	140	Farms by type of organization—Con.					
Land in farms	acres	87 648	108 557	64 618	63 906	Partnership	number	(NA)	(NA)	15	15
Harvested cropland	acres	12 685	8 953	11 215	6 402	Land in farms	acres	(NA)	(NA)	5 282	9 036
Farms by tenure of farm operator:						Corporation	number	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
Full owners	number	227	324	108	95	Land in farms	acres	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
Land in farms	acres	54 578	82 183	33 808	42 724	Other	number	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
Harvested cropland	acres	4 669	4 881	3 570	2 883	acres	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	
Part owners	number	84	55	66	33	Farm operators by age group: ²					
Land in farms	acres	22 867	19 560	20 767	14 558	Under 25 years	3	4	—	2	
Harvested cropland	acres	6 521	3 252	6 250	2 859	25 to 34 years	25	33	14	13	
Tenants	number	25	18	17	12	35 to 44 years	81	84	44	30	
Land in farms	acres	10 203	6 814	10 043	6 624	45 to 54 years	83	99	47	41	
Harvested cropland	acres	1 495	820	1 395	660	55 to 64 years	78	90	42	31	
Percent of tenancy		7.4	4.5	8.9	8.5	65 years and over	66	87	44	23	
Black and other races, see text—						Average age	52.2	52.8	53.5	50.8	
Farm operators by tenure: ¹						Farm operators by place of residence: ²					
All farm operators	number	—	1	—	1	On farm operated	220	269	125	108	
Land in farms	acres	—	94	—	94	On another farm	11	—	10	—	
Harvested cropland	acres	—	—	—	—	In a rural area, not on a farm	13	75	5	20	
Full owners	number	—	1	—	1	In a city, town, or urban area	19	—	10	—	
Land in farms	acres	—	94	—	94	Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ²					
Harvested cropland	acres	—	—	—	—	None	86	(NA)	51	(NA)	
Part owners	number	—	—	—	—	1 to 49 days	13	40	4	10	
Land in farms	acres	—	—	—	—	50 to 99 days	12	8	7	5	
Harvested cropland	acres	—	—	—	—	100 to 149 days	18	—	15	—	
Tenants	number	—	—	—	—	150 to 199 days	24	43	13	15	
Land in farms	acres	—	—	—	—	200 days and over	131	178	63	41	
Harvested cropland	acres	—	—	—	—	Farm operators by principal occupation: ²					
Percent of tenancy		—	—	—	—	Farming	130	(NA)	98	(NA)	
Farms by type of organization:						Other	206	(NA)	93	(NA)	
Individual or family	number	(NA)	(NA)	176	125	Farm operators reporting utilization of futures market					
Land in farms	acres	(NA)	(NA)	59 336	54 870	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2	(NA)	
						Farm operators reporting agricultural contracts					
						(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	12	(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:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over.....	2	4	2	4	Crops.....	126	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	7	7	7	7	\$1,000.....	913	159
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	14	7	14	7	Grains.....	111	38
\$1,000.....					\$1,000.....	868	120
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	30	16	30	16	Tobacco.....	1	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	64	49	64	49	\$1,000.....	1	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	67	61	67	61	Cotton and cottonseed.....	-	1
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	152	260	7	3	\$1,000.....	-	2
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	30	41	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....	44	25
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	39	35	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	42	26
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	27	75	(X)	(X)	Other field crops.....	-	4
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	56	109	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	-	10
Market value of agricultural products sold.....					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....	1	1
\$1,000.....	2 513	1 545	2 330	1 267	\$1,000.....	1	(Z)
Average per farm.....	7 478	3 890	12 197	9 047	Fruits, nuts, and berries.....	-	-
\$1,000.....					\$1,000.....	-	-
Crops, including hay.....	165	113	126	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	168	136
\$1,000.....	944	195	913	159	\$1,000.....	1 243	1 009
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	-	-	-	-	\$1,000.....	6	1
\$1,000.....	-	-	-	-	\$1,000.....	1	(Z)
Forest products.....	34	31	29	17	Dairy products.....	-	3
\$1,000.....	179	101	174	98	\$1,000.....	-	27
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	289	345	168	136	Cattle and calves.....	157	(NA)
\$1,000.....	1 389	1 248	1 243	1 009	\$1,000.....	686	512
Poultry and poultry products.....	10	(NA)	6	1	Hogs and pigs.....	94	(NA)
\$1,000.....	1	(NA)	1	(Z)	\$1,000.....	555	470
					Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	-	-
					\$1,000.....	-	-
					Other livestock and livestock products.....	3	(Z)
					\$1,000.....	-	-

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	161	(NA)	65	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	130
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	56	(NA)	42	(NA)	\$1,000.....	1 050
Customwork and other agricultural services.....	18	31	18	15	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....	22
\$1,000.....	35	26	35	22	\$1,000.....	144
Recreational services.....	5	2	5	-	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....	93
\$1,000.....	21	(Z)	21	-	\$1,000.....	766
Government farm programs.....	26	161	18	62	Interest, dividends, or royalties.....	37
\$1,000.....	8	139	6	77	\$1,000.....	42
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....	16	(NA)	10	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....	27
\$1,000.....	14	(NA)	11	(NA)	\$1,000.....	70
Other farm-related sources.....	4	(NA)	3	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property.....	7
\$1,000.....	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	\$1,000.....	28
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	18	(NA)	16	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	50	(NA)	46	(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.....	336	397	191	140	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	185	220	123	100
\$1,000.....	1 754	1 277	1 546	950	\$1,000.....	60	32	55	22
Farms with.....					Commercial fertilizer purchased.....	214	243	134	103
\$1 to \$999.....	78	147	12	29	\$1,000.....	147	95	125	69
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	66	93	25	30	Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....	83	(NA)	65	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	49	51	23	30	\$1,000.....	39	23	37	17
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	64	56	54	35	\$1,000.....	(NA)	100	9	40
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	43	28	41	24	\$1,000.....	(NA)	10	4	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	27		27	17	Lime.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	4		4	3	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....	332	360	191	140
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	3		3		\$1,000.....	141	77	120	50
\$60,000 and over.....	2		2		\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	177	132
Livestack and poultry purchased.....	113	190	62	74	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	78	32
\$1,000.....	283	283	250	221	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	73	43
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	251	326	144	125	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	28	8
\$1,000.....	399	340	344	269	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	13
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	180	182	122	107	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	3
\$1,000.....	267	128	240	105	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....	(NA)	(NA)	191	140
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	21	14	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	14	7
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	13	14	Hired farm labor.....	64	128	37	69
Whole grains.....	(NA)	(NA)	60	80	\$1,000.....	28	57	24	47
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	71	142	\$1,000.....	18	181	13	6
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	(NA)	(NA)	20	30	\$1,000.....	8	53	7	5
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	20	9	Machine hire and customwork.....	138		90	72
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	(NA)	(NA)	62	(NA)	\$1,000.....	60		46	27
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	7	(NA)	\$1,000.....	280	297	189	138
					\$1,000.....	589	317	530	223

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

	All forms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All forms		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.....farms.....	332	356	189	140	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	37	9	35	8
.....\$1,000.....	3 778	1 575	2 920	958	number.....	37	9	35	8
Average per farm.....dollars.....	11 379	4 424	15 447	6 844	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	11	2	11	2
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	17	75	15	10
\$1 to \$999.....	2	50	—	67	number.....	17	80	15	10
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	98	202	41	47	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	36	6	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	105	65	36	47	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	80	65	60	61
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	69	29	56	17	number.....	81	66	61	27
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	31	10	31	7	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	15	15	27
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	24	1	22	1	Mower conditioners.....farms.....	38	(NA)	30	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	1	2	1	1	number.....	38	(NA)	30	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	2	2	2	1	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	(NA)	13	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers.....farms.....	57	46	54	36
Automobiles.....farms.....	228	197	134	91	number.....	57	47	54	36
.....number.....	267	237	170	111	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	21	26	19	18
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	166	156	100	80	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	14	(NA)	14	15
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	298	291	172	124	number.....	14	(NA)	14	15
.....number.....	391	329	236	154	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	(NA)	6	8
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	106	191	81	92	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	10	(NA)	10	3
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	283	284	169	124	number.....	14	(NA)	14	3
.....number.....	409	388	285	203	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	3	—
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	96	157	88	83					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	16	1	12	4					
.....number.....	22	2	17	4					
.....mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	2	2	1					

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..	295	(X)	168	(X)	289	(X)	168	(X)	1 243
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1974..	291	(X)	167	(X)	282	(X)	168	(X)	1 241
	1969..	332	(X)	129	(X)	338	(X)	135	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	1974..	257	9 767	156	7 831	242	4 195	157	3 537	686
	1969..	271	7 833	114	5 387	266	4 585	119	3 324	512
Farms with —										
1 to 4	1974..	15	37	1	3	28	61	11	23	3
5 to 9	1974..	21	144	7	56	93	666	49	341	52
10 to 19	1974..	53	763	28	426	68	910	45	637	92
20 to 49	1974..	116	3 612	72	2 384	42	1 163	41	1 141	172
50 to 99	1974..	35	2 264	31	2 015	7	435	7	435	79
100 to 199	1974..	12	1 483	12	1 483	3	(D)	3	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	1974..	5	1 464	5	1 464	—	—	—	—	—
500 and over	1974..	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	1974..	213	4 644	138	3 699	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969..	226	3 780	103	2 611	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1974..	202	4 543	133	3 651	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969..	(NA)	3 643	99	2 521	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1974..	42	101	21	48	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969..	53	137	25	90	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	—	(X)	—
	1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	27
Inventory, 1974								Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over								
Farms	Number	Farms	Number							
Beef cows	202	4 543	133	3 651	Cattle sold	111	2 243	537		
Farms with —					Farms with —					
1 to 4	13	26	3	5	1 to 4	32	72	15		
5 to 9	35	221	19	123	5 to 9	31	195	37		
10 to 19	79	1 113	51	752	10 to 19	22	303	59		
20 to 49	56	1 595	41	1 183	20 to 49	19	602	102		
50 to 99	15	1 018	15	1 018	50 to 99	5	328	71		
100 to 199	3	(D)	3	(D)	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	—	—	—		
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)		
Milk cows	42	101	21	48	Calves sold	113	1 294	149		
Farms with —					Farms with —					
1 or 2	36	46	18	23	1 or 2	6	6	1		
3 or 4	—	—	—	—	3 or 4	15	52	7		
5 to 9	3	21	2	15	5 to 9	40	285	33		
10 to 19	3	34	1	10	10 to 19	37	482	52		
20 to 49	—	—	—	—	20 to 49	14	394	49		
50 to 99	—	—	—	—	50 to 99	1	75	7		
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	100 to 199	—	—	—		
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	—	—	—		
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	105	1 680	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	10	(D)	(D)
	1969	88	1 117		1969	4	440	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	97	1 648	Farms with—	1974	5	17	3
Milk heifers	1974	11	32	1 to 9	1974	1	10	4
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	131	2 452	10 to 19	1974	3	68	13
	1969	111	1 659	20 to 49	1974	—	—	—
				50 to 99	1974	—	—	—
				100 to 199	1974	—	—	—
				200 to 499	1974	—	—	—
				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	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number Dollars (1,000)
Hogs and pigs	1974	142	7 480	98	6 593	133	9 670	94	8 387 555
	1969	204	8 705	97	6 811	203	13 260	103	10 881 (NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	1974	14	38	10	29	1	2	—	—
5 to 9	1974	25	167	12	85	15	91	9	54 4
10 to 24	1974	25	391	12	195	22	359	12	212 14
25 to 49	1974	41	1 437	29	1 015	46	1 570	26	909 55
50 to 99	1974	19	1 347	17	1 169	23	1 463	22	1 379 96
100 to 199	1974	9	1 222	9	1 222	15	2 204	15	2 204 119
200 to 499	1974	8	(D)	8	(D)	9	(D)	8	(D) (D)
500 and over	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D) (D)
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	38	1 640	21	1 235 32
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	55	2 753	24	1 816 (NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	1	15	—	—	1	11	—	— (NA)
	1969	3	107	1	75	3	107	1	75 (NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	— 1
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	— (X)
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	2	12	(NA)	(NA)	—	— (NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	44	90	24	39	2	2	1	1 (Z)
	1969	68	179	(NA)	(NA)	5	7	(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	76	645	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		123	1 541	87	1 419
	1969	92	1 088	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..	1974	189	1 903	95	1 492
Other hogs and pigs	1974	97	5 948		1969	104	790	78	719
	1969	93	5 723	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	1974	176	1 018	94	807
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	—	—		1969	90	751	68	700
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	—	—	June 1 and November 30	1974	157	885	84	685
Rams and wethers	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	77	(X)	37	(X)	4	(X)	4	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	76	1 895	36	1 214	—	—	—	—
	1969	104	4 157	29	977	8	872	1	15
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	75	1 804	36	1 149	—	—	—	—
	1969	101	3 929	28	873	6	870	1	15
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	75	1 804	36	1 149	—	—	—	—
100 to 399	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
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	6	17	1	5	4	12	4	12
	1969	2	40	2	40	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	1	6	1
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1	(Z)

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

Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
Inventory			Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age ----- 1974-----	36	1 149	-	-
----- 1969-----	28	873	1	15
Hens for table or market egg production ----- 1974-----	36	1 133	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production ----- 1974-----	1	16	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older ----- 1974-----	1	7	-	-
----- 1969-----	3	52	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding ----- 1974-----	15	58	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old ----- 1974-----	-	-	-	-

Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
Inventory			Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Turkeys ----- 1974-----	-	-	-	-
----- 1969-----	2	9	-	-
Turkeys for slaughter ----- 1974-----	-	-	-	-
Heavy breed ----- 1974-----	-	-	-	-
Light breed ----- 1974-----	-	-	-	-
Turkey hens for breeding ----- 1974-----	-	-	-	-
----- 1969-----	2	6	-	-
Other poultry ----- 1974-----	3	(X)	-	(X)
----- 1969-----	3	(X)	-	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	162	164	4 172	4 516	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	2	1	20	25	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	83	8	4 766	898	91 543	17 674
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	2	—	4	—	7 780
Wheat (bushels).....	16	6	469	52	9 669	1 520
Other small grains for grain.....	1	4	3	26	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	—	1	—	48	—	24
Tobacco (pounds).....	1	—	1	—	1 210	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	14	(NA)	2	(NA)	106	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	4	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	12	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	173	174	3 709	3 243	5 272	4 353
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	2	4	2	2	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	1	4	1	3	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	—	1	—	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	—	(NA)	—	209	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	110	79	3 273	2 748	168 423	111 755
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	5	13	256	428	3 285	4 517
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	—	7	72	94	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	—	1	—	25	—	1 500
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	9	2	163	8	375	20

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.....	126	8 547	(X)	—	—	42	1 739	38	168	7	22
.....1969.....	107	7 288	(X)	—	—	48	2 129	42	248	10	32
Improved pasture.....1974.....	26	1 112	(X)	—	—	—	365	7	33	—	—
.....1969.....	21	1 254	(X)	—	—	9	428	8	37	1	2
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	112	3 601	(X)	—	—	92	2 931	92	466	39	100
.....1969.....	86	3 270	(X)	—	—	59	2 492	58	387	29	114
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	1	25	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	25	(X)	—	—	1	25	1	3	1	1
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	13	444	9 329	—	—	7	189	7	21	—	—
.....1969.....	6	52	1 520	—	—	4	44	(NA)	7	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	1	3	107	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	1	25	—	—	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	2	20	555	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	5	100	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	72	4 644	89 629	—	—	20	938	20	70	—	—
.....1969.....	5	860	17 170	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	119	2 903	4 283	—	—	33	782	31	88	5	11
.....1969.....	75	1 972	2 648	—	—	21	335	21	93	1	1
Field seed crops.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	5	118	(X)	—	—	1	17	1	2	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	48	24	—	—	1	48	(NA)	—	(NA)	12
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	1	1	1 210	—	—	1	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	5	1	43	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	8	(Z)	105	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	2	2	(X)	—	—	2	2	2	1	—	—
.....1969.....	2	1	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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)	—	—	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	—	(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	142	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.			—	1
.....			\$1,000	162	Diseases in crops and orchards			—	3
Commercial fertilizer			farms	134	.....			—	(Z)
.....			acres on which used	6 953	Weeds or grass in crops			45	22
.....			tons	979	.....			3 774	1 849
Lime			\$1,000	125	.....			27	8
.....			farms	9	Weeds or brush in pasture			—	4
.....			acres on which used	400	.....			—	44
.....			tons	649	.....			—	(Z)
.....			\$1,000	4	Weeds on all other land			1	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			farms	3	.....			10	(NA)
Insects on hay crops			acres on which used	45	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control			(Z)	(NA)
.....			\$1,000	(Z)	of crops or thinning of fruit			—	—
Insects on other crops			farms	4	.....			—	—
.....			acres on which used	129	Insect control on livestock and poultry			8	31
Nematodes in crops			\$1,000	1	.....			1	2
.....			farms	—	Other chemicals (see text)			13	(NA)
.....			acres on which used	—	.....			4	(NA)
.....			\$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 irrigated in census year			farms	—	Land irrigated by—Continued			—	(NA)
Proportion of farms			percent	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems			—	(NA)
Total land irrigated			acres	—	Other sprinkler systems			—	(NA)
Average per farm			acres	—	Land in irrigated farms			—	(NA)
Cropland irrigated			farms	—	Cropland			—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated			acres	—	Harvested cropland			—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated			farms	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated			—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated			acres	—	between 1970 and 1973			—	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture			farms	—	acres irrigated in most recent year			3	2
.....			acres	—	Farms with artificial drainage			1.6	1.4
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied			acre-feet	—	Proportion of farms			1 608	2 384
Average per acre irrigated			acre-feet	—	Land in farms with drainage			909	463
Land irrigated by—			acres	—	Land drained			303.0	231.5
Furrows or ditches			farms	(NA)	Average per farm			—	—
.....			acres	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen			38	(NA)
					tanks			132	(NA)
					.....			41	(NA)

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

		Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		43	26	27
.....		971	498	472
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000		7	5	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999		6	4	6
\$10,000 to \$29,999		19	11	8
\$30,000 to \$49,999		6	5	1
\$50,000 and over		5	1	3

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

Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)		1974 hired farm workers working—			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—									
150 days or more		5	7	5	13	37	5	6	31
25 to 149 days		6	—	11	—	24	8	6	9
Less than 25 days		31	67	110	165	126	5	11	110
Total contract labor		13	6	(NA)	(NA)				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor		4	(NA)	17	(NA)				
Farms with—									
1 worker						9	5	4	6
2 workers						8	—	1	6
3 or 4 workers						8	—	—	8
5 to 9 workers						12	—	1	11
10 workers and over						—	—	—	—