Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1969, 1964, and 1959

| Farm production expenses, |  |  | 1969 |  |  | 1964 |  |  | $\underline{1959}$ |  |  |  | 1969 |  |  | 1964 |  |  | 1959 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| total (see text) ......... ......farms. . |  |  | 896 |  |  | 850 |  |  | 994 | Commercral fertilizer . . . . . . . . . . farms. . |  | 2 | 941 |  |  |  |  |  | 178 |
|  | 249 | 436 | 768 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | dollars. <br> Number of farms with expenditures of- | 14 |  | 670 |  |  |  |  |  | (NA) |
| Number of farms with expenditures of - \$1 to $\$ 499 . . . . .$. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\$ 1$ to $\$ 99$ |  | 1 | 059 |  |  |  |  |  | (NA) |
| . $\begin{aligned} & \text { \$1 to } \$ 499 \ldots . . . . . . ~ . ~\end{aligned}$ |  |  | 728 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | \$100 to \$499 |  |  | 900 |  |  | 962 |  |  | (NA) |
| \$500 to \$999 |  |  | 538 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | \$500 to \$999 |  |  | 351 |  |  | 374 |  |  | (NA) |
| \$1,000 to \$1,999 |  |  | 665 |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$1,000 to \$2,499 |  |  | 382 |  |  |  |  |  | (NA) |
| \$2,000 to \$2,999 |  |  | 375 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | \$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 134 , |  |  |  |  |  | (NA) |
| \$3,000 to \$4,999 ........ |  |  | 393 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | \$10,000 and over |  |  | $\left.\begin{array}{l}61 \\ 54\end{array}\right\}$ |  |  | 83 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & (N A) \\ & (N A) \end{aligned}$ |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999. |  |  | 453 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | Lime . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . farms. . |  |  | 245 |  |  | 395 |  |  | 263 |
| \$10,000 to $\$ 19,999$ \$20,000 and over |  |  | 327 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | dollars. . |  | 102 | 951 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| 320,00 and over |  |  | 416 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | Number of farms with expenditures of$\$ 1$ to $\$ 99$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$100 to \$499 . . . . . . |  |  | 188 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) (NA) |
| Items Purchased |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$500 to \$999 |  |  | 4 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$1,000 to \$2,499 |  |  | 2 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| Livestock and pouitry .. .. .. .farms. |  |  | 604 |  |  | 906 |  |  | 728 | \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | 1 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
|  | 11 | 564 | 226 | 4 |  | 503 |  | 398 | 203 | \$5,000 to \$9,999 |  |  | , |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| Number of farms with expenditures of- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$10,000 and over |  |  | 3 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| \$1 to \$99 ....... . |  |  | $68)$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | Other agricultural chemicals |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$100 to \$499 . . . . . . . . |  |  | 156 |  |  | 589 |  |  | 364 | (see text) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .tarms. |  | 2 | 274 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | ( NA ) |
| S500 to S999 .. ....... . |  |  | 95 |  |  |  |  |  |  | dollars. . | 7 | 740 | 581. |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number of farms with expenditures of- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | 91 |  |  | 121 |  |  | 140 | \$1 to \$99 |  |  | 787 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | ( NA) |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | 58 |  |  | 68 |  |  | 86 | \$100 to \$499 |  |  | 960 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| $\$ 5,000$ to $\$ 9,999$ $\$ 10,000$ and over |  |  | 48 |  |  | 46 |  |  | 52 | \$500 to \$999 |  |  | 262 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| S10,000 and over |  |  | 88 |  |  | 82 |  |  | 86 | \$1,000 to \$2,499 |  |  | 168 |  |  | ( NA) |  |  | (NA) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | 42 |  |  | ( NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| Feed for livestock and poultry .... farms $\begin{gathered}\text { dollars. }\end{gathered}$ |  |  | 878 |  |  | 625 |  |  | 026 | \$5,000 to \$9,999 |  |  | 18 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| dollars. . | 18 | 352 | 347 | 14 | 059 | 537 |  | 974 | 297 | \$10,000 and over |  |  | 37 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| Number of farms with expenditures of- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Gasoline and other petroleum fuel |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\$ 1$ to $\$ 99 .$. $\$ 100$ to $\$ 499$ |  |  | 185 |  |  | 424 |  |  | 140 | and oil for the farm business .... . farms. |  | 3 | 776 |  | 4 | 029 |  | 5 | 490 |
| S100 to $\$ 499$ $\$ 500$ to $\$ 999$ |  |  | 234 , |  |  | 731 |  |  | 235 | dollars. | 6 |  | 785 | 5 |  |  | 5 |  | 145 |
| S500 to SS99 |  |  | 96 |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number of farms with expenditures of$\$ 1$ to $\$ 99$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 ... |  |  | $92\}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$100 to \$499 |  | 1 | 931 |  |  |  |  |  | 569 180 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | $44\}$ |  |  | 206 |  |  | 309 | \$500 to \$999 |  |  | 416 |  |  | 293 |  |  | 421 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 |  |  | 48 |  |  | $79\}$ |  |  |  | \$1,000 to \$2,499 |  |  | 168 ) |  |  | 257 |  |  | 250 |
| \$10,000 and over ......... |  |  | 179 |  |  | 185 |  |  | 342 | \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | 62 ) |  |  | 257 |  |  | 250 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$5,000 to \$9,999 |  |  | $21\}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Commercrally mixed formula feeds... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$10,000 and over |  |  | 41 , |  |  | 59 |  |  | 70 |
| feeds ... . . . ..........farms. . |  |  | 731 |  |  | 206 |  |  | (NA) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { tons. . } \\ & \text { dollars. } \end{aligned}$ |  | 132 | 308 |  | 115 | 611 |  |  | (NA) | Hired farm labor . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . farms. . |  | 1 | 156 |  | 1 | 473 |  |  | 926 |
| dollars. . | 12 | 2169 | 437 | 11 |  | 507 |  |  | (NA) | dollars. <br> Number of farms with expenditures of- | 84 | 454 | 759 | 57 | 344 |  | 54 |  | 330 |
| Number of farms that used- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$1 to \$99 |  |  | 75 ) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 to 49 tons. |  |  | 525 |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$100 to \$499 |  |  | 268 $\}$ |  |  | 453 |  |  | 743 |
| 50 to 99 tons |  |  | 49 |  |  | 58 |  |  | (NA) | \$500 to \$999 ... |  |  | 187 |  |  | 281 |  |  | 313 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 208 |  |  | 301 |  |  | 412 |
| 100 to 199 tons... |  |  | 40 |  |  | 58 |  |  | (NA) | \$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 144 |  |  | 131 |  |  | 180 |
| 200 to 499 tons.. . ..... |  |  | 41 |  |  | 48 |  |  | (NA) | \$5,000 to \$9,999 |  |  | 77 |  |  | 124 |  |  | 107 |
| Sumber of fand over.. |  |  | 76 |  |  | 62 |  |  | (NA) | \$10,000 and over |  |  | 197 |  |  | 183 |  |  | 171 |
| Number of farms with expenditures of- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Contract labor, machine hire, |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$1 to \$99 ... |  |  | 160 |  |  |  |  |  |  | and customwork . . . . . . . . . . . . . .farms. . |  |  | 759 |  |  | 870 |  |  | 240 |
| \$100 to \$499 |  |  | 187 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | dollars. . | 6 | 080 | 959 | 3 | 017 | 504 | 2 | 137 | 879 |
| \$500 to \$999 ... .... . ... |  |  | 71 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | Number of farms with expenditures of$\$ 1$ to $\$ 99$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$1.000 to \$2.499 |  |  | 70 |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$100 to \$499 |  |  | 191 3 \} |  |  | 463 |  |  | 535 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | 35 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | \$500 to \$999 |  |  | 123 |  |  | 118 |  |  | 197 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . . . . . |  |  | 41 |  |  | ( NA) |  |  | (NA) | \$1,000 to \$2,499 . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$10,000 and over ... ...... |  |  | 167 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 2,500 \text { to } \$ 4,999 \\ & \$ 5,000 \text { to } \$ 9,999 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\left.\begin{array}{r}139 \\ 84\end{array}\right\}$ |  |  | 176 60 |  |  | 436 48 |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees . ...farms. . |  |  | 019 |  |  | 116 |  |  | 409 | \$10,000 and over . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 84 47 |  |  | 60 53 |  |  | 48 24 |
| dollars. . |  | 1126 | 417 |  | 249 | 071 |  | 467 | 392 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | All other production expenses ..... farms. . |  | 3 | 409 |  |  | ( NA) |  |  | ( $N A$ ) |
| Number of farms with expenditures of$\$ 1$ to \$99 |  |  | 422 |  |  |  |  |  |  | Number of farms with expenditures ot-- | 99 | 383 | 073 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| \$100 to \$499 .... . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 420 |  |  | 250 |  |  | 450 | \$1 to \$99................ . . . . |  |  | 278 |  |  | ( NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| \$500 to \$999 .......... ....... |  |  | 71 |  |  | 57 |  |  | 100 | \$100 to \$499 |  |  | 805 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$500 10 \$999 |  |  | 551 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | ( NA) |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 .............. |  |  | 60 |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$1,000 to \$2,499 |  |  | 717 |  |  | ( NA ) |  |  | (NA) |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 |  |  | 17 \} |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$2,500 to \$4,999 . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 421 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | ( NA) |
| \$5,000 10 \$9,999 |  |  | 15 |  |  | 65 |  |  | 100 | \$5,000 to \$9,999 . . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 310 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |
| \$10,000 and over |  |  | 14. |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$10,000 and over |  |  | 327 |  |  | (NA) |  |  | (NA) |

All Farms


