

Table 9. Farm Production Expenses: 1974

	Farm production expenses				Farms by farm production expenses for all farms							
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Under \$1,000	\$1,000 to \$2,999	\$3,000 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$20,000 to \$39,999	\$40,000 to \$59,999	\$60,000 and over
	Total (\$1,000)	Average per farm	Total (\$1,000)	Average per farm								
Maine, total	293 191	45 640	289 815	63 654	916	1 184	485	618	663	908	506	1 144
Androscoggin	46 107	134 816	45 982	183 195	45	51	27	28	45	44	23	79
Aroostook	75 526	48 507	74 954	56 399	103	141	70	133	168	398	216	328
Cumberland	13 637	34 264	13 437	53 111	73	95	27	46	53	30	18	56
Franklin	5 010	23 194	4 894	34 224	33	49	23	26	21	29	16	19
Hancock	2 092	11 432	1 960	23 902	53	72	15	11	8	9	8	7
Kennebec	38 116	68 308	37 813	93 365	89	83	33	52	43	61	47	150
Knox	7 758	36 594	7 631	62 549	50	45	24	14	17	15	6	41
Lincoln	3 642	23 346	3 526	35 616	16	54	15	21	13	13	8	16
Oxford	8 885	26 682	8 683	41 348	54	80	36	47	28	43	9	36
Penobscot	18 834	31 868	18 291	46 661	94	133	50	63	57	60	39	95
Piscataquis	2 624	20 341	2 564	32 050	22	34	10	11	21	13	8	10
Sagadahoc	3 090	32 872	3 049	47 641	16	12	11	10	10	12	2	21
Somerset	19 733	41 543	19 509	56 878	77	76	39	44	53	70	28	88
Waldo	25 591	57 508	25 449	72 298	33	69	31	32	60	60	31	129
Washington	5 213	18 888	5 042	36 536	77	97	37	30	8	3	8	16
York	17 331	37 758	17 032	58 731	81	93	37	50	58	48	39	53

Table 10. Farm Production Expenses by Item Purchased: 1974

Part 1 of 4	Farm production expenses				Purchases for farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Livestock and poultry		Feed for livestock and poultry				
	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Total		Commerically mixed formula feed		
							Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses (\$1,000)
Maine, total	6 424	293 191	4 553	289 815	1 678	22 535	2 752	115 160	2 648	729 402	107 495
Androscoggin	342	46 107	251	45 982	126	1 826	221	28 304	214	157 921	22 737
Aroostook	1 557	75 526	1 329	74 954	159	375	293	1 200	265	7 459	1 051
Cumberland	398	13 637	253	13 437	104	1 153	168	6 129	157	39 954	5 924
Franklin	216	5 010	143	4 894	72	472	117	2 219	117	15 253	2 172
Hancock	183	2 092	82	1 960	19	178	26	900	26	6 135	888
Kennebec	558	38 116	405	37 813	249	4 878	361	21 712	348	140 137	21 351
Knox	212	7 758	122	7 631	65	899	93	5 106	91	34 780	5 086
Lincoln	156	3 642	99	3 526	42	421	72	1 836	69	12 566	1 796
Oxford	333	8 885	210	8 683	88	592	160	3 149	160	20 839	3 044
Penobscot	591	18 834	392	18 291	152	2 061	273	7 305	253	50 698	6 912
Piscataquis	129	2 624	80	2 564	25	113	61	969	60	6 590	954
Sagadahoc	94	3 090	64	3 049	33	364	52	1 573	50	8 711	1 530
Somerset	475	19 733	343	19 509	168	2 193	297	10 173	296	66 607	9 949
Waldo	445	25 591	352	25 449	226	5 181	310	13 770	309	92 606	13 613
Washington	276	5 213	138	5 042	30	310	35	1 713	34	11 426	1 692
York	459	17 331	290	17 032	120	1 519	213	9 105	199	57 722	8 796

  

Part 2 of 4	Purchases for farms with sales of \$2,500 and over - Continued												
	Feed for livestock and poultry - Continued									Animal health costs		Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees	
	Feed ingredients			Whole grains			Hay, green chop, silage, etc.			Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)
	Farms	Tons	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Tons	Expenses (\$1,000)				
Maine, total	608	20 618	2 744	701	50 465	4 196	390	27 949	725	1 996	1 450	2 716	10 688
Androscoggin	49	16 917	2 169	47	41 591	3 331	31	3 662	66	173	364	122	134
Aroostook	77	281	49	99	585	60	46	2 674	40	154	35	1 238	8 480
Cumberland	36	261	51	50	795	97	29	1 115	57	121	77	133	297
Franklin	19	29	4	25	135	22	13	686	22	74	44	83	60
Hancock	4	3	1	4	8	1	2	213	10	15	4	26	50
Kennebec	88	1 099	140	82	1 869	132	53	3 299	89	296	251	176	92
Knox	17	38	7	16	71	6	10	273	7	64	21	28	56
Lincoln	14	140	17	18	68	5	10	547	18	52	18	30	17
Oxford	41	121	19	40	97	12	27	1 825	74	116	91	103	249
Penobscot	65	797	126	80	1 633	170	56	4 660	98	203	130	221	690
Piscataquis	10	25	4	12	39	5	9	198	6	44	22	40	81
Sagadahoc	14	155	19	19	108	10	9	403	13	37	17	24	20
Somerset	65	354	70	80	631	59	45	4 328	95	226	138	167	213
Waldo	57	145	31	57	863	63	22	2 136	64	256	147	140	109
Washington	7	39	5	8	87	6	2	445	9	19	13	31	21
York	45	216	34	64	1 885	217	26	1 484	57	146	78	154	121

Table 10. **Farm Production Expenses by Item Purchased: 1974—Continued**

Purchases for farms with sales of \$2,500 and over—Continued												
Commercial fertilizer		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil										
		Total		Gasoline		Diesel fuel		LP gas, butane, propane		Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil		
Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	
<b>Part 3 of 4</b>												
Maine, total	2 974	18 780	4 526	8 923	4 403	5 463	1 776	1 379	632	481	4 526	1 601
Androscoggin	139	334	251	928	250	425	82	118	34	260	251	125
Aroostook	1 272	14 030	1 321	3 626	1 289	2 320	851	749	229	99	1 321	458
Cumberland	159	503	252	447	250	259	77	63	29	12	252	112
Franklin	94	196	141	174	140	121	49	17	13	5	141	31
Hancock	35	17	80	77	76	33	17	7	19	3	80	35
Kennebec	201	468	404	697	397	395	130	67	57	13	404	222
Knox	41	22	120	125	120	87	28	5	19	2	120	30
Lincoln	42	52	99	104	98	70	27	12	7	3	99	19
Oxford	139	432	209	317	208	215	54	43	24	12	209	47
Penobscot	247	1 069	388	608	373	398	122	99	55	15	388	96
Piscataquis	51	297	79	113	75	83	20	9	11	2	79	19
Sagadahoc	26	51	64	80	64	63	9	3	6	1	64	12
Somerset	187	649	342	568	340	335	117	79	29	32	342	122
Waldo	126	267	352	515	348	326	83	50	24	8	352	131
Washington	56	86	134	121	99	72	25	12	50	11	134	26
York	159	307	290	424	276	260	85	44	26	3	290	117
Purchases for farms with sales of \$2,500 and over—Continued												
Hired farm labor		Contract labor		Machine hire and customwork		Agricultural chemicals, including lime		All other production expenses				
Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	Farms	Expenses (\$1,000)	
<b>Part 4 of 4</b>												
Maine, total	3 006	30 933	185	1 367	1 329	1 795	2 509	6 538	4 537	71 645		
Androscoggin	151	4 685	9	51	53	54	119	236	251	9 066		
Aroostook	1 105	13 697	53	332	463	645	1 156	4 725	1 329	27 811		
Cumberland	157	1 424	13	27	70	61	123	148	251	3 172		
Franklin	78	386	2	3	51	24	66	72	142	1 242		
Hancock	45	233	8	36	18	11	38	18	82	436		
Kennebec	249	2 463	11	221	104	93	149	178	405	6 760		
Knox	56	263	10	16	38	21	39	16	122	1 086		
Lincoln	65	320	3	12	26	10	37	17	97	719		
Oxford	126	1 139	8	13	48	84	95	285	206	2 332		
Penobscot	248	1 536	11	45	130	109	171	346	392	4 392		
Piscataquis	49	262	2	9	26	15	43	62	80	622		
Sagadahoc	39	189	—	—	22	17	16	9	64	729		
Somerset	185	1 401	13	19	107	115	133	114	342	3 925		
Waldo	209	1 075	12	6	72	40	120	94	352	4 246		
Washington	82	588	17	556	45	452	84	76	133	1 107		
York	162	1 270	13	22	56	43	120	141	289	4 001		

Table 11. **Machinery and Equipment: 1974**

Estimated market value of machinery and equipment				Farms by estimated value of machinery and equipment for all farms						Tractors, excluding garden tractors and motor tillers				
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over								All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
Farms	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Value (\$1,000)	\$1 to \$4,999	\$5,000 to \$9,999	\$10,000 to \$19,999	\$20,000 to \$29,999	\$30,000 to \$49,999	\$50,000 and over	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
<b>Maine, total</b>														
6 243	141 550	4 487	126 038	1 067	1 277	1 465	942	911	581	5 618	13 493	4 131	11 201	
Androscoggin	336	8 793	250	8 097	67	57	65	51	50	46	296	754	220	636
Aroostook	1 524	52 653	1 309	50 851	135	193	308	263	345	280	1 449	4 242	1 277	3 963
Cumberland	388	7 056	251	5 631	89	75	103	60	34	27	338	760	222	590
Franklin	207	3 519	142	2 937	36	48	54	36	24	9	192	423	135	336
Hancock	167	1 712	78	1 217	53	57	34	13	7	3	125	191	62	110
Kennebec	548	12 747	405	11 588	88	132	121	68	98	41	489	1 145	363	954
Knox	201	2 869	119	2 139	44	50	60	23	19	5	181	335	106	221
Lincoln	154	2 502	99	1 852	28	40	38	22	18	8	138	276	88	190
Oxford	324	5 881	206	4 728	65	73	95	43	33	15	304	726	196	554
Penobscot	571	11 232	380	9 300	113	117	146	72	81	42	507	1 167	347	905
Piscataquis	119	2 108	73	1 710	14	34	37	15	7	12	109	268	69	213
Sagadahoc	93	1 607	64	1 333	20	19	19	21	9	5	82	186	55	145
Somerset	471	9 190	341	8 148	76	117	105	93	55	25	432	990	316	811
Waldo	434	9 055	350	8 434	64	106	92	75	65	32	383	853	321	763
Washington	247	2 805	130	1 987	87	72	51	14	17	6	195	308	103	191
York	459	7 822	290	6 089	88	87	137	73	49	25	398	869	251	619