

Table 27. **Contracts: 1974**

**Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over**

	Broilers	Started pullets	Chicken eggs	Turkeys	Milk and other dairy products	Fattened cattle	Feeder cattle and/or stocker cattle	Breeding cattle	Slaughter hogs	Feeder pigs	Breeding hogs
Any contracts ----- farms.....	33	47	197	109	362	32	29	20	33	25	3
Production contract or agreement ----- farms.....	14	27	73	23	49	2	1	12	2	5	1
Co-op ----- farms.....	-	-	1	-	35	-	-	-	-	1	-
Feed company ----- farms.....	2	4	9	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Packer ----- farms.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Processor ----- farms.....	1	2	14	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other ----- farms.....	9	20	39	6	2	2	1	12	-	3	-
Not reported ----- farms.....	2	1	10	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marketing contract or agreement ----- farms.....	3	2	8	53	235	18	15	3	16	6	1
Co-op ----- farms.....	-	1	1	8	179	-	3	-	5	4	-
Feed company ----- farms.....	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Packer ----- farms.....	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	4	-	-
Processor ----- farms.....	1	-	-	38	22	1	-	-	-	-	-
Other ----- farms.....	2	1	4	3	17	5	12	1	7	-	1
Not reported ----- farms.....	-	-	3	3	17	-	-	2	-	2	-
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ----- farms.....	6	5	35	14	8	3	3	1	9	1	1
Co-op ----- farms.....	-	-	1	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Feed company ----- farms.....	-	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	4	-	1
Packer ----- farms.....	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-
Processor ----- farms.....	1	-	4	3	3	-	-	-	2	-	-
Other ----- farms.....	5	4	13	4	3	2	2	1	-	1	-
Not reported ----- farms.....	-	1	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Other contracts ----- farms.....	4	3	17	5	19	4	-	2	3	5	-
Co-op ----- farms.....	-	-	2	-	11	-	-	-	-	2	-
Feed company ----- farms.....	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Packer ----- farms.....	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Processor ----- farms.....	-	2	4	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other ----- farms.....	3	1	9	3	4	2	-	2	3	3	-
Not reported ----- farms.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unspecified contracts ----- farms.....	6	10	64	14	51	5	10	2	3	8	-
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ----- farms.....	27	35	127	39	6	4	2	3	8	5	2
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ----- farms.....	26	37	132	36	2	3	2	6	3	3	-
Seed ----- farms.....	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fertilizer ----- farms.....	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chemicals ----- farms.....	7	1	7	4	3	-	1	-	1	-	-
Labor ----- farms.....	3	5	5	2	1	2	1	3	2	-	-
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ----- farms.....	-	2	2	4	5	3	1	3	3	1	-
Harvesting ----- farms.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Transportation ----- farms.....	14	29	40	18	63	1	5	5	5	3	1
Processing/packing ----- farms.....	16	4	25	40	81	5	-	-	-	-	-
Credit ----- farms.....	-	2	5	7	9	2	2	2	2	-	-
Technical assistance ----- farms.....	19	20	46	23	32	2	3	3	5	1	2
Other ----- farms.....	2	7	5	8	8	-	2	-	1	2	1
None ----- farms.....	2	-	1	21	130	10	10	5	18	9	1
Not reported ----- farms.....	6	6	58	17	102	9	11	5	4	6	-
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ----- farms.....	25	38	160	80	277	25	17	15	18	20	2
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	256	937	2 246	23 248	9 372	1 609	353	83	188	151	4
Not reported ----- farms.....	8	9	37	29	85	7	12	5	15	5	1
\$1 to \$2,499 ----- farms.....	2	2	38	4	6	2	5	5	3	2	-
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	2	3	50	6	7	2	5	5	1	3	(Z)
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms.....	6	5	15	3	6	4	6	6	5	4	1
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	21	21	54	12	25	12	18	23	20	12	4
\$5,000 to \$7,499 ----- farms.....	4	3	18	7	6	1	1	1	4	8	-
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	23	18	111	41	38	7	6	7	25	48	-
\$7,500 to \$9,999 ----- farms.....	1	3	16	-	7	1	-	2	3	2	-
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	9	24	137	-	60	8	-	(D)	27	(D)	-
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ----- farms.....	2	5	32	5	17	1	-	-	1	3	-
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	25	56	373	61	218	12	-	-	(D)	36	-
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms.....	9	6	16	1	28	2	1	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	154	99	267	(D)	495	35	18	-	-	-	-
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ----- farms.....	1	8	9	2	69	4	1	-	-	-	-
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	22	186	205	(D)	1 643	95	20	-	-	-	-
\$30,000 and over ----- farms.....	-	6	16	58	138	10	3	1	2	1	-
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	-	530	1 049	23 059	6 886	1 439	285	(D)	(D)	(D)	-
Contract specified:											
Exact price ----- farms.....	9	24	31	11	32	15	8	8	9	5	1
Method of determining price ----- farms.....	7	6	60	73	87	8	6	8	17	7	1
Neither price nor method ----- farms.....	8	1	23	10	188	2	6	1	4	7	1
Not reported ----- farms.....	9	16	83	15	55	7	9	3	3	6	-
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ----- farms.....	33	47	197	109	362	32	29	20	33	25	3
\$1,000 ----- farms.....	3 907	7 374	24 980	51 171	17 276	10 224	2 190	825	3 040	831	191

Table 27. **Contracts: 1974**—Continued

**Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over**

	Other livestock and/or poultry	Field and seed corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Cotton	Vegetables for fresh market	Vegetables for processing	Fruit, citrus, nuts for fresh market	Fruit, including citrus for processing	Sugar beets	Other crops
Any contracts ----- farms..	22	2 127	2 294	702	-	34	1 377	-	-	616	761
Production contract or agreement ----- farms..	2	214	194	59	-	9	691	-	-	242	219
Co-op ----- farms..	-	59	83	31	-	-	2	-	-	206	35
Feed company ----- farms..	1	23	22	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Packer ----- farms..	-	1	-	-	-	3	40	-	-	-	4
Processor ----- farms..	1	59	13	1	-	6	617	-	-	31	120
Other ----- farms..	-	57	57	16	-	-	7	-	-	2	41
Not reported ----- farms..	-	15	19	9	-	-	25	-	-	3	15
Marketing contract or agreement ----- farms..	11	1 487	1 597	516	-	6	180	-	-	167	351
Co-op ----- farms..	6	728	804	298	-	-	2	-	-	127	83
Feed company ----- farms..	-	160	155	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Packer ----- farms..	2	-	-	1	-	-	11	-	-	-	3
Processor ----- farms..	-	28	40	11	-	3	150	-	-	33	169
Other ----- farms..	3	402	401	122	-	1	6	-	-	1	62
Not reported ----- farms..	-	169	197	53	-	2	11	-	-	6	27
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ----- farms..	1	27	25	16	-	-	44	-	-	63	30
Co-op ----- farms..	-	10	13	8	-	-	-	-	-	53	2
Feed company ----- farms..	1	7	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Packer ----- farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Processor ----- farms..	-	1	-	2	-	-	42	-	-	9	19
Other ----- farms..	-	7	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Not reported ----- farms..	-	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	3
Other contracts ----- farms..	5	64	79	33	-	4	110	-	-	38	34
Co-op ----- farms..	1	13	26	12	-	-	-	-	-	27	3
Feed company ----- farms..	-	4	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Packer ----- farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	1
Processor ----- farms..	1	3	4	2	-	2	88	-	-	9	13
Other ----- farms..	3	40	40	13	-	2	8	-	-	1	15
Not reported ----- farms..	-	4	4	2	-	-	3	-	-	1	1
Unspecified contracts ----- farms..	3	335	399	78	-	15	352	-	-	106	127
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ----- farms..	3	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	1
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ----- farms..	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Seed ----- farms..	-	138	74	23	-	10	865	-	-	130	98
Fertilizer ----- farms..	-	47	38	12	-	-	39	-	-	11	8
Chemicals ----- farms..	-	72	42	11	-	2	213	-	-	11	7
Labor ----- farms..	-	59	25	8	-	1	156	-	-	54	10
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ----- farms..	-	46	27	9	-	3	242	-	-	16	19
Harvesting ----- farms..	-	42	36	14	-	8	891	-	-	11	29
Transportation ----- farms..	5	108	54	21	-	6	643	-	-	26	47
Processing/packing ----- farms..	5	54	18	8	-	8	631	-	-	248	73
Credit ----- farms..	5	36	36	12	-	-	19	-	-	22	8
Technical assistance ----- farms..	5	66	17	9	-	3	287	-	-	208	65
Other ----- farms..	8	92	93	31	-	1	12	-	-	7	20
None ----- farms..	2	964	1 059	363	-	5	41	-	-	142	349
Not reported ----- farms..	4	829	978	251	-	16	244	-	-	108	206
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ----- farms..	13	1 541	1 752	532	-	18	1 082	-	-	462	569
\$1,000 ----- farms..	610	22 347	14 338	7 394	-	80	8 459	-	-	22 322	21 826
Not reported ----- farms..	9	586	542	170	-	16	295	-	-	154	93
\$1 to \$2,499 ----- farms..	-	231	350	114	-	6	230	-	-	11	93
\$1,000 ----- farms..	-	254	402	140	-	9	391	-	-	4	127
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms..	2	286	463	111	-	7	341	-	-	8	102
\$1,000 ----- farms..	9	992	1 655	406	-	28	1 220	-	-	29	381
\$5,000 to \$7,499 ----- farms..	1	247	322	69	-	2	219	-	-	5	60
\$1,000 ----- farms..	7	1 490	1 982	402	-	11	1 321	-	-	32	364
\$7,500 to \$9,999 ----- farms..	2	134	176	51	-	1	103	-	-	6	42
\$1,000 (D) ----- farms..	(D)	1 157	1 464	434	-	8	882	-	-	54	362
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ----- farms..	-	197	205	64	-	2	105	-	-	45	65
\$1,000 ----- farms..	-	2 340	2 447	760	-	25	1 233	-	-	550	784
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms..	-	116	89	32	-	-	45	-	-	36	51
\$1,000 ----- farms..	-	1 954	1 498	528	-	-	769	-	-	616	864
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ----- farms..	2	139	83	41	-	-	18	-	-	81	45
\$1,000 (D) ----- farms..	(D)	3 313	1 978	965	-	-	426	-	-	1 994	1 093
\$30,000 and over ----- farms..	6	191	64	50	-	-	21	-	-	270	111
\$1,000 ----- farms..	533	10 847	2 912	3 758	-	-	2 218	-	-	19 043	17 851
Contract specified:											
Exact price ----- farms..	4	1 550	1 756	537	-	7	414	-	-	29	466
Method of determining price ----- farms..	8	194	110	54	-	8	689	-	-	438	146
Neither price nor method ----- farms..	5	27	33	12	-	2	9	-	-	82	31
Not reported ----- farms..	5	356	395	99	-	17	265	-	-	67	118
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ----- farms..	22	2 127	2 294	702	-	34	1 377	-	-	616	761
\$1,000 ----- farms..	1 312	151 112	158 516	74 881	-	1 778	92 455	-	-	103 948	93 131