

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...	932	121	130	69	922	22	198	44	10	12	6
Production contract or agreement ----- farms...	390	44	74	31	169	1	46	19	2	4	--
Co-op ----- farms...	6	--	--	--	100	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feed company ----- farms...	267	15	16	6	--	--	2	--	--	1	--
Packer ----- farms...	4	1	5	7	--	--	3	--	--	--	--
Processor ----- farms...	47	4	25	6	42	--	1	--	--	--	--
Other ----- farms...	13	19	20	11	5	1	33	19	2	3	1
Not reported ----- farms...	53	5	8	1	22	--	7	--	--	--	--
Marketing contract or agreement ----- farms...	25	2	4	2	548	6	68	5	3	1	5
Co-op ----- farms...	1	--	--	--	381	--	--	--	3	--	--
Feed company ----- farms...	17	2	--	1	1	--	6	--	--	--	2
Packer ----- farms...	1	--	--	--	--	3	3	--	--	--	--
Processor ----- farms...	1	--	3	--	77	--	--	--	--	--	1
Other ----- farms...	1	--	--	1	20	3	49	4	--	1	2
Not reported ----- farms...	5	--	1	--	69	--	10	1	--	--	--
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ----- farms...	171	16	14	16	23	9	24	5	4	4	--
Co-op ----- farms...	4	--	1	--	17	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feed company ----- farms...	122	5	2	6	--	--	1	--	2	4	--
Packer ----- farms...	1	--	2	2	--	1	--	--	--	--	--
Processor ----- farms...	28	2	4	3	3	1	--	--	1	--	--
Other ----- farms...	1	7	3	5	--	7	20	5	1	--	--
Not reported ----- farms...	15	2	2	--	3	--	3	--	--	--	--
Other contracts ----- farms...	24	12	3	6	22	2	37	13	1	1	1
Co-op ----- farms...	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feed company ----- farms...	14	4	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Packer ----- farms...	--	--	--	3	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
Processor ----- farms...	5	1	1	--	4	--	--	--	1	--	--
Other ----- farms...	2	4	1	1	6	1	31	10	--	1	1
Not reported ----- farms...	3	3	1	1	2	1	5	3	--	--	--
Unspecified contracts ----- farms...	322	47	35	14	160	4	23	2	--	2	--
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ----- farms...	708	84	86	52	2	4	21	8	3	6	2
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ----- farms...	722	86	85	43	--	3	27	2	2	3	--
Seed ----- farms...	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	1	--	--	--
Fertilizer ----- farms...	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	2	--	--	--
Chemicals ----- farms...	82	9	15	11	5	--	1	1	--	--	--
Labor ----- farms...	51	6	8	8	4	2	15	9	1	--	--
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ----- farms...	10	7	5	1	8	2	7	4	--	--	--
Harvesting ----- farms...	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	1	--	--	--
Transportation ----- farms...	354	38	34	21	211	1	21	6	--	1	--
Processing/packing ----- farms...	298	5	27	26	134	3	--	--	--	--	--
Credit ----- farms...	31	2	2	9	20	--	3	3	2	2	2
Technical assistance ----- farms...	331	33	34	24	77	2	7	9	--	--	--
Other ----- farms...	44	9	1	7	48	1	18	10	--	--	--
None ----- farms...	4	--	6	2	276	5	81	15	5	4	4
Not reported ----- farms...	184	28	26	10	317	6	46	9	--	1	--
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ----- farms...	791	90	93	50	637	13	154	33	5	7	4
\$1,000 ----- farms...	8 526	1 210	7 595	2 026	60 454	12 994	10 284	1 277	96	201	6
Not reported ----- farms...	141	31	37	19	285	9	44	11	5	5	2
\$1 to \$2,499 ----- farms...	64	16	8	1	9	3	20	7	2	1	4
\$1,000 ----- farms...	102	24	12	1	7	2	16	5	2	2	6
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms...	168	18	6	4	7	1	8	10	--	3	--
\$1,000 ----- farms...	613	70	23	15	27	3	26	34	--	(D)	--
\$5,000 to \$7,499 ----- farms...	148	16	4	9	6	2	9	3	1	1	--
\$1,000 ----- farms...	909	97	25	55	36	11	54	22	(D)	6	--
\$7,500 to \$9,999 ----- farms...	127	12	3	3	4	--	2	1	--	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms...	1 077	100	25	26	36	--	17	9	--	--	--
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ----- farms...	134	9	14	4	11	--	14	3	--	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms...	1 582	113	170	50	137	--	165	40	--	--	--
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms...	72	6	13	4	11	--	10	1	--	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms...	1 233	109	225	68	195	--	172	(D)	--	--	--
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ----- farms...	52	8	21	11	21	--	14	2	1	--	--
\$1,000 ----- farms...	1 229	184	477	250	526	--	338	(D)	(D)	--	--
\$30,000 and over ----- farms...	26	5	24	14	568	7	77	6	1	2	--
\$1,000 ----- farms...	1 780	513	6 638	1 561	59 490	12 978	9 496	1 099	(D)	(D)	--
Contract specified:											
Exact price ----- farms...	76	29	51	17	71	7	119	21	4	4	2
Method of determining price ----- farms...	433	31	26	25	312	6	44	13	3	7	3
Neither price nor method ----- farms...	46	16	8	10	302	3	11	7	3	--	--
Not reported ----- farms...	377	45	45	17	237	6	24	3	--	1	1
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ----- farms...	932	121	130	69	922	22	198	44	10	12	6
\$1,000 ----- farms...	111 029	14 432	44 734	20 645	98 176	60 768	32 877	2 618	816	471	689

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..	41	352	95	218	977	57	126	203	102	83	2 081
Production contract or agreement ----- farms..	12	122	20	53	221	16	55	20	8	27	557
Co-op ----- farms..	1	12	10	7	65	—	—	11	6	—	148
Feed company ----- farms..	5	26	4	12	3	—	—	—	—	—	104
Packer ----- farms..	—	1	—	—	1	7	8	—	—	—	3
Processor ----- farms..	—	37	3	—	24	6	43	1	—	22	74
Other ----- farms..	5	35	2	27	99	3	1	7	1	3	194
Not reported ----- farms..	1	11	1	3	29	—	3	1	1	2	34
Marketing contract or agreement ----- farms..	18	178	53	112	493	22	27	121	62	22	1 048
Co-op ----- farms..	1	41	29	27	124	—	1	73	48	1	367
Feed company ----- farms..	—	29	4	23	2	—	—	—	—	—	179
Packer ----- farms..	1	1	1	1	1	11	5	31	7	—	4
Processor ----- farms..	3	26	2	6	60	8	19	7	2	19	48
Other ----- farms..	10	60	11	42	233	3	2	4	2	1	349
Not reported ----- farms..	3	21	6	13	73	—	—	6	3	1	101
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ----- farms..	2	11	3	4	17	4	10	27	16	12	52
Co-op ----- farms..	—	1	—	—	4	—	—	18	12	—	15
Feed company ----- farms..	2	3	2	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	8
Packer ----- farms..	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	3
Processor ----- farms..	—	—	—	—	3	2	5	—	—	11	6
Other ----- farms..	—	4	1	1	4	—	—	6	4	—	14
Not reported ----- farms..	—	3	—	1	4	—	1	1	—	1	6
Other contracts ----- farms..	5	9	3	17	55	7	8	11	2	6	111
Co-op ----- farms..	—	1	1	1	9	—	1	3	2	—	15
Feed company ----- farms..	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Packer ----- farms..	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	2	—	—	2
Processor ----- farms..	—	4	—	—	2	2	2	1	—	5	7
Other ----- farms..	5	3	1	11	39	2	1	5	—	1	69
Not reported ----- farms..	—	1	1	2	5	—	2	—	—	—	8
Unspecified contracts ----- farms..	4	32	16	32	191	8	26	24	14	16	313
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ----- farms..	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ----- farms..	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Seed ----- farms..	—	33	9	34	25	25	52	1	—	18	220
Fertilizer ----- farms..	—	6	2	6	13	16	9	35	19	—	32
Chemicals ----- farms..	1	9	2	4	10	16	8	32	18	—	26
Labor ----- farms..	4	9	2	6	7	12	7	60	33	—	64
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ----- farms..	1	4	2	4	7	5	6	46	22	—	32
Harvesting ----- farms..	—	10	2	4	12	22	46	137	78	—	62
Transportation ----- farms..	8	12	3	9	23	10	20	88	53	3	101
Processing/packing ----- farms..	2	16	5	2	19	17	35	106	60	21	75
Credit ----- farms..	—	3	—	3	19	4	8	3	—	—	19
Technical assistance ----- farms..	4	16	3	5	9	12	24	21	6	29	106
Other ----- farms..	5	4	2	8	26	2	2	7	3	—	63
None ----- farms..	12	202	52	97	516	12	26	15	3	25	1 046
Not reported ----- farms..	11	96	29	70	375	11	22	27	16	13	652
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ----- farms..	27	280	77	154	662	34	97	135	63	53	1 570
\$1,000 ----- farms..	780	17 232	1 110	2 910	32 190	520	2 270	3 428	1 901	3 358	65 478
Not reported ----- farms..	14	72	18	64	315	23	29	68	39	30	511
\$1 to \$2,499 ----- farms..	6	20	8	28	26	6	15	20	15	—	159
\$1,000 ----- farms..	7	8	7	29	35	7	19	29	18	—	142
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms..	7	5	16	17	47	6	15	29	16	—	112
\$1,000 ----- farms..	25	21	55	66	179	22	54	104	53	—	407
\$5,000 to \$7,499 ----- farms..	1	13	9	10	57	8	15	28	9	1	97
\$1,000 ----- farms..	6	79	52	60	346	48	90	175	50	6	594
\$7,500 to \$9,999 ----- farms..	—	3	10	15	42	—	5	12	3	1	95
\$1,000 ----- farms..	—	28	83	122	372	—	44	104	25	9	810
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ----- farms..	6	26	11	21	64	4	9	15	3	6	175
\$1,000 ----- farms..	69	314	137	260	777	44	106	172	32	76	2 075
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms..	1	10	6	19	45	1	6	8	2	5	123
\$1,000 ----- farms..	18	175	97	309	772	(D)	102	130	(D)	84	2 077
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ----- farms..	—	38	8	26	82	2	16	4	2	10	210
\$1,000 ----- farms..	—	918	196	629	2 011	(D)	377	93	(D)	234	5 121
\$30,000 and over ----- farms..	6	165	9	18	299	7	16	19	13	30	599
\$1,000 ----- farms..	656	15 689	483	1 434	27 698	342	1 478	2 621	1 642	2 949	54 252
Contract specified:											
Exact price ----- farms..	16	297	71	145	620	11	79	48	9	8	1 511
Method of determining price ----- farms..	10	15	10	22	159	11	17	71	37	60	228
Neither price nor method ----- farms..	5	6	5	13	31	21	9	49	36	7	69
Not reported ----- farms..	10	34	9	38	167	14	21	35	20	8	273
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ----- farms..	41	352	95	218	977	57	126	203	102	83	2 081
\$1,000 ----- farms..	4 773	74 486	13 587	26 157	118 329	12 101	23 910	12 713	9 185	20 485	265 265