



**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
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>							
\$100,000 and over	11 461	14 906	11 428	14 906			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	8 426		8 394				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	7 707	8 393	7 692	8 393			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	7 903	9 250	7 889	9 250			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7 462	9 700	7 451	9 700			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	6 118	8 612	6 112	8 514			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	18 597	27 014	1 797	3 277			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	2 571	2 552	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	3 096	3 045	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	3 555	3 731	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	9 375	17 686	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>							
\$1,000	7 399 623	3 903 560	7 360 532	3 875 211			
Average per farm	109 342	50 125	144 998	71 710			
<b>Crops, including hay</b>							
\$1,000	4 331 714	2 108 455	4 319 011	1 915 867			
Nursery and greenhouse products	2 633		2 324	1 841			
\$1,000	399 142		398 661	180 549			
<b>Forest products</b>							
\$1,000	7 371	5 895	7 305	5 675			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
\$1,000	2 661 396	1 789 211	2 635 555	1 773 120			
Poultry and poultry products	2 667	(NA)	1 786	2 399			
\$1,000	589 447	(NA)	587 882	375 948			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
<b>Crops</b>							
\$1,000	4 319 011		4 319 011	1 915 867			
Grains	7 347		7 347	8 127			
\$1,000	674 950		674 950	252 570			
Tobacco	-		-	-			
\$1,000	-		-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed	3 900		3 900	4 539			
\$1,000	512 994		512 994	156 572			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	7 023		7 023	7 667			
\$1,000	317 242		317 242	133 072			
Other field crops	1 633		1 633	2 254			
\$1,000	325 466		325 466	130 305			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	3 145		3 145	3 686			
\$1,000	1 044 844		1 044 844	457 519			
Fruits, nuts, and berries	24 816		24 816	26 904			
\$1,000	1 443 516		1 443 516	785 829			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
\$1,000	2 635 555		2 635 555	1 773 120			
Poultry and poultry products	1 786		1 786	2 399			
\$1,000	587 882		587 882	375 948			
Dairy products	3 288		3 288	4 182			
\$1,000	779 857		779 857	401 298			
Cattle and calves	14 745		14 745	(NA)			
\$1,000	1 179 087		1 179 087	932 220			
Hogs and pigs	1 201		1 201	(NA)			
\$1,000	12 596		12 596	63 654			
Sheep, lambs, and wool	2 055		2 055	(NA)			
\$1,000	48 259		48 259	(NA)			
Other livestock and livestock products	2 329		2 329	3 799			
\$1,000	27 873		27 873	375 948			

**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		1974	1969
<b>Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold<sup>1</sup></b>	27 162	(NA)	13 321	(NA)			
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b>							
\$1,000	12 207	(NA)	10 179	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services	143 464	(NA)	138 979	(NA)			
\$1,000	5 727	7 697	4 995	6 603			
Recreational services	60 750	50 710	59 196	48 622			
\$1,000	534	970	426	692			
Government farm programs	3 270	3 342	3 012	2 947			
\$1,000	1 727	8 787	1 584	7 807			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	7 869	88 043	7 773	87 386			
\$1,000	4 905	(NA)	3 873	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	57 171	(NA)	54 799	(NA)			
\$1,000	1 903	(NA)	1 703	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	14 404	(NA)	14 200	(NA)			
\$1,000	4 594	(NA)	3 792	(NA)			
	45 496	(NA)	43 598	(NA)			
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b>							
\$1,000	30 669		30 669				
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	475 209		475 209				
\$1,000	5 412		5 412				
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	100 754		100 754				
\$1,000	18 589		18 589				
Interest, dividends, or royalties	245 507		245 507				
\$1,000	15 487		15 487				
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	83 753		83 753				
\$1,000	6 156		6 156				
Rent income of nonfarm property	24 046		24 046				
\$1,000	4 506		4 506				
	21 149		21 149				

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

**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
<b>Total farm production expenses</b>									
\$1,000	67 505	77 875	50 743	54 040					
Farms with --	6 137 764	3 554 746	6 087 472	3 504 384					
\$1 to \$999	6 702	9 827	469	2 001					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	6 042	8 606	1 295						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	4 486	6 033	1 915	2 730					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	6 693	8 986	4 496	6 126					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10 144	13 694	9 221	12 526					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	9 393		9 375	10 532					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	7 340		7 321	7 162					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	3 502	30 729	3 498	12 963					
\$60,000 and over	13 203		13 153						
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
\$1,000	16 593	20 383	11 052	13 087					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	649 674	574 532	644 236	570 352					
\$1,000	26 502	30 531	17 317	19 267					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	1 280 041	607 974	1 268 667	601 061					
\$1,000	19 794	20 361	14 565	14 851					
Feed ingredients	747 801	333 699	742 128	330 575					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	4 248	2 305					
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	96 679	54 485					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6 550	4 231					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	239 924	113 852					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	6 535	9 186					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	189 936	102 149					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	12 616	(NA)					
	(NA)	(NA)	21 707	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b>									
\$1,000	23 402	24 514	19 230	19 869					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	106 629	51 946	106 058	51 470					
\$1,000	39 245	50 875	32 846	40 634					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	292 054	123 315	290 455	121 905					
\$1,000	33 221	(NA)	29 249	(NA)					
Lime	193 100	108 022	192 450	106 970					
\$1,000	(NA)	2 175	814	1 860					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	(NA)	1 058	1 068	1 038					
\$1,000	62 508	74 201	48 083	52 874					
Gasoline	154 809	85 062	151 931	81 324					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	45 722	51 498					
Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	72 118	45 069					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	25 030	23 735					
LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	51 135	20 732					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8 478	10 650					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	11 655	5 777					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47 789	52 675					
Hired farm labor	(NA)	(NA)	17 023	9 746					
\$1,000	35 829	47 287	31 268	39 194					
Contract labor	1 050 722	632 985	1 043 349	627 465					
\$1,000	13 330	42 631	11 839	17 149					
Machine hire and customwork	186 314	246 210	185 372	152 532					
\$1,000	27 241		22 831	27 755					
All other production expenses	169 826		168 613	90 444					
\$1,000	63 836	71 245	50 312	53 575					
	2 054 594	1 124 700	2 014 635	1 100 859					

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 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
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	61 957	71 655	46 698	51 071	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	3 314	3 354	3 230	3 238
..... \$1,000.....	1 766 525	928 593	1 653 442	855 266	..... number.....	5 373	5 619	5 272	5 476
Average per farm..... dollars.....	28 512	12 959	35 407	16 746	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 566	2 054	1 552	2 016
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	1 033	5 432	444	19 161	Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	524	868	514	460
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	13 200	30 496	7 608		..... number.....	696	1 217	679	633
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	13 872	14 091	8 016	11 453	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	277	503	270	329
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	12 871	10 468	10 355	9 616	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	766		746	405
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	7 077		6 594	4 196	..... number.....	872		846	524
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	6 758	11 168	6 595	3 033	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	155		154	155
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	2 662		2 641	3 612	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	3 209	(NA)	2 504	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	4 484		4 445		..... number.....	3 590	(NA)	2 841	(NA)
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles..... farms.....	42 555	48 137	32 957	35 880	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	906	(NA)	761	(NA)
..... number.....	63 655	69 493	51 270	52 816	Pickup balers..... farms.....	5 749	6 042	5 188	5 348
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	36 927	40 394	30 743	32 148	..... number.....	6 435	6 829	5 845	6 091
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	52 045	57 915	40 178	43 104	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 691	2 242	1 654	2 073
..... number.....	118 784	115 739	101 876	97 179	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	4 690	(NA)	4 357	4 081
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	44 856	43 127	39 057	36 498	..... number.....	5 285	(NA)	4 940	4 707
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	47 791	56 285	38 137	40 057	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 825	(NA)	1 797	2 090
..... number.....	112 822	138 914	99 331	90 402	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	1 579	(NA)	1 453	1 280
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	29 431	32 453	26 248	24 075	..... number.....	2 006	(NA)	1 862	1 666
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	16 498		14 285	19 175	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	483	(NA)	451	611
..... number.....	27 571		25 046	31 928					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2 185		2 116	5 705					

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.....	28 542	(X)	19 117	(X)	26 795	(X)	18 348	(X)	2 635 555
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	24 347	(X)	16 162	(X)	23 311	(X)	15 898	(X)	1 239 942
.....1969.....	26 882	(X)	17 491	(X)	25 696	(X)	17 230	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	22 528	4 425 359	15 053	4 277 258	21 172	3 833 244	14 745	3 784 225	1 179 087
.....1969.....	24 430	4 473 418	16 174	4 341 771	23 132	4 197 687	15 922	4 133 798	932 220
<b>Farms with—</b>									
1 to 4.....1974.....	2 188	5 417	980	2 407	4 069	9 783	1 301	3 088	784
5 to 9.....1974.....	2 227	15 378	785	5 281	3 487	23 734	1 265	8 820	2 223
10 to 19.....1974.....	3 806	52 283	1 351	18 941	3 485	47 112	2 272	32 072	7 394
20 to 49.....1974.....	4 842	149 975	2 914	94 034	4 023	124 537	3 853	120 257	25 227
50 to 99.....1974.....	2 793	194 217	2 399	169 112	2 336	161 569	2 309	159 693	32 151
100 to 199.....1974.....	2 189	304 978	2 176	302 943	1 659	228 739	1 645	226 862	44 348
200 to 499.....1974.....	2 580	802 488	2 561	796 643	1 320	397 146	1 309	393 899	78 955
500 and over.....1974.....	1 903	2 900 623	1 887	2 887 897	793	2 840 624	791	2 839 534	988 006
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	17 692	1 805 521	12 242	1 740 044	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	18 036	1 524 206	12 969	1 478 888	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	13 893	1 036 673	8 950	977 250	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	875 135	9 092	836 291	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	5 754	768 848	4 462	762 794	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	6 622	649 071	5 399	642 597	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Doiry products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3 288	(X)	779 857
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4 182	(X)	401 298
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
All farms				Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
Farms		Number		Farms		Number		Dollars (1,000)	
<b>Beef cows</b>									
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	2 612	6 294	1 062	2 439	Cattle sold.....				
5 to 9.....	2 078	13 903	800	5 244	Farms with—				
10 to 19.....	2 478	33 415	1 174	16 135	1 to 4.....	1 565	3 845	1 142	
20 to 49.....	2 845	87 658	2 127	67 502	5 to 9.....	1 694	11 584	3 272	
50 to 99.....	1 492	101 269	1 420	96 800	10 to 19.....	2 335	32 297	8 865	
100 to 199.....	1 169	159 872	1 157	158 058	20 to 49.....	3 336	102 750	27 165	
200 to 499.....	815	238 933	807	236 443	50 to 99.....	1 630	112 849	31 790	
500 and over.....	404	395 329	403	394 629	100 to 199.....	1 053	141 320	40 029	
<b>Milk cows</b>									
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	1 883	2 485	907	1 204	200 to 499.....	747	219 165	62 003	
3 or 4.....	397	1 324	210	708	500 and over.....	566	2 575 794	953 645	
5 to 9.....	283	1 720	192	1 181	Calves sold.....				
10 to 19.....	212	2 856	191	2 626	Farms with—				
20 to 49.....	398	13 011	395	12 902	1 or 2.....	733	1 041	124	
50 to 99.....	454	31 423	452	31 261	3 or 4.....	489	1 699	199	
100 to 199.....	775	110 214	770	109 415	5 to 9.....	862	5 876	688	
200 to 499.....	1 012	313 131	1 006	311 459	10 to 19.....	1 276	17 586	2 041	
500 and over.....	340	292 684	339	292 038	20 to 49.....	1 895	58 818	6 051	
					50 to 99.....	1 130	75 158	6 464	
					100 to 199.....	837	112 896	8 394	
					200 to 499.....	524	152 698	10 957	
					500 and over.....	139	158 849	16 258	

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..	10 829	981 988	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	1 590	1 944 969	784 694
.....1969..	12 903	910 663	.....1969..	1 016	2 134 353	(NA)
Beef heifers.....1974..	7 814	553 091	Farms with—.....1974..	683	2 627	852
Milk heifers.....1974..	3 603	428 897	1 to 9.....1974..	258	3 534	1 183
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....1974..	11 763	1 555 226	10 to 19.....1974..	218	6 578	2 123
.....1969..	14 058	1 952 220	20 to 49.....1974..	110	7 833	2 806
			50 to 99.....1974..	66	8 821	3 177
			100 to 199.....1974..	83	25 188	9 494
			200 to 499.....1974..	172	1 890 388	765 059
			500 and over.....1974..			

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..	3 136	133 815	1 570	111 170	2 273	222 120	1 201	191 240	12 596
.....1969..	2 608	149 618	1 447	132 254	2 078	238 361	1 206	214 489	(NA)
Farms with—.....1974..	1 458	3 245	625	1 396	553	1 274	199	481	33
1 to 4.....1974..	522	3 467	254	1 681	344	2 303	156	1 037	65
5 to 9.....1974..	566	8 482	258	3 842	560	8 619	243	3 854	199
10 to 24.....1974..	259	8 838	154	5 356	327	11 069	192	6 645	347
25 to 49.....1974..	137	8 997	108	7 176	223	15 227	173	12 066	605
50 to 99.....1974..	79	10 707	76	10 352	127	17 147	118	16 008	805
100 to 199.....1974..	67	19 440	52	15 166	62	18 594	59	17 651	822
200 to 499.....1974..	48	70 639	43	66 201	77	147 887	61	133 498	9 721
500 and over.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	943	42 411	460	33 366	817
Feeder pigs sold.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	683	33 208	398	26 293	(NA)
.....1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)					
Sheep and lambs.....1974..	3 842	1 605 889	2 261	1 565 771	3 089	1 225 793	1 990	1 202 143	(NA)
.....1969..	4 670	1 730 299	2 776	1 680 122	3 888	1 360 852	2 421	1 332 721	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	1 753	1 249 315	9 434 509
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2 055	(X)	48 259
Goats.....1974..	(NA)	(NA)	262	9 246	(NA)	(NA)	141	4 268	134
.....1969..	(NA)	(NA)	511	9 603	(NA)	(NA)	160	5 586	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....1974..	10 189	67 816	6 247	52 603	2 344	10 903	1 488	8 850	12 607
.....1969..	15 226	96 930	(NA)	(NA)	3 993	16 107	(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
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding.....1974..	799	14 856	1 680	23 975	904	20 225
.....1969..	798	15 301	1 408	23 893	865	20 062
Other hogs and pigs.....1974..	1 457	96 314	1 264	11 906	711	9 990
.....1969..	1 320	116 953	1 149	12 110	736	10 157
Lambs under 1 year old.....1974..	1 775	649 118	1 342	12 069	754	10 235
Ewes 1 year old or older.....1974..	2 036	873 179	1 116	11 783	696	9 905
Rams and wethers.....1974..	1 825	43 474				

<sup>1</sup>Pounds 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..	5 553	(X)	3 045	(X)	1 973	(X)	1 581	(X)
.....1969..	(NA)	(X)	3 690	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2 299	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....1974..	5 073	44 808 323	2 605	44 576 045	1 327	29 389 236	970	29 298 337
.....1969..	5 399	46 424 562	3 023	46 203 988	1 813	29 719 771	1 512	29 539 870
Hens and pullets of laying age.....1974..	4 856	39 573 515	2 498	39 377 019	1 162	20 422 259	860	20 335 287
.....1969..	4 955	38 179 405	2 805	38 001 154	1 561	18 457 946	1 322	18 315 134
Farms with—.....1974..	4 022	83 754	1 773	38 593	399	9 586	151	3 428
1 to 99.....1974..	146	23 506	69	10 498	77	14 966	50	10 605
100 to 399.....1974..	61	45 669	41	33 872	81	70 888	63	60 025
400 to 1,599.....1974..	36	91 840	32	81 213	49	113 917	47	109 417
1,600 to 3,199.....1974..	106	638 356	102	616 971	175	1 068 270	171	1 041 180
3,200 to 9,999.....1974..	134	1 911 941	132	1 886 941	135	1 856 726	132	1 822 726
10,000 to 19,999.....1974..	187	5 698 179	185	5 628 661	159	4 885 249	159	4 885 249
20,000 to 49,999.....1974..	86	5 845 470	86	5 845 470	50	3 516 710	50	3 516 710
50,000 to 99,999.....1974..	78	25 234 800	78	25 234 800	37	8 885 947	37	8 885 947
100,000 and over.....1974..	589	17 888 141	284	17 878 228	304	94 356 838	219	94 345 847
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....1974..	366	13 927 562	260	13 921 398	318	68 089 158	277	68 075 922
.....1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2 667	589 447	1 786	587 882
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	2 399	375 948
.....1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)				

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

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Inventory		Sales			Inventory		Sales	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	2 498	39 377 019	860	20 335 287	Turkeys	213	2 561 365	294	16 450 924
1969	2 805	38 001 154	1 322	18 315 134	1969	278	1 791 709	341	14 444 573
Hens for table or market egg production	2 418	38 079 146	816	19 604 327	Turkeys for slaughter	152	1 999 054	272	15 636 815
1974	198	1 297 873	56	730 960	Heavy breed	129	1 780 621	243	13 762 786
1969	381	5 065 540	128	8 879 417	Light breed	28	218 433	45	1 874 029
Pullets 3 months old or older	679	7 737 895	177	9 970 764	Turkey hens for breeding	100	562 311	67	814 109
1974	1 094	133 486	93	83 633	1969	158	617 876	115	951 869
1969	210	4 143 354	15	831 719	Other poultry	488	(X)	227	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding					1974	800	(X)	277	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old					1969				

**Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres				Quantity harvested			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	2 882	2 485	354 228	252 367	(X)	(X)				
1969	1 401	2 326	155 656	300 541	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes	2	16	333	459	(D)	8 303				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	19	92	249	942	407 755	2 145 968				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2 993	2 223	702 932	403 898	34 600 622	15 266 035				
Wheat (bushels)	4 828	5 982	1 489 389	1 662 048	(X)	(X)				
Other small grains for grain	4 009	4 915	1 150 321	663 421	2 241 869	1 273 712				
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Tobacco (pounds)	398	(NA)	60 444	(NA)	19 687 150	(NA)				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	121	(NA)	5 449	(NA)	1 601 803	(NA)				
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	13 298	14 203	1 545 144	1 534 161	6 625 208	6 612 689				
Hay crops (tons, dry)	3 547	3 975	740 426	675 945	(X)	(X)				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	32 849	36 321	1 769 821	1 587 709	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards	914	1 030	11 786	10 530	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale	5 207	(NA)	569 038	623 842	(X)	(X)				
Other crops										

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over											
	Farms		Acres				Quantity harvested				Irrigated land	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	1 052	1 061	195 096	159 075	20 797 196	14 882 781	1 020	976	190 555	149 629		
1969	1 759	1 282	155 827	89 457	2 939 504	1 640 168	1 734	1 215	154 451	87 117		
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	27	33	620	1 085	(X)	(X)	16	23	363	780		
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1 190	2 088	147 529	281 771	9 767 106	19 747 489	1 167	2 003	142 997	269 861		
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	147	(NA)	7 357	16 787	(X)	(X)	123	(NA)	6 581	7 340		
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6 442	7 382	946 180	987 692	5 280 076	5 520 862	6 142	6 777	897 602	924 129		
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)												

**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							
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	8 239	1 147 210	(X)	4 184	358 311	1 321	108 674	1 199	11 950	149	1 323
1969	10 411	1 545 707	(X)	5 352	424 374	2 185	179 979	2 067	23 938	168	2 099
Improved pasture	2 987	1 140 562	(X)	1 466	316 976	534	93 034	502	9 385	42	959
1969	3 981	2 453 998	(X)	1 260	338 169	833	139 288	802	15 482	38	416
Corn for all purposes	2 715	351 543	(X)	2 653	345 369	2 067	296 129	1 299	28 251	1 328	36 399
1969	2 259	249 617	(X)	2 105	237 526	1 622	204 359	1 013	22 353	991	22 422
Sorghums for all purposes	1 321	154 886	(X)	1 276	149 578	931	123 449	452	9 942	627	14 029
1969	2 215	298 558	(X)	2 108	277 201	1 846	260 889	828	19 329	1 259	31 279
Wheat (bushels)	2 893	700 948	34 535 766	1 681	374 096	2 221	547 592	1 545	49 221	1 049	37 938
1969	2 139	400 837	15 195 166	1 115	150 116	1 442	246 719	(NA)	18 831	(NA)	13 240
Oats (bushels)	533	53 047	2 506 713	210	17 131	252	27 437	209	2 136	56	501
1969	617	66 577	3 017 309	212	17 580	278	30 730	(NA)	2 984	(NA)	712
Barley (bushels)	2 836	775 456	40 752 720	1 493	399 527	1 830	574 680	1 325	40 543	681	29 769
1969	3 991	989 014	47 081 062	2 415	548 626	2 529	672 038	(NA)	46 409	(NA)	35 117
Rye (bushels)	64	3 123	66 164	18	716	11	733	10	49	1	8
1969	69	3 689	88 843	13	773	11	725	(NA)	57	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1 665	649 101	(X)	1 367	571 875	1 527	629 696	1 184	104 875	765	43 722
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	2	333	(X)	2	333	1	300	1	(D)	1	10
1969	7	387	6 901	7	387	5	250	(NA)	11	(NA)	3
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	13	203	372 450	7	203	2	112	2	2	-	-
1969	13	686	1 916 258	13	686	11	655	(NA)	54	(NA)	82
Hay crops (tons, dry)	10 781	1 500 787	6 531 338	8 352	1 196 969	3 042	522 954	2 631	65 134	607	12 815
1969	11 146	1 483 024	6 498 746	8 504	1 177 454	2 636	410 830	2 387	52 438	384	7 813
Field seed crops	343	76 483	(X)	319	72 712	125	38 385	99	3 506	46	1 075
1969	504	114 886	(X)	466	112 144	189	44 427	152	5 812	48	1 431
Cotton (bales)	3 903	1 149 429	2 240 861	3 903	1 149 429	3 781	1 137 811	2 533	135 469	1 958	93 012
1969	4 495	659 804	1 269 642	4 495	659 804	4 258	651 654	(NA)	79 717	(NA)	62 908
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	363	60 360	19 673 858	363	60 360	343	60 017	324	29 268	101	4 608
1969	560	77 052	22 400 870	559	77 052	549	76 656	(NA)	36 966	(NA)	3 548
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3 174	739 721	(X)	3 136	736 556	2 644	698 505	2 165	207 475	1 317	124 227
1969	3 599	673 896	(X)	3 599	672 395	3 030	608 941	2 459	204 867	1 481	90 650
Land in orchards	25 097	1 728 069	(X)	21 452	1 573 233	16 097	1 311 720	14 704	297 073	2 596	51 785
1969	26 995	1 529 956	(X)	23 612	1 397 358	23 478	1 343 427	21 666	318 013	3 419	35 529

**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 .....	775	11 618	(X)	767	11 541	769	11 524	749	6 245	188	1 085
.....1969 .....	851	10 342	(X)	840	10 276	843	10 244	802	6 146	235	1 375
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	2 324	44 599	(X)	1 701	40 993	1 649	40 379	1 472	16 264	533	5 959
.....1969 .....	1 841	34 451	(X)	1 333	31 745	1 348	29 392	1 201	11 215	358	4 046
Other crops .....	2 487	451 468	(X)	2 342	433 884	1 867	374 017	1 149	40 334	1 144	45 883

**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	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	37 627		43 656		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
.....\$1,000 .....	482 904		228 876		Diseases in crops and orchards .....	6 802		8 042	
Commercial fertilizer .....	32 865		36 337		.....acres on which used .....	745 710		577 026	
.....acres on which used .....	6 599 549		5 892 324		Weeds or grass in crops .....	21 386		11 797	
.....tons .....	1 562 680		1 385 097		.....acres on which used .....	11 161		11 940	
Lime .....	290 455		121 905		Weeds or brush in pasture .....	3 474 180		2 241 848	
.....farms .....	814		1 859		.....acres on which used .....	41 335		18 530	
.....acres on which used .....	56 216		79 481		Weeds on all other land .....	296		662	
.....tons .....	111 933		131 766		.....acres on which used .....	44 952		56 841	
.....\$1,000 .....	1 068		1 038		Weeds on all other land .....	254		153	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					.....farms .....	2 649		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops .....	2 770		1 924		.....acres on which used .....	104 022		(NA)	
.....acres on which used .....	566 037		379 961		.....\$1,000 .....	868		(NA)	
.....\$1,000 .....	5 876		2 498		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops .....	16 527		21 693		of crops or thinning of fruit .....	2 761		3 748	
.....acres on which used .....	3 903 053		3 082 420		.....acres on which used .....	913 236		630 483	
Nematodes in crops .....	99 962		63 116		.....\$1,000 .....	8 461		3 662	
.....farms .....	2 512		2 995		Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	1 956		4 516	
.....acres on which used .....	297 812		245 604		.....farms .....	1 179		1 237	
.....\$1,000 .....	8 050		4 737		.....\$1,000 .....	4 943		(NA)	
					Other chemicals (see text) .....	4 011		(NA)	

**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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year .....	38 378		39 523		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	75.6		73.1		Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	1 642		(NA)	
Total land irrigated .....	7 644 326		7 109 008		.....acres .....	160 128		(NA)	
Average per farm .....	199.2		179.8		Other sprinkler systems .....	11 382		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated .....	37 512		38 873		.....acres .....	1 246 970		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	3 272 350		6 770 860		Land in irrigated farms .....	17 963 882		18 221 744	
.....acres .....	35 713		37 068		Cropland .....	8 832 748		8 902 301	
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	6 917 486		6 194 689		Harvested cropland .....	7 534 866		6 825 465	
.....acres .....	4 184		5 352		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated .....	358 311		424 374		between 1970 and 1973 .....	586		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	51 553		151 797		.....acres irrigated in most recent year .....	26 136		(X)	
.....acres .....	1 466		1 260		Farms with artificial drainage .....	3 221		6 878	
Other cropland irrigated .....	316 976		338 169		Proportion of farms .....	6.3		12.7	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	23 283 917		20 836 279		Land in farms with drainage .....	2 590 097		4 684 196	
Average per acre irrigated .....	3.0		2.9		.....acres .....	1 195 996		2 115 809	
Land irrigated by—					.....Average per farm .....	371.3		307.6	
Furrows or ditches .....	18 297		(NA)		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
.....acres .....	3 531 435		(NA)		tanks .....	4 679		(NA)	
					.....number .....	15 156		(NA)	
					.....acres .....	27 141		(NA)	

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	Farms	Total operator debt			Secured by real estate			Not secured by real estate		
		\$1,000 .....								
Under \$5,000 .....		1 818	1 276	1 787	9 459					
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		1 952	1 566	1 818	849 380					
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....		5 845	5 287							
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....		3 230	3 010							
\$50,000 and over .....		8 627	6 718							

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

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)		Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—							31 268	15 856	14 587	18 067
150 days or more .....	15 856	17 456	136 216	105 381	684 970	627 465	1 043 349	684 970	276 380	81 999
25 to 149 days .....	14 587	33 824	264 781	671 703	276 380		861 343	136 216	264 781	460 346
Less than 25 days .....	18 067		460 346	(NA)	81 999					
Total contract labor .....	11 839	17 149	(NA)	(NA)	185 372	152 532				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	7 352	(NA)	281 704	(NA)	131 640	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker .....							4 986	5 179	3 103	2 356
2 workers .....							3 070	2 965	2 050	1 479
3 or 4 workers .....							4 161	2 990	2 336	2 174
5 to 9 workers .....							5 323	2 363	2 519	2 991
10 workers and over .....							13 728	2 359	4 579	9 067