



**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.....	4 092	5 915	4 071	5 915		(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	11 668		11 658		1 203 156	399 470
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	12 690	11 627	12 679	11 627	58 155	53 669
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	14 862	14 645	14 851	14 645	\$1,000 1 058 368	317 887
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	14 807	16 465	14 805	16 465	farms 3 747	3 361
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	10 959	16 678	10 959	16 614	\$1,000 16 895	8 373
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	23 080	46 002	1 260	1 003	farms -	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	4 159	5 680	(X)	(X)	\$1,000 13 685	14 332
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	4 681	6 841	(X)	(X)	\$1,000 25 249	14 642
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	5 215	8 523	(X)	(X)	farms 1 417	2 141
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	9 025	24 958	(X)	(X)	\$1,000 35 865	14 296
					farms 1 821	2 418
					\$1,000 48 637	31 663
					farms 1 219	1 491
					\$1,000 18 143	12 610
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b> .....	\$1,000 2 262 527	1 246 072	2 224 516	1 196 355		
Average per farm.....	dollars 24 551	11 192	31 651	18 053		
<b>Crops, including hay</b> .....	farms 75 109	87 039	62 072	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	1 217 805	489 108	1 203 156	399 470		
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products</b> .....	farms 1 728		1 426	1 086		
\$1,000.....	102 315		101 790	64 036		
<b>Forest products</b> .....	farms 2 220	4 037	1 791	2 951		
\$1,000.....	4 299	3 983	4 129	3 560		
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> .....	farms 59 252	74 543	45 482	51 136		
\$1,000.....	938 108	752 981	915 440	729 289		
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b> .....	farms 6 437	(NA)	5 085	7 918		
\$1,000.....	127 215	(NA)	126 691	90 116		
<b>Specified products sold:</b>						
<b>Crops</b> .....	farms 62 072					(NA)
\$1,000.....	1 203 156					399 470
<b>Grains</b> .....	farms 58 155					53 669
\$1,000.....	1 058 368					317 887
<b>Tobacco</b> .....	farms 3 747					3 361
\$1,000.....	16 895					8 373
<b>Cotton and cottonseed</b> .....	farms -					-
\$1,000.....	-					-
<b>Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage</b> .....	farms 13 685					14 332
\$1,000.....	25 249					14 642
<b>Other field crops</b> .....	farms 1 417					2 141
\$1,000.....	35 865					14 296
<b>Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons</b> .....	farms 1 821					2 418
\$1,000.....	48 637					31 663
<b>Fruits, nuts, and berries</b> .....	farms 1 219					1 491
\$1,000.....	18 143					12 610
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> .....	farms 45 482					51 136
\$1,000.....	915 440					729 289
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b> .....	farms 5 085					7 918
\$1,000.....	126 691					90 116
<b>Dairy products</b> .....	farms 11 447					16 982
\$1,000.....	296 046					216 421
<b>Cattle and calves</b> .....	farms 35 277					(NA)
\$1,000.....	260 105					222 611
<b>Hogs and pigs</b> .....	farms 17 887					(NA)
\$1,000.....	211 639					200 142
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool</b> .....	farms 7 494					(NA)
\$1,000.....	11 725					(NA)
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b> .....	farms 2 068					(NA)
\$1,000.....	9 235					(NA)

**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	
<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> .....	36 187	(NA)	18 338	(NA)	
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b> .....	farms 18 483	(NA)	15 008	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	34 702	(NA)	31 087	(NA)	47 299
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b> .....	farms 9 859	14 373	8 934	12 247	450 313
\$1,000.....	17 249	14 765	16 360	13 760	8 472
<b>Recreational services</b> .....	farms 393	865	292	527	80 027
\$1,000.....	1 412	1 444	1 130	1 095	31 057
<b>Government farm programs</b> .....	farms 4 759	52 755	3 765	36 085	303 011
\$1,000.....	3 470	69 330	3 018	58 796	
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments</b> .....	farms 4 327	(NA)	2 740	(NA)	22 485
\$1,000.....	8 952	(NA)	7 236	(NA)	36 108
<b>Other farm-related sources</b> .....	farms 1 977	(NA)	1 713	(NA)	7 753
\$1,000.....	3 620	(NA)	3 343	(NA)	22 091
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup></b> .....	farms 6 633	(NA)	5 326	(NA)	4 797
\$1,000.....	11 856	(NA)	10 248	(NA)	9 076
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b> .....	farms 47 299				
\$1,000.....	450 313				
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related</b> .....	farms 8 472				
\$1,000.....	80 027				
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips</b> .....	farms 31 057				
\$1,000.....	303 011				
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties</b> .....	farms 22 485				
\$1,000.....	36 108				
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.</b> .....	farms 7 753				
\$1,000.....	22 091				
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property</b> .....	farms 4 797				
\$1,000.....	9 076				

<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> .....	farms 91 819	111 332	70 229	66 269	<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b> .....	farms 68 672	81 573	57 966	58 283
\$1,000.....	1 518 618	963 538	1 477 751	902 441	\$1,000.....	75 546	34 225	74 292	32 108
<b>Farms with -</b>					<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased</b> .....	farms 74 299	86 961	60 784	59 360
\$1 to \$999.....	10 705	24 527	1 373	5 055	\$1,000.....	211 059	80 521	207 130	75 936
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	10 719	17 347	4 133		<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b> .....	farms 49 747	(NA)	43 936	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	8 359	11 582	5 413	6 702	\$1,000.....	50 650	21 674	49 957	20 387
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	12 620	15 204	10 605	12 539	(NA).....	(NA)	17 652	8 880	13 220
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	17 099	18 642	16 441	17 994	\$1,000.....	(NA)	4 356	4 390	3 834
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	13 796		13 783	13 486	<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b> .....	farms 88 325	108 120	67 811	65 728
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	9 887	24 030	9 877	6 838	\$1,000.....	94 690	60 216	90 424	53 316
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	3 900		3 895	3 655	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	65 438	64 495
\$60,000 and over.....	4 734		4 709		(NA).....	(NA)	(NA)	51 497	36 819
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b> .....	farms 32 958	46 688	24 676	32 256	<b>Diesel oil</b> .....	farms (NA)	(NA)	34 260	24 688
\$1,000.....	164 274	153 768	159 103	147 407	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	21 756	7 734
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b> .....	farms 54 835	70 803	40 253	47 425	(NA).....	(NA)	(NA)	9 498	8 097
\$1,000.....	267 119	162 940	259 249	155 569	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	6 574	2 142
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b> .....	farms 39 136	47 642	31 719	36 597	<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil</b> .....	farms (NA)	(NA)	67 615	65 637
\$1,000.....	179 424	106 767	176 487	103 873	(NA).....	(NA)	(NA)	10 597	6 621
<b>Feed ingredients</b> .....	farms (NA)	(NA)	13 831	16 148	<b>Hired farm labor</b> .....	farms 28 295	49 922	23 594	36 674
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	37 026	23 258	\$1,000.....	95 877	72 941	92 774	68 811
<b>Whole grains</b> .....	farms (NA)	(NA)	13 103	16 055	farms.....	2 626	60 000	2 069	2 847
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	40 065	24 732	\$1,000.....	5 868	27 142	5 710	5 745
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage</b> .....	farms (NA)	(NA)	5 226	6 882	farms.....	38 446		32 170	40 202
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	5 671	3 705	\$1,000.....	25 082		24 046	18 587
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b> .....	farms (NA)	(NA)	29 119	(NA)	farms.....	86 142	97 619	69 797	66 037
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	9 795	(NA)	\$1,000.....	528 452	350 110	505 272	324 575

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.....	87 609	106 569	66 638	64 704					
..... \$1,000.....	1 859 311	925 404	1 675 013	776 564					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	21 223	8 683	25 136	12 001					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	601	7 350	278	20 085					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	14 490	45 948	7 932						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	18 354	22 582	10 378	16 318					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	19 337	17 286	15 445	15 490					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	13 336		12 137	7 088					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	12 973	13 403	12 621	4 206					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	4 370		4 329	1 517					
\$70,000 and over.....	3 548		3 518						
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles..... farms.....	72 855	89 583	57 247	56 841					
..... number.....	101 299	122 835	80 796	77 904					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	54 610	71 399	44 127	46 911					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	69 694	72 646	54 609	49 976					
..... number.....	97 822	93 659	81 206	68 535					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	38 635	40 376	31 113	28 998					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	80 148	94 519	61 618	59 409					
..... number.....	184 634	194 962	157 769	141 394					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	33 308	52 182	30 863	41 385					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	3 567		2 831	2 860					
..... number.....	3 946		3 148	3 378					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	362		304	782					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip.—Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	24 810	20 137	24 215	18 525					
..... number.....	26 009	20 805	25 398	19 154					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8 170	10 112	8 135	9 646					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	16 882	42 740	16 640	11 580					
..... number.....	17 515	48 364	17 264	11 892					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7 028	17 153	6 998	7 374					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	28 709		25 339	28 965					
..... number.....	29 517		26 081	29 789					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4 021		3 901	8 588					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	19 457	(NA)	16 681	(NA)					
..... number.....	20 268	(NA)	17 324	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6 288	(NA)	5 688	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	35 548	39 538	29 786	31 074					
..... number.....	36 137	40 101	30 305	31 537					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6 154	12 649	5 501	10 440					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	7 507	(NA)	6 218	6 289					
..... number.....	7 677	(NA)	6 365	6 506					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 834	(NA)	1 693	3 085					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	9 043	(NA)	8 566	7 426					
..... number.....	9 757	(NA)	9 237	7 788					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2 587	(NA)	2 500	3 490					

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.....	63 200	(X)	46 800	(X)	59 252	(X)	45 482	(X)	915 440
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	58 837	(X)	44 042	(X)	56 153	(X)	43 711	(X)	483 469
.....1969.....	72 621	(X)	48 291	(X)	70 425	(X)	49 121	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	50 515	1 898 573	37 068	1 691 815	45 681	958 310	35 277	899 969	260 105
.....1969.....	58 846	1 910 129	39 503	1 684 694	54 998	1 161 087	39 607	1 071 496	222 611
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	5 173	13 793	2 864	7 470	12 029	30 456	6 521	16 873	4 412
5 to 9.....1974.....	6 449	44 274	3 327	22 881	11 080	74 566	7 542	51 466	12 759
10 to 19.....1974.....	11 293	156 585	6 860	96 411	10 896	147 152	9 694	132 388	30 717
20 to 49.....1974.....	16 126	498 508	12 911	408 123	8 422	244 911	8 289	241 524	56 674
50 to 99.....1974.....	7 765	526 748	7 425	506 134	2 003	132 106	1 994	131 505	36 586
100 to 199.....1974.....	2 867	372 963	2 854	371 154	772	103 033	762	101 594	33 717
200 to 499.....1974.....	738	203 884	727	200 348	377	109 134	374	108 190	40 063
500 and over.....1974.....	104	81 818	100	79 294	102	116 952	101	116 429	45 176
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	39 057	817 649	28 678	719 808	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	43 718	764 911	31 068	682 370	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	27 332	431 984	17 935	341 338	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	340 674	16 768	270 526	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	15 975	385 665	13 733	378 470	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	21 870	424 237	18 329	411 844	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11 447	(X)	296 046
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	16 982	(X)	216 421
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Beef cows.....	27 332	431 984	17 935	341 338					
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	5 958	15 233	3 213	8 007					
5 to 9.....	6 388	43 315	3 433	23 399					
10 to 19.....	7 896	105 759	5 258	71 429					
20 to 49.....	5 850	166 609	4 835	140 225					
50 to 99.....	967	60 969	925	58 427					
100 to 199.....	229	28 124	227	27 876					
200 to 499.....	43	(D)	43	(D)					
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
Milk cows.....	15 975	385 665	13 733	378 470					
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	3 602	4 721	2 033	2 719					
3 or 4.....	869	3 013	563	1 956					
5 to 9.....	1 483	10 146	1 194	8 319					
10 to 19.....	2 632	36 619	2 569	35 955					
20 to 49.....	5 116	162 083	5 115	162 049					
50 to 99.....	1 935	123 777	1 929	123 324					
100 to 199.....	306	37 300	298	36 142					
200 to 499.....	31	(D)	31	(D)					
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
<b>Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over</b>									
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)						
Cattle sold.....	30 552	675 236	240 451						
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	8 776	21 768	6 709						
5 to 9.....	7 566	50 710	15 839						
10 to 19.....	7 173	95 218	29 372						
20 to 49.....	4 718	136 166	44 867						
50 to 99.....	1 274	84 621	30 155						
100 to 199.....	608	81 887	31 071						
200 to 499.....	342	100 112	38 902						
500 and over.....	95	104 754	43 537						
Calves sold.....	16 826	224 733	19 654						
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	2 702	3 858	379						
3 or 4.....	2 195	7 684	747						
5 to 9.....	4 067	27 387	2 515						
10 to 19.....	4 583	60 252	5 118						
20 to 49.....	2 794	76 953	6 255						
50 to 99.....	382	24 355	2 330						
100 to 199.....	82	10 622	932						
200 to 499.....	16	3 965	426						
500 and over.....	5	9 657	952						

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 .....	24 004	404 688	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	13 341	420 972	161 619
1969 .....	29 855	454 323	1969 .....	10 085	460 189	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	15 371	197 090	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	10 367	207 598	1 to 9 .....	6 377	28 508	9 869
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	29 499	567 319	10 to 19 .....	3 086	41 035	14 056
1969 .....	32 527	548 001	20 to 49 .....	2 294	66 658	23 741
			50 to 99 .....	787	52 531	19 610
			100 to 199 .....	445	60 491	23 874
			200 to 499 .....	270	80 331	32 600
			500 and over .....	82	91 418	37 869

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 .....	19 659	1 810 284	16 695	1 768 818	20 062	3 165 535	17 887	3 114 300	211 639
1969 .....	28 912	2 478 758	23 570	2 395 018	29 358	4 103 601	24 789	3 990 337	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	2 891	6 980	1 572	3 936	1 282	3 095	745	1 877	150
5 to 9 .....	1 861	12 547	1 265	8 629	1 167	8 115	785	5 503	382
10 to 24 .....	3 387	54 065	2 719	43 899	2 987	48 635	2 229	36 472	2 478
25 to 49 .....	3 105	110 034	2 822	100 735	3 139	111 356	2 773	99 158	6 583
50 to 99 .....	3 386	236 349	3 307	231 189	3 562	250 981	3 467	244 703	16 329
100 to 199 .....	2 527	343 976	2 519	342 938	3 442	475 671	3 422	473 210	31 475
200 to 499 .....	1 919	561 889	1 918	561 436	3 068	922 457	3 062	920 890	62 988
500 and over .....	583	484 444	573	476 056	1 415	1 345 225	1 404	1 332 487	91 254
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	4 519	462 523	3 707	443 638	10 144
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6 194	610 042	4 681	567 746	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	9 835	456 684	7 594	396 514	9 210	368 289	7 304	328 446	(NA)
1969 .....	16 331	747 087	10 488	583 551	15 627	610 890	10 267	503 362	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6 813	337 436	12 610 972
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7 494	(X)	11 725
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	167	931	(NA)	(NA)	68	470	11
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	503	2 087	(NA)	(NA)	130	615	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	13 870	59 318	8 212	40 930	2 263	8 325	1 513	6 660	6 045
1969 .....	19 519	76 674	(NA)	(NA)	3 022	10 196	(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	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	12 222	236 373	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969 .....	17 974	323 404	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 .....	15 042	354 555	13 464	347 062
Other hogs and pigs .....	15 593	1 532 445	1969 .....	22 426	461 011	19 061	444 786
1969 .....	21 931	2 071 614	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 .....	13 089	183 573	11 951	179 836
Lambs under 1 year old .....	5 303	146 533	1969 .....	19 987	232 881	17 378	224 658
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	7 219	235 070	June 1 and November 30 .....	12 512	170 982	11 388	167 226
Rams and wethers .....	5 604	14 911	1969 .....	19 328	228 130	16 874	220 128

<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 .....	12 827	(X)	8 606	(X)	4 030	(X)	3 506	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	10 848	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5 584	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	12 147	10 653 989	8 003	10 482 483	3 310	13 774 803	2 851	13 719 325
1969 .....	16 539	11 878 069	10 345	11 537 941	5 778	12 822 148	4 962	12 658 604
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	11 730	9 584 009	7 793	9 436 652	3 071	7 512 425	2 650	7 459 373
1969 .....	15 580	9 662 193	9 855	9 363 229	5 204	6 941 076	4 517	6 810 601
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	8 661	246 862	4 972	154 287	1 186	46 150	835	36 260
100 to 399 .....	1 966	346 333	1 728	311 048	935	179 141	878	169 603
400 to 1,599 .....	382	244 740	377	242 540	248	181 546	241	175 876
1,600 to 3,199 .....	83	199 348	79	190 451	104	249 849	103	247 169
3,200 to 9,999 .....	374	2 375 328	373	2 366 928	419	2 522 559	414	2 497 285
10,000 to 19,999 .....	173	2 268 696	173	2 268 696	106	1 365 206	106	1 365 206
20,000 to 49,999 .....	64	1 863 046	64	1 863 046	55	1 570 003	55	1 570 003
50,000 to 99,999 .....	26	(D)	26	(D)	15	920 905	15	920 905
100,000 and over .....	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	477 066	3	477 066
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	1 063	1 963 159	732	1 949 539	582	8 155 314	490	8 146 730
1969 .....	377	1 666 675	267	1 658 675	404	8 871 024	353	8 847 987
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	6 437	127 215	5 085	126 691
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7 918	90 116

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	7 793	9 436 652	2 650	7 459 373	Turkeys	150	665 736	184	2 762 618
	9 855	9 363 229	4 517	6 810 601		149	319 440	260	3 628 059
Hens for table or market egg production	7 670	9 077 787	2 582	7 181 800	Turkeys for slaughter	118	548 630	173	2 596 599
Hens for hatching egg production	278	358 865	106	277 573	Heavy breed	103	491 289	144	2 186 002
					Light breed	19	57 341	42	410 597
Pullets 3 months old or older	338	1 000 513	186	6 228 678	Turkey hens for breeding	47	117 106	25	166 019
	571	2 018 483	318	5 544 789		78	100 685	46	126 516
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1 802	45 318	171	31 274	Other poultry	606	(X)	192	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	173	1 811 610	26	1 006 627		1 019	(X)	258	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	61 846	64 876	3 421 942	2 937 806	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	756	846	13 526	13 550	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	45 055	45 016	3 095 563	2 387 587	81 392 887	69 940 637
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	45 861	51 835	1 384 591	1 003 915	56 715 928	37 222 862
Other small grains for grain	28 191	39 066	459 176	621 804	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	5 290	6 448	10 277	8 527	19 949 002	18 623 802
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1 084	(NA)	14 634	(NA)	3 078 651	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	92	(NA)	37	(NA)	4 003	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	47 160	56 026	1 260 726	1 383 727	2 744 427	2 962 650
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2 623	3 461	57 196	66 744	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	2 229	2 673	26 273	31 557	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	753	1 188	1 588	2 182	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6 094	(NA)	112 070	148 640	(X)	(X)

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	52 707	50 699	3 086 463	2 572 272	231 745 222	225 358 315	26	15	939	346
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	10 478	12 312	258 672	219 186	3 247 921	3 174 923	4	5	142	163
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	524	674	8 810	8 282	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	195	265	6 775	8 320	425 327	550 495	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	503	(NA)	5 844	3 932	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	14 557	14 522	351 895	360 666	966 371	1 016 024	3	5	147	100

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					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	28 698	1 134 658	(X)	7	80	2 303	60 039	2 237	8 293	80	289
	31 477	1 203 442	(X)	9	475	4 047	93 414	3 948	15 951	149	605
Improved pasture	7 027	293 322	(X)	-	-	940	28 104	909	3 644	40	186
	9 512	403 476	(X)	1	3	1 886	50 674	1 841	7 744	62	379
Corn for all purposes	53 712	3 353 945	(X)	29	1 081	46 305	3 047 500	44 833	538 025	18 046	186 139
	51 469	2 799 740	(X)	17	509	42 176	2 408 039	41 192	444 295	13 808	111 379
Sorghums for all purposes	658	12 619	(X)	-	-	447	8 103	427	1 559	73	319
	701	12 252	(X)	-	-	526	8 622	509	1 610	96	311
Wheat (bushels)	42 768	1 359 415	55 944 488	18	426	32 917	1 138 916	31 701	173 083	3 069	15 887
	42 098	921 728	34 711 740	15	200	35 919	812 532	(NA)	123 875	(NA)	6 880
Oats (bushels)	24 243	410 865	25 425 717	2	2	17 512	310 477	16 981	41 108	629	1 568
	30 286	514 119	32 341 000	7	66	24 856	432 657	(NA)	56 418	(NA)	1 928
Barley (bushels)	995	9 618	491 477	2	13	711	6 961	701	1 057	14	11
	1 460	14 235	686 549	-	-	1 172	10 818	(NA)	1 680	(NA)	19
Rye (bushels)	500	5 085	158 599	2	118	253	2 581	249	412	5	3
	1 102	10 910	341 795	2	3	698	6 915	(NA)	944	(NA)	20
Other small grains for grain	950	11 298	(X)	-	-	743	9 032	732	1 230	14	24
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	42 680	3 071 102	80 935 071	26	867	18 928	1 334 042	17 338	115 982	1 980	14 861
	34 378	2 213 403	65 706 224	14	767	15 181	827 804	(NA)	70 571	(NA)	5 406
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	35 969	1 086 079	2 473 614	8	310	5 304	173 373	5 130	24 945	265	979
	37 304	1 115 462	2 551 907	11	276	4 934	144 420	4 790	20 757	208	583
Field seed crops	3 001	45 495	(X)	-	-	47	692	44	99	3	2
	4 042	64 547	(X)	-	-	96	1 209	92	221	9	12
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	3 770	9 094	18 001 699	14	24	3 770	9 036	3 737	8 527	83	104
	3 285	6 412	14 188 584	27	35	3 285	6 370	(NA)	5 973	(NA)	49
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	693	14 343	3 050 629	55	2 737	432	14 252	431	7 440	18	700
	1 068	12 479	2 541 319	57	1 920	610	12 443	(NA)	7 311	(NA)	219
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1 886	55 706	(X)	266	9 864	1 331	47 161	1 291	16 177	262	2 568
	2 377	63 720	(X)	223	7 992	1 900	56 957	1 861	20 106	358	2 666
Land in orchards	1 170	23 243	(X)	27	354	488	12 840	483	2 130	10	27
	1 258	26 306	(X)	21	394	815	23 640	805	4 025	15	160

**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 .....	1974	502	1 443	(X)	106	677	118	579	115	175	4	2
.....	1969	655	1 846	(X)	102	492	211	826	208	320	6	21
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	1 426	16 021	(X)	525	4 139	762	9 758	713	3 918	181	245
.....	1969	1 086	13 580	(X)	444	3 881	688	9 143	600	3 196	157	224
Other crops .....	1974	1 229	48 952	(X)	9	215	1 041	44 671	1 006	11 211	462	2 013

**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 .....					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
..... farms	62 275		60 714		Diseases in crops and orchards .....	1 159		1 670	
..... \$1,000	257 086		96 323		..... farms	73 333		79 734	
Commercial fertilizer .....	60 795		56 021		..... acres on which used .....	\$1,000		1 094	
..... farms	6 266 658		4 987 267		Weeds or grass in crops .....	29 959		31 743	
..... acres on which used .....	1 186 655		936 771		..... farms	3 997 300		2 716 659	
..... \$1,000	207 130		75 936		..... acres on which used .....	\$1,000		10 367	
Lime .....	8 880		13 220		Weeds or brush in pasture .....	31 287		1 458	
..... farms	346 852		392 342		..... farms	423		75	
..... acres on which used .....	787 506		914 440		..... acres on which used .....	7 819		19 812	
..... \$1,000	4 390		3 834		..... farms	2 090		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					..... acres on which used .....	13 789		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops .....	2 411		4 798		..... \$1,000	111		(NA)	
..... farms	70 124		140 586		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
..... acres on which used .....	10 742		11 737		of crops or thinning of fruit .....	578		818	
..... \$1,000	1 205 278		854 556		..... farms	26 203		22 270	
Insects on other crops .....	8 510		3 438		..... acres on which used .....	\$1,000		141	
..... farms	243		282		Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	3 884		12 216	
..... acres on which used .....	14 688		15 301		..... farms	287		645	
..... \$1,000	134		114		Other chemicals (see text) .....	8 389		(NA)	
					..... farms	2 955		(NA)	
					..... \$1,000				

**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 .....	848		723		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	1.2		1.0		Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	100		(NA)	
Total land irrigated .....	21 313		16 393		..... farms	4 111		(NA)	
Average per farm .....	25.1		22.6		Other sprinkler systems .....	747		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated .....	848		723		..... farms	16 122		(NA)	
..... acres	21 313		16 390		Land in irrigated farms .....	114 628		98 268	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	846		717		..... farms	88 651		73 926	
..... acres	20 537		15 818		Harvested cropland .....	76 107		52 379	
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	7		9		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
..... farms	80		475		between 1970 and 1973 .....	81		(X)	
..... acres	10		(NA)		..... farms	1 566		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated .....	696		97		acres irrigated in most recent year .....	23 350		30 879	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	1		3		Proportion of farms .....	33.2		46.5	
..... farms	1		1		Land in farms with drainage .....	5 873 033		7 078 457	
..... acres	13 345		9 478		..... farms	3 862 268		4 723 342	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	0.6		0.6		Land drained .....	165.4		152.9	
Average per acre irrigated .....	0.6		0.6		Average per farm .....				
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches .....	19		(NA)		tanks .....	10 778		(NA)	
..... farms	511		(NA)		..... farms	19 971		(NA)	
..... acres					..... number	13 939		(NA)	
					..... acres				

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	27 155	20 436	15 974
..... farms	935 729	665 864	269 866
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000 .....	3 947	2 199	5 278
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	4 149	3 083	3 474
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	9 601	8 044	4 903
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	4 179	3 408	1 257
\$50,000 and over .....	5 279	3 702	1 062

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

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)			1974 hired farm workers working—			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—											
150 days or more .....	5 693	5 974	14 971	13 397	64 403	68 811	Farms .....	23 594	5 693	6 882	16 476
25 to 149 days .....	6 882	34 129	26 041	131 168	20 186	8 184	Cash wages paid—\$1,000 .....	92 774	64 403	20 186	8 184
Less than 25 days .....	16 476	2 069	72 724	(NA)	8 184	5 745	Number of workers .....	113 736	14 971	26 041	72 724
Total contract labor .....	2 069	2 847	(NA)	(NA)	5 710		Farms with—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	755	(NA)	6 981	(NA)	3 745	(NA)	1 worker .....	9 483	3 322	3 149	6 885
							2 workers .....	3 726	1 159	1 531	2 320
							3 or 4 workers .....	4 320	693	1 085	3 035
							5 to 9 workers .....	3 628	305	607	2 598
							10 workers and over .....	2 437	214	510	1 638