

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..	18 697	2 727	5 761	1 537	20 900	447	1 352	465	993	687	126
Production contract or agreement ----- farms..	7 741	1 344	2 799	609	3 567	67	293	188	150	169	43
Co-op ----- farms..	556	95	230	27	2 149	2	6	8	40	60	5
Feed company ----- farms..	3 297	427	932	326	9	2	14	8	62	35	15
Packer ----- farms..	112	15	90	20	9	7	8	7	2	2	1
Processor ----- farms..	1 805	133	648	102	937	1	6	2	2	2	1
Other ----- farms..	362	482	547	77	147	50	214	163	25	58	17
Not reported ----- farms..	1 609	192	352	57	316	5	45	15	14	14	6
Marketing contract or agreement ----- farms..	680	86	337	225	12 469	169	453	56	408	264	20
Co-op ----- farms..	60	10	53	27	9 452	14	29	5	58	175	1
Feed company ----- farms..	247	24	57	28	12	1	35	2	24	7	4
Packer ----- farms..	24	1	15	8	6	78	18	2	191	1	2
Processor ----- farms..	176	3	68	119	1 614	6	4	2	15	2	1
Other ----- farms..	71	35	82	14	410	61	301	37	93	58	12
Not reported ----- farms..	102	14	62	19	975	9	66	12	27	21	1
Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing ----- farms..	4 042	296	912	379	442	126	229	71	275	78	30
Co-op ----- farms..	438	26	130	39	267	1	3	1	54	33	1
Feed company ----- farms..	1 775	96	314	227	1	8	21	1	112	19	10
Packer ----- farms..	83	10	24	8	1	21	9	1	37	1	1
Processor ----- farms..	1 086	25	159	46	95	4	3	2	9	1	1
Other ----- farms..	182	105	176	25	40	81	152	64	47	17	13
Not reported ----- farms..	478	34	109	34	40	11	41	4	16	7	5
Other contracts ----- farms..	414	257	186	96	668	40	193	94	50	50	18
Co-op ----- farms..	24	7	13	2	346	1	2	6	1	4	1
Feed company ----- farms..	153	74	36	49	1	1	7	1	9	6	4
Packer ----- farms..	13	1	5	4	1	10	7	1	5	1	1
Processor ----- farms..	103	12	34	9	168	2	1	1	3	1	1
Other ----- farms..	94	142	88	27	111	22	162	80	31	39	13
Not reported ----- farms..	27	22	10	5	43	5	15	6	1	1	1
Unspecified contracts ----- farms..	5 820	744	1 527	228	3 754	45	184	56	110	126	15
Contractor furnished:											
Feed ----- farms..	13 721	2 056	4 035	1 094	118	90	205	96	375	114	29
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ----- farms..	13 973	2 194	4 090	1 010	36	54	210	87	293	134	33
Seed ----- farms..	1	1	1	1	41	1	11	6	1	1	1
Fertilizer ----- farms..	1	1	1	1	44	1	22	11	1	1	1
Chemicals ----- farms..	1 212	290	608	141	59	7	15	5	22	5	1
Labor ----- farms..	1 706	168	188	69	92	54	123	78	30	13	3
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ----- farms..	166	64	98	56	168	47	89	56	45	13	5
Harvesting ----- farms..	1	1	1	1	48	1	13	1	1	1	1
Transportation ----- farms..	8 180	1 198	1 783	570	4 288	45	189	89	149	110	21
Processing/packing ----- farms..	6 554	170	1 333	579	3 943	30	17	2	65	7	3
Credit ----- farms..	633	54	109	121	244	28	45	21	79	20	8
Technical assistance ----- farms..	6 691	989	1 739	590	1 338	38	83	69	135	101	29
Other ----- farms..	1 359	209	229	124	846	27	112	91	37	65	20
None ----- farms..	88	30	120	83	6 483	142	422	92	310	195	19
Not reported ----- farms..	4 104	427	1 217	199	7 032	103	343	86	194	150	18
Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract ----- farms..	15 483	2 101	4 493	1 191	15 346	314	934	278	692	463	77
\$1,000 ----- farms..	169 792	31 247	180 119	85 868	1 235 916	118 950	56 587	5 284	16 861	5 576	835
Not reported ----- farms..	3 214	626	1 268	346	5 554	133	418	187	301	224	49
\$1 to \$2,499 ----- farms..	1 301	276	397	136	249	46	185	63	238	107	28
\$1,000 ----- farms..	2 032	456	518	191	232	45	199	76	257	120	26
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms..	2 979	456	267	144	210	22	115	61	85	104	11
\$1,000 ----- farms..	11 318	1 682	1 005	534	785	72	408	207	304	375	40
\$5,000 to \$7,499 ----- farms..	3 405	381	489	117	274	28	80	33	72	70	7
\$1,000 ----- farms..	20 696	2 289	2 993	712	1 707	166	484	209	436	426	45
\$7,500 to \$9,999 ----- farms..	2 262	260	507	96	329	11	57	23	39	37	5
\$1,000 ----- farms..	19 370	2 226	4 368	831	2 869	90	491	198	336	318	41
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ----- farms..	2 951	288	951	133	872	24	94	27	61	53	8
\$1,000 ----- farms..	35 064	3 448	11 508	1 617	10 811	287	1 137	335	727	636	91
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms..	1 230	146	586	93	996	24	69	15	28	26	3
\$1,000 ----- farms..	20 615	2 455	9 968	1 581	17 336	414	1 173	249	469	450	54
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ----- farms..	857	138	611	133	2 282	36	80	15	52	23	8
\$1,000 ----- farms..	19 894	3 219	14 461	3 187	56 612	834	1 914	339	1 261	526	185
\$30,000 and over ----- farms..	498	156	685	339	10 134	123	254	41	117	43	7
\$1,000 ----- farms..	40 803	15 472	135 300	77 215	1 145 564	117 041	50 781	3 670	13 072	2 726	353
Contract specified:											
Exact price ----- farms..	1 400	881	1 643	256	1 690	153	563	192	324	82	22
Method of determining price ----- farms..	8 836	714	1 758	792	7 166	147	365	114	352	259	68
Neither price nor method ----- farms..	1 200	269	501	162	7 539	76	161	81	150	225	14
Not reported ----- farms..	7 261	863	1 859	327	4 505	71	263	78	167	121	22
Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract ----- farms..	18 697	2 727	5 761	1 537	20 900	447	1 352	465	993	687	126
\$1,000 ----- farms..	1 896 872	319 117	1 098 267	399 531	1 891 251	506 887	494 354	41 628	108 642	24 011	13 144

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

<b>Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over</b>	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..	713	23 941	37 448	15 416	7 115	1 098	12 130	7 572	6 518	6 937	17 363
<b>Production contract or agreement</b> ----- farms..	171	3 484	4 286	1 645	1 399	252	5 144	665	868	2 335	4 890
Co-op ----- farms..	20	640	1 274	525	274	32	206	334	357	393	485
Feed company ----- farms..	36	317	474	216	7	—	5	—	—	2	257
Packer ----- farms..	9	18	13	3	9	89	422	92	71	10	167
Processor ----- farms..	28	1 070	681	164	213	93	4 253	138	385	1 748	2 414
Other ----- farms..	64	1 125	1 323	552	685	25	76	59	22	56	1 247
Not reported ----- farms..	14	314	521	185	211	13	182	42	33	126	320
<b>Marketing contract or agreement</b> ----- farms..	260	16 216	25 498	10 886	4 045	487	2 927	4 909	3 610	2 416	7 952
Co-op ----- farms..	74	6 733	9 588	4 484	800	80	234	2 970	1 818	263	2 047
Feed company ----- farms..	6	2 099	2 991	1 192	9	4	—	4	—	3	458
Packer ----- farms..	35	12	39	24	6	152	211	908	380	6	220
Processor ----- farms..	31	848	1 971	500	510	112	2 288	611	1 168	1 900	2 850
Other ----- farms..	88	4 860	7 573	3 324	2 054	78	48	124	70	57	1 715
Not reported ----- farms..	26	1 664	3 336	1 362	666	61	146	292	174	187	662
<b>Contracts or agreements for both production and marketing</b> ----- farms..	83	496	567	251	112	53	386	346	297	449	741
Co-op ----- farms..	3	106	144	51	28	6	34	204	174	91	109
Feed company ----- farms..	14	88	82	37	1	—	—	—	—	1	30
Packer ----- farms..	13	2	4	2	2	22	48	72	20	4	25
Processor ----- farms..	16	84	80	29	17	19	284	25	62	307	319
Other ----- farms..	25	152	165	86	44	3	6	27	24	11	189
Not reported ----- farms..	12	64	92	46	20	2	14	18	17	35	69
<b>Other contracts</b> ----- farms..	95	756	1 333	610	399	74	894	332	446	450	1 181
Co-op ----- farms..	4	160	269	130	44	4	25	113	156	50	127
Feed company ----- farms..	4	43	90	51	1	—	—	2	—	1	36
Packer ----- farms..	4	2	2	1	—	22	74	62	36	1	50
Processor ----- farms..	4	58	94	21	22	16	729	74	198	331	382
Other ----- farms..	74	424	726	331	292	26	50	72	42	49	530
Not reported ----- farms..	5	69	152	76	40	5	16	9	14	18	56
Unspecified contracts ----- farms..	104	2 989	5 764	2 024	1 160	232	2 779	1 320	1 297	1 287	2 599
<b>Contractor furnished:</b>											
Feed ----- farms..	144	8	7	4	—	1	6	8	—	6	3
Chicks, pullets, cattle, feeder pigs, etc. ----- farms..	149	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Seed ----- farms..	—	2 531	1 733	746	125	244	5 231	9	7	1 724	3 518
Fertilizer ----- farms..	—	552	529	252	72	120	521	507	322	109	573
Chemicals ----- farms..	24	966	517	150	54	136	1 643	420	273	187	528
Labor ----- farms..	36	604	336	160	45	97	859	870	482	230	465
Machinery, equipment, or buildings ----- farms..	26	508	431	210	56	72	1 304	621	399	108	643
Harvesting ----- farms..	—	625	628	308	77	273	5 251	1 684	982	111	926
Transportation ----- farms..	162	1 483	1 036	531	112	194	3 868	1 639	1 001	206	1 569
Processing/packing ----- farms..	89	710	416	148	139	301	4 738	3 566	2 673	2 172	2 106
Credit ----- farms..	46	292	336	176	101	44	469	546	281	419	458
Technical assistance ----- farms..	118	916	300	164	46	131	2 199	889	743	1 957	1 859
Other ----- farms..	81	805	1 027	528	142	42	196	223	160	74	470
None ----- farms..	197	11 001	18 275	7 340	3 881	244	1 631	1 512	1 746	1 543	6 274
Not reported ----- farms..	160	8 350	14 942	5 991	2 700	307	2 134	1 695	1 462	1 622	4 227
<b>Amount received from contractor for product covered by contract</b> ----- farms..	462	17 612	29 121	12 091	5 021	771	9 962	5 569	4 948	5 463	13 207
\$1,000 ----- farms..	22 657	341 963	381 608	207 151	383 286	55 797	434 672	220 521	217 931	330 776	875 853
Not reported ----- farms..	251	6 329	8 327	3 325	2 094	327	2 168	2 003	1 570	1 474	4 156
\$1 to \$2,499 ----- farms..	76	2 466	4 997	2 863	283	196	1 956	526	538	199	1 536
\$1,000 ----- farms..	76	2 691	5 328	3 597	354	210	2 633	725	686	143	1 900
\$2,500 to \$4,999 ----- farms..	65	2 897	6 032	2 360	350	93	1 800	696	617	172	1 449
\$1,000 ----- farms..	244	10 273	21 774	8 628	1 291	333	6 525	2 494	2 231	650	5 275
\$5,000 to \$7,499 ----- farms..	41	2 312	4 696	1 264	326	66	1 288	562	517	244	1 228
\$1,000 ----- farms..	247	14 069	28 709	7 518	1 981	399	7 780	3 423	3 161	1 510	7 459
\$7,500 to \$9,999 ----- farms..	32	1 502	3 147	947	236	40	735	427	362	227	915
\$1,000 ----- farms..	269	12 976	26 505	8 076	2 040	337	6 319	3 686	3 096	1 960	7 852
\$10,000 to \$14,999 ----- farms..	51	2 314	3 322	1 226	414	58	904	672	540	554	1 434
\$1,000 ----- farms..	619	27 606	40 088	14 476	5 062	695	10 845	8 082	6 503	6 771	17 237
\$15,000 to \$19,999 ----- farms..	30	1 436	2 121	741	324	36	521	460	403	465	970
\$1,000 ----- farms..	499	23 931	35 678	12 433	5 470	627	8 904	7 844	6 942	7 900	16 426
\$20,000 to \$29,999 ----- farms..	49	1 622	1 967	1 025	545	41	620	570	480	779	1 342
\$1,000 ----- farms..	1 190	38 730	47 021	24 157	13 316	952	15 095	13 577	11 487	18 982	32 255
\$30,000 and over ----- farms..	118	3 063	2 839	1 665	2 543	241	2 138	1 656	1 491	2 823	4 333
\$1,000 ----- farms..	19 513	211 687	176 506	128 267	353 773	52 244	376 570	180 688	183 825	292 861	787 449
<b>Contract specified:</b>											
Exact price ----- farms..	276	17 041	28 502	11 794	4 610	376	6 544	871	1 037	332	9 789
Method of determining price ----- farms..	205	3 346	2 815	1 188	1 160	276	3 661	2 552	2 573	4 833	4 091
Neither price nor method ----- farms..	111	436	701	382	222	209	353	2 984	2 030	783	1 238
Not reported ----- farms..	121	3 118	5 430	2 052	1 123	237	1 572	1 165	878	989	2 245
<b>Market value of all products sold for farms with specified items under contract</b> ----- farms..	713	23 941	37 448	15 416	7 115	1 098	12 130	7 572	6 518	6 937	17 363
\$1,000 ----- farms..	98 863	2 220 903	2 908 945	1 930 267	1 454 538	324 263	1 854 992	608 155	588 102	1 598 995	2 917 452