

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	103	143	103	143	Crops	farms	659 (NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	224	203	224	203	\$1,000	5 311	2 198
\$20,000 to \$39,999	99	203	99	203	farms	555	374
					\$1,000	3 596	799
\$10,000 to \$19,999	135	179	135	179	farms	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	191	192	191	192	\$1,000	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	305	245	305	245	farms	263	538
					\$1,000	1 265	1 157
Under \$2,500 (see text)	958	1 730	28	33	farms	103	57
\$2,000 to \$2,499	120	100	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	182	51
\$1,500 to \$1,999	136	171	(X)	(X)	farms	15	24
\$1,000 to \$1,499	212	267	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	155	36
Under \$1,000 (see text)	490	1 192	(X)	(X)	farms	39	69
					\$1,000	90	126
					farms	12	15
					\$1,000	22	30
Market value of agricultural products sold					Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms	849 855
\$1,000	41 818	25 100	40 840	23 815	\$1,000	35 173	21 256
Average per farm	20 753	9 408	37 640	23 935	farms	362	447
					\$1,000	30 468	17 059
Crops, including hay	farms 1 098	1 698	659	(NA)	farms	15	22
\$1,000	5 713	3 232	5 311	2 198	\$1,000	493	449
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms 9	4	4	3	farms	585	(NA)
\$1,000	310	303	318	318	\$1,000	1 816	937
Forest products	farms 46	69	31	34	farms	268	(NA)
\$1,000	57	54	53	43	\$1,000	1 979	2 812
					farms	1	(NA)
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 1 496	1 588	849	855	\$1,000	1	1
\$1,000	35 738	21 814	35 173	21 256	farms	16	(NA)
					\$1,000	416	
Poultry and poultry products	farms 377	(NA)	362	447			
\$1,000	30 470	(NA)	30 468	17 059			

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		
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	968	(NA)	265	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms 625
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms 370	(NA)	194	(NA)	\$1,000	5 949
\$1,000	385	(NA)	292	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms 116
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms 113	160	71	83	\$1,000	1 165
\$1,000	174	162	145	120	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms 433
Recreational services	farms 5	24	2	10	\$1,000	4 021
\$1,000	2	16	2	8	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms 153
Government farm programs	farms 108	1 504	68	589	\$1,000	224
\$1,000	65	1 736	45	1 045	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms 135
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms 167	(NA)	66	(NA)	\$1,000	424
\$1,000	105	(NA)	65	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms 47
Other farm-related sources	farms 27	(NA)	18	(NA)	\$1,000	115
\$1,000	39	(NA)	35	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms 132	(NA)	83	(NA)		
\$1,000	116	(NA)	85	(NA)		

¹See text. ²1974 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
Total farm production expenses	farms 2 014	2 692	1 085	995	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms 1 047	1 750	640	694
\$1,000	40 083	22 209	38 762	20 462	\$1,000	375	220	345	155
Farms with -					Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms 1 449	2 138	759	765
\$1 to \$999	489	1 079	20	90	\$1,000	1 619	937	1 371	643
\$1,000 to \$1,999	354	492	91		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms 677	(NA)	450	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	202	213	114	85	\$1,000	342	197	322	152
\$3,000 to \$4,999	238	227	155	144	Lime	farms (NA)	(NA)	158	149
\$5,000 to \$9,999	218	176	192	171	\$1,000	(NA)	34	59	20
\$10,000 to \$19,999	108		108	193	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms 1 878	2 570	1 031	992
\$20,000 to \$39,999	85	505	85	182	\$1,000	1 101	757	973	566
\$40,000 to \$59,999	91		91	130	farms	(NA)	(NA)	951	891
\$60,000 and over	229		229		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	447	239
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms 940	1 210	634	715	Diesel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	350	317
\$1,000	6 179	4 105	5 966	3 918	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	123	59
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms 1 473	1 571	813	801	LP gas, butane, and propane	farms (NA)	(NA)	353	340
\$1,000	24 723	11 284	24 468	11 061	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	273	190
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms 1 152	1 151	763	750	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	1 031	990
\$1,000	23 794	10 548	23 684	10 447	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	130	78
Feed ingredients	farms (NA)	(NA)	264	93	Hired farm labor	farms 564	1 270	349	578
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	176	87	\$1,000	980	1 038	922	898
Whole grains	farms (NA)	(NA)	297	196	farms	91	1 312	58	89
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	537	491	\$1,000	72	507	66	68
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms (NA)	(NA)	102	98	Machine hire and customwork	farms 837		512	518
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	71	36	\$1,000	435		374	298
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms (NA)	(NA)	536	(NA)	farms	1 750	2 058	1 082	987
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	177	(NA)	\$1,000	4 258	3 163	3 779	2 703

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
All Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	1 862	2 501	989	968	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	87	77	83	61
\$1,000	19 348	11 042	13 906	6 619	number	89	79	85	63
Average per farm	10 391	4 414	14 061	6 837	mfd in last 5 years, number	33	44	33	35
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	44	325	13	534	Corn heads for combines	77	176	73	50
\$1,000 to \$4,999	610	1 517	251	231	number	83	188	77	53
\$5,000 to \$9,999	604	407	242	231	mfd in last 5 years, number	28	81	27	35
\$10,000 to \$19,999	340	175	234	142	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	86	66	66	89
\$20,000 to \$29,999	140	77	127	30	number	88	68	93	93
\$30,000 to \$49,999	95		94	21	mfd in last 5 years, number	13	13	13	34
\$50,000 to \$69,999	15		15	10	Mower conditioners	94	(NA)	55	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	14		13		number	96	(NA)	55	(NA)
					mfd in last 5 years, number	40	(NA)	24	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	1 303	1 735	702	693	Pickup balers	137	112	98	81
number	1 765	2 267	1 010	888	number	138	118	99	86
mfd in last 5 years, number	893	1 135	538	475	mfd in last 5 years, number	52	79	35	62
Motor trucks, including pickups	1 598	1 819	879	805	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	48	(NA)	36	49
number	2 035	2 171	1 256	1 066	number	48	(NA)	36	53
mfd in last 5 years, number	644	999	467	505	mfd in last 5 years, number	14	(NA)	10	35
Wheel tractors	1 528	2 012	842	829	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	25	(NA)	20	15
number	2 013	2 572	1 271	1 224	number	25	(NA)	20	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	511	885	423	478	mfd in last 5 years, number	17	(NA)	13	9
Crawler tractors	45		31	31					
number	50		35	41					
mfd in last 5 years, number	12		10	18					

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		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Any livestock or poultry	1 523	(X)	806	(X)	1 496	(X)	849	(X)	35 173
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	1 405	(X)	718	(X)	1 318	(X)	696	(X)	3 795
Cattle and calves	1 575	(X)	696	(X)	1 358	(X)	654	(X)	(NA)
1969	1 278	42 189	640	29 527	1 150	14 710	585	11 222	1 816
1969	1 323	25 245	572	16 207	1 052	10 830	496	7 760	937
Farms with—									
1 to 4	125	343	49	134	390	989	135	341	52
5 to 9	148	1 014	51	318	327	2 140	145	961	145
10 to 19	308	4 266	95	1 352	260	3 336	141	1 884	277
20 to 49	459	13 780	253	7 768	127	3 570	118	3 361	480
50 to 99	174	11 427	128	8 596	34	2 174	34	2 174	391
100 to 199	48	6 320	48	6 320	9	1 101	9	1 101	170
200 to 499	14	(D)	14	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 063	21 911	565	15 564	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 137	12 595	517	8 552	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	985	20 768	528	14 640	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	11 219	438	7 514	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	219	1 143	106	924	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	376	1 376	169	1 038	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X)	493
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	22	(X)	449
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms		Number		Dollars (1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows	985	20 768	528	14 640	Cattle sold	360	5 411	1 121	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	124	325	44	102	1 to 4	159	351	69	
5 to 9	203	1 358	85	574	5 to 9	73	480	102	
10 to 19	291	3 965	138	1 953	10 to 19	59	788	155	
20 to 49	283	8 122	182	5 289	20 to 49	47	1 332	261	
50 to 99	61	3 689	56	3 413	50 to 99	17	1 109	228	
100 to 199	19	2 254	19	2 254	100 to 199	3	451	104	
200 to 499	4	1 055	4	1 055	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	219	1 143	106	924	Calves sold	470	5 811	694	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	162	221	72	95	1 or 2	87	123	14	
3 or 4	26	85	12	40	3 or 4	59	213	23	
5 to 9	16	94	7	46	5 to 9	120	802	96	
10 to 19	5	55	5	55	10 to 19	127	1 719	203	
20 to 49	6	182	6	182	20 to 49	60	1 544	175	
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	12	716	89	
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	4	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	-	

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.....	86	642 634	37	424 194	Turkeys.....	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	100	680 859	70	667 411	.....1969.....	3	7	1	2
Hens for table or market egg production.....	67	502 216	18	284 596	Turkeys for slaughter.....	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	23	140 418	19	139 598	.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	3	74 650	17	428 736	Heavy breed.....	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	13	166 235	21	404 959	.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	45	18 717	20	16 769	Light breed.....	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	5	74 182	—	—	.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding.....	3	4	1	2
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	.....1969.....	4	(X)	2	(X)
					Other poultry.....	10	(X)	4	(X)
					.....1969.....	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969		1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	947	943	19 253	17 547	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
.....1974.....	31	7	561	38	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	394	256	14 424	7 177	299 875	167 801	19 250	46 017	6 516	1 760
.....1974.....	18	33	18	44	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	12	4	238	55	6 516	1 760	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
.....1974.....	12	8	64	85	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Wheat (bushels).....	12	8	64	85	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
.....1974.....	350	1 455	9 616	16 074	6 806	14 216	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	84	(NA)	115	(NA)	19 149	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974.....	40	(NA)	13	(NA)	1 475	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Tobacco (pounds).....	632	541	9 208	5 908	15 110	7 408	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
.....1974.....	70	116	314	466	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	52	66	89	84	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
.....1974.....	11	13	12	8	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	33	(NA)	132	630	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Berries for sale.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	529	419	14 866	12 045	708 637	510 439	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	26	11	926	325	9 775	3 008	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	10	6	127	56	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	5	1	68	18	3 028	360	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	13	(NA)	390	8	(X)	(X)	—	—	(NA)	—
.....1974.....	21	11	241	143	381	138	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....	496	18 901	(X)	—	—	159	6 002	146	934	26	133
.....1969.....	488	15 267	(X)	—	—	185	5 385	160	1 007	45	181
Improved pasture.....	211	7 750	(X)	—	—	76	3 738	70	475	10	39
.....1974.....	184	6 534	(X)	—	—	75	3 317	69	1 070	12	28
.....1969.....	543	15 919	(X)	—	—	432	12 996	421	2 550	191	830
Corn for all purposes.....	430	12 426	(X)	—	—	334	10 110	325	2 082	138	557
.....1974.....	18	458	(X)	—	—	14	410	14	86	2	7
.....1969.....	3	26	(X)	—	—	2	19	2	6	—	(Z)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	12	238	6 516	—	—	11	231	10	35	3	10
.....1974.....	4	55	1 760	—	—	2	35	(NA)	5	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	4	20	560	—	—	2	10	2	1	—	—
Oats (bushels).....	3	25	860	—	—	1	10	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley (bushels).....	3	22	290	—	—	3	22	3	5	—	—
.....1974.....	7	58	1 180	—	—	3	26	(NA)	5	(NA)	1
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	302	13 596	286 160	—	—	196	9 912	195	1 457	5	25
.....1969.....	162	6 157	146 673	—	—	126	4 708	(NA)	667	(NA)	28
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	3	3	1 400	—	—	2	2	2	(Z)	—	—
.....1974.....	5	19	33 775	—	—	2	10	(NA)	4	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	350	6 435	11 453	—	—	162	2 982	138	667	50	108
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	241	3 881	5 292	—	—	82	1 027	79	230	12	23
.....1974.....	8	52	(X)	—	—	5	44	3	5	2	4
.....1969.....	7	61	(X)	—	—	3	15	3	3	—	—
Field seed crops.....	269	9 093	6 480	—	—	245	8 787	235	2 280	70	340
.....1974.....	546	11 146	10 019	—	—	496	10 754	(NA)	3 255	(NA)	421
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	35	105	18 322	—	—	15	98	(NA)	15	(NA)	1
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	30	65	5 778	—	—	9	55	(NA)	2	(NA)	13
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	40	252	(X)	—	—	31	173	30	82	3	9
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	69	377	(X)	2	12	52	296	52	140	12	21
.....1974.....	14	59	(X)	—	—	4	36	4	10	—	—
.....1969.....	13	23	(X)	—	—	4	2	4	1	—	—
Land in orchards.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	5	8	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	8	5	(X)	—	—	4	1	4	1	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	4	42	(X)	1	2	4	42	4	14	—	—	—
1969	3	276	(X)	1	1	2	201	2	26	—	—	—
Other crops	10	22	(X)	—	—	5	16	6	3	—	—	—

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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000		Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	811	1 694	802	795	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	45 549	10 255	36 148	9 831	Diseases in crops and orchards	1	—	8	—
Lime	1 371	158	643	149	acres on which used	22	(Z)	218	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	6 333	7 198	2 975	3 444	Weeds or grass in crops	197	—	335	—
Insects on hay crops	4	32	6	33	acres on which used	14 216	—	11 194	—
Insects on other crops	142	7 128	199	6 115	Weeds or brush in pasture	79	—	65	—
Nematodes in crops	1	150	4	79	acres on which used	21	—	16	—
	1	1	1	1	Weeds on all other land	984	—	380	—
	1	1	1	1	acres on which used	2	—	1	—
	1	1	1	1	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	9	—	(NA)	—
	1	1	1	1	of crops or thinning of fruit	106	—	(NA)	—
	1	1	1	1	acres on which used	1	—	(NA)	—
	1	1	1	1	Insect control on livestock and poultry	7	—	30	—
	1	1	1	1	Other chemicals (see text)	625	—	680	—
	1	1	1	1	acres on which used	3	—	2	—
	1	1	1	1	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	341	—	(NA)	—
	1	1	1	1	acres	761	—	(NA)	—
	1	1	1	1	acres	734	—	(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	3	6	3	13	Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	0.3	2.0	0.3	4.3	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	—	(NA)	—
Total land irrigated	6	20	13	43	Other sprinkler systems	3	—	(NA)	—
Average per farm	2.0	6.7	4.3	13.3	Land in irrigated farms	1	—	(NA)	—
Cropland irrigated	3	6	3	13	Cropland	2	—	(NA)	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	3	6	3	13	Harvested cropland	71	—	297	—
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	19	—	209	—
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	15	—	167	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	—	—	(X)	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	4	0.6	39	3.0	Proportion of farms	5	—	18	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	0.5	—	1.8	—
Furrows or ditches	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Land drained	510	—	5 785	—
	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	158	—	1 565	—
	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	31.6	—	86.9	—
	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	acres	—	—	—	—
	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Farms	341	—	(NA)	—
	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Number	761	—	(NA)	—
	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	acres	734	—	(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	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Under \$5,000	80	62	80	62	64	—	—	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	61	48	61	48	24	—	—	
\$10,000 to \$29,999	110	97	110	97	30	—	—	
\$30,000 to \$49,999	46	37	46	37	7	—	—	
\$50,000 and over	24	19	24	19	3	—	—	

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—	61	75	171	191	697	898	Farms	349	61	82	253
150 days or more	82	544	190	2 096	120	106	Cash wages paid — \$1,000	922	697	120	106
25 to 149 days	253	89	1 486	(NA)	106	68	Number of workers	1 847	171	190	1 486
Less than 25 days	58	89	(NA)	(NA)	66	68	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	58	89	(NA)	(NA)	66	68	1 worker	95	34	31	68
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	14	(NA)	59	(NA)	33	(NA)	2 workers	80	18	27	41
	14	(NA)	59	(NA)	33	(NA)	3 or 4 workers	55	3	17	40
	14	(NA)	59	(NA)	33	(NA)	5 to 9 workers	62	2	5	55
	14	(NA)	59	(NA)	33	(NA)	10 workers and over	57	4	2	49