

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
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	408	561	407	561	Crops	591	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	130	143	128	143	\$1,000	19 414	13 811
\$20,000 to \$39,999	119		119		farms	31	17
\$10,000 to \$19,999	142	181	142	181	\$1,000	401	132
\$5,000 to \$9,999	229	229	229	229	farms	-	-
\$2,500 to \$4,999	202	275	202	272	\$1,000	2	5
Under \$2,500 (see text)	648	1 006	51	172	farms	2	25
\$2,000 to \$2,499	92	85	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	133	154
\$1,500 to \$1,999	113	99	(X)	(X)	farms	4 293	2 589
\$1,000 to \$1,499	118	134	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	11	12
Under \$1,000 (see text)	325	688	(X)	(X)	farms	705	327
Market value of agricultural products sold					\$1,000	40	38
\$1,000	251 449	133 319	249 334	131 734	farms	2 766	1 322
dollars	133 892	55 665	195 097	84 553	\$1,000	423	595
Average per farm					\$1,000	11 248	9 416
Crops, including hay	farms 887	1 128	farms 591	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 726	808
\$1,000	19 917	16 394	\$1,000	19 414	farms	225 411	115 621
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms 64		farms 55	43	\$1,000	152	260
\$1,000	4 456		\$1,000	4 446	farms	54 190	37 121
Forest products	farms 11	5	farms 11	3	\$1,000	269	278
\$1,000	62	61	\$1,000	62	farms	141 030	58 765
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 972	1 148	farms 726	808	\$1,000	483	(NA)
\$1,000	227 013	116 864	\$1,000	225 411	farms	26 038	17 420
Poultry and poultry products	farms 209	(NA)	farms 152	621	\$1,000	51	(NA)
\$1,000	54 205	(NA)	\$1,000	54 190	farms	448	2 315
					\$1,000	37	(NA)
					farms	673	
					\$1,000	144	
					farms	3 032	
					\$1,000		

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	877	(NA)	385	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms 716
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms 251	(NA)	farms 191	(NA)	\$1,000	13 951
\$1,000	1 402	(NA)	1 350	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms 162
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms 114	125	farms 82	97	\$1,000	3 131
\$1,000	558	810	527	745	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms 427
Recreational services	farms 13	24	farms 12	14	\$1,000	6 904
\$1,000	36	437	farms 35	429	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms 347
Government farm programs	farms 9	52	farms 7	41	\$1,000	2 621
\$1,000	28	80	28	71	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms 139
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms 91	(NA)	farms 72	(NA)	\$1,000	516
\$1,000	545	(NA)	529	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms 129
Other farm-related sources	farms 62	(NA)	farms 48	(NA)	\$1,000	778
\$1,000	235	(NA)	231	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms 93	(NA)	farms 70	(NA)		
\$1,000	402	(NA)	369	(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 1 870	2 395	farms 1 277	1 558	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms 360	334	216	210
\$1,000	236 440	123 724	234 097	121 028	\$1,000	646	432	617	421
Farms with—					farms	694	1 172	486	777
\$1 to \$999	216	237	8	55	\$1,000	1 142	890	1 078	832
\$1,000 to \$1,999	183	315	30		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms 715	(NA)	539	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	161	194	57	63	\$1,000	781	961	745	895
\$3,000 to \$4,999	225	290	134	162	farms	(NA)	25	4	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	281	435	247	357	\$1,000	(NA)	4	9	4
\$10,000 to \$19,999	186		186	249	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms 1 545	2 201	1 149	1 492
\$20,000 to \$39,999	107	924	107	140	\$1,000	2 447	1 609	2 365	1 478
\$40,000 to \$59,999	58		58		farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 095	1 440
\$60,000 and over	453		450	532	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 431	968
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms 722	926	556	687	farms	(NA)	(NA)	397	251
\$1,000	24 191	19 799	24 049	19 657	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	401	124
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms 990	1 135	705	796	farms	(NA)	(NA)	168	245
\$1,000	137 960	54 421	137 345	54 020	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	189	132
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms 821	937	629	719	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	1 144	1 462
\$1,000	91 350	38 493	90 936	38 277	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	344	254
Feed ingredients	farms (NA)	(NA)	102	34	Hired farm labor	farms 849	1 318	712	1 033
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2 608	754	\$1,000	19 752	14 801	19 457	14 503
Whole grains	farms (NA)	(NA)	210	124	farms	276	1 000	183	413
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	8 518	1 483	\$1,000	1 446	2 221	1 383	1 407
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms (NA)	(NA)	365	383	farms	432		286	450
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	35 284	13 505	\$1,000	738		699	630
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms (NA)	(NA)	541	(NA)	farms	1 753	2 184	1 255	1 534
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 773	(NA)	\$1,000	47 335	28 590	44 586	27 184

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.....	1 599	1 961	1 129	1 320	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	17	15	15	13
.....farms.....	31 294	16 070	27 989	14 212	.....farms.....	22	19	20	17
.....\$1,000.....	19 571	8 194	24 791	10 766	.....number.....	3	5	3	5
Average per farm.....					mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	6	4	5
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines.....	6	16	6	14
\$1 to \$999.....	35	234	12	579	.....farms.....	2	13	2	13
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	372	890	208		mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5		5	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	391	374	194	302	.....farms.....	5		5	2
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	313	282	244	264	.....number.....	5		5	-
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	229		217	76	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	153	181	149	68	Mower conditioners.....	70	(NA)	44	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	50		50	31	.....farms.....	89	(NA)	61	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	56		55		.....number.....	20	(NA)	17	(NA)
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....	180	133	153	103
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	1 063	1 179	781	846	Pickup balers.....	201	163	172	131
.....farms.....	1 587	1 671	1 234	1 238	.....farms.....	28	41	26	38
.....number.....	989	1 028	797	803	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	165	(NA)	146	104
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 340	1 496	971	1 028	.....number.....	184	(NA)	163	117
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	2 635	2 717	2 073	2 123	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	36	(NA)	31	47
.....farms.....	906	957	698	783	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	36	(NA)	31	31
.....number.....	1 162	1 195	861	827	.....farms.....	42	(NA)	35	38
.....number.....	2 181	2 132	1 727	1 447	.....number.....	3	(NA)	3	13
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	608	456	482	335					
Crawler tractors.....	176		144	198					
.....farms.....	240		199	275					
.....number.....	10		10	53					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....									

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.....	973	(X)	718	(X)	972	(X)	726	(X)	225 411
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	744	(X)	538	(X)	695	(X)	514	(X)	27 159
..... 1969.....	696	(X)	489	(X)	661	(X)	477	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	693	186 941	507	183 413	617	138 007	483	136 511	26 038
..... 1969.....	640	133 004	465	129 351	622	125 396	455	123 933	17 420
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	106	256	33	85	82	186	18	41	11
5 to 9..... 1974.....	74	489	43	269	77	529	37	252	82
10 to 19..... 1974.....	97	1 260	48	635	55	751	39	555	170
20 to 49..... 1974.....	67	2 094	37	1 152	68	2 157	56	1 681	473
50 to 99..... 1974.....	41	3 243	40	3 191	66	5 001	65	4 913	1 365
100 to 199..... 1974.....	38	5 607	38	5 607	81	11 890	81	11 890	1 664
200 to 499..... 1974.....	152	51 644	151	51 439	121	37 427	120	37 113	5 001
500 and over..... 1974.....	118	122 348	117	121 035	67	80 066	67	80 066	17 271
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	516	125 521	404	124 114	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	441	88 321	366	87 164	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	225	9 476	131	8 826	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	5 667	92	5 339	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	360	116 045	314	115 288	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	328	82 654	297	81 825	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	269	(X)	141 030
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	278	(X)	58 765
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows.....	225	9 476	131	8 826	Cattle sold.....	416	73 521	24 043	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	66	154	22	57	1 to 4.....	19	58	20	
5 to 9.....	58	378	41	259	5 to 9.....	39	259	92	
10 to 19.....	40	515	8	107	10 to 19.....	52	713	304	
20 to 49.....	18	549	17	523	20 to 49.....	66	2 283	724	
50 to 99.....	26	2 089	26	2 089	50 to 99.....	111	8 379	2 988	
100 to 199.....	11	1 556	11	1 556	100 to 199.....	72	9 736	3 273	
200 to 499.....	3	1 020	3	1 020	200 to 499.....	34	9 462	2 858	
500 and over.....	3	3 215	3	3 215	500 and over.....	23	42 631	13 784	
Milk cows.....	360	116 045	314	115 288	Calves sold.....	348	62 990	1 995	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	56	67	22	26	1 or 2.....	20	27	3	
3 or 4.....	11	35	8	26	3 or 4.....	11	37	5	
5 to 9.....	27	152	22	121	5 to 9.....	12	77	12	
10 to 19.....	3	30	—	—	10 to 19.....	32	403	48	
20 to 49.....	2	65	2	65	20 to 49.....	24	808	83	
50 to 99.....	2	170	2	170	50 to 99.....	43	2 890	119	
100 to 199.....	32	5 166	32	5 166	100 to 199.....	93	13 120	373	
200 to 499.....	161	53 894	161	53 894	200 to 499.....	89	27 190	622	
500 and over.....	66	56 466	65	55 820	500 and over.....	24	18 438	729	

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	316	37 355	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	71	30 246	9 613
1969	304	18 445	1969	26	20 132	(NA)
Beef heifers	121	4 518	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	209	32 837	1 to 9	22	117	40
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	298	21 944	10 to 19	13	184	63
1969	339	23 742	20 to 49	2	50	22
			50 to 99	18	1 538	630
			100 to 199	5	585	226
			200 to 499	4	1 278	306
			500 and over	7	26 494	8 327

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	160	7 165	78	6 277	116	8 357	51	7 073 448
1969	93	4 890	32	4 085	73	5 648	25	4 444 (NA)
Farms with—								
1 to 4	70	124	34	51	20	45	7	20 1
5 to 9	23	170	9	63	28	206	11	80 5
10 to 24	40	567	16	204	24	373	8	119 10
25 to 49	12	391	6	204	19	641	7	267 13
50 to 99	10	627	8	469	14	1 010	9	705 30
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	4	(D)	2	(D) (D)
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	6	1 571	6	1 571 56
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D) (D)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	53	2 823	21	2 021 65
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	23	794	9	649 (NA)
Sheep and lambs	83	25 757	48	24 897	53	16 664	32	15 968 (NA)
1969	70	19 797	37	19 419	52	13 131	27	12 846 (NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	26	14 109 118 757
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	37	(X) 673
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	26	485	(NA)	(NA)	11	155 5
1969	(NA)	(NA)	18	296	(NA)	(NA)	4	68 (NA)
Horses and ponies	306	3 331	174	2 757	139	679	88	545 2 339
1969	421	4 138	(NA)	(NA)	208	1 033	(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 ..	34	728	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969	17	628	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..	90	1 139	40	928
Other hogs and pigs	75	5 549	1969	42	842	17	677
1969	29	3 457	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	73	582	37	481
Lambs under 1 year old	29	11 896	1969	34	414	14	341
Ewes 1 year old or older	40	11 968	June 1 and November 30	70	557	32	447
Rams and wethers	37	1 033	1969	35	428	12	336

¹Pounds 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	278	(X)	186	(X)	173	(X)	147	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	278	(X)	(NA)	(X)	255	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	255	5 432 266	163	5 426 894	141	3 815 528	117	3 808 772
1969	337	6 135 156	244	6 130 702	238	3 485 419	216	3 463 370
Hens and pullets of laying age	245	5 195 794	159	5 191 671	126	2 971 392	109	2 965 184
1969	310	5 158 029	223	5 154 638	205	1 853 009	193	1 840 952
Farms with—								
1 to 99	138	3 184	66	1 376	23	905	10	404
100 to 399	17	2 815	3	500	6	1 406	5	1 276
400 to 1,599	5	4 500	5	4 500	9	8 079	7	6 729
1,600 to 3,199	3	7 700	3	7 700	7	16 132	7	16 132
3,200 to 9,999	12	76 990	12	76 990	23	129 923	22	125 696
10,000 to 19,999	18	257 224	18	257 224	21	294 686	21	294 686
20,000 to 49,999	27	829 914	27	829 914	26	757 194	26	757 194
50,000 to 99,999	17	1 045 346	17	1 045 346	4	237 965	4	237 965
100,000 and over	8	2 968 121	8	2 968 121	7	1 525 102	7	1 525 102
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	21	72 533	9	72 239	16	167 680	7	164 712
1969	21	275 953	17	275 583	26	676 159	20	672 509
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	209	54 205	152	54 190
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	260	37 121

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.....1974.....	159	5 191 671	109	2 965 184	Turkeys.....1974.....	15	160 062	17	901 633
.....1969.....	223	5 154 638	193	1 840 952	.....1969.....	22	180 506	20	968 025
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	151	5 103 533	104	2 888 201	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	12	143 050	17	884 633
.....1969.....	12	88 138	7	76 983	Heavy breed.....1974.....	11	143 048	13	816 264
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....					Light breed.....1974.....	1	2	4	(D)
.....1969.....					Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	4	17 012	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	28	225 838	15	836 340	.....1969.....	7	15 019	4	29 031
.....1969.....	91	905 462	25	1 552 059	Other poultry.....1974.....	25	(X)	14	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	51	9 385	10	7 248	.....1969.....	29	(X)	10	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	24	382 024	5	1 420					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	38	32	2 247	1 554	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	6	4	347	425	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	1	—	1	—	200	—
Wheat (bushels).....	10	4	720	752	21 026	34 383
Other small grains for grain.....	26	13	2 753	1 737	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	3	5	45	200	12	248
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	4	(NA)	65	(NA)	18 400	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	5	(NA)	78	(NA)	21 350	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	255	267	22 436	21 966	94 004	100 327
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	45	44	1 530	1 611	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	766	1 023	23 140	30 703	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	15	15	97	110	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	81	(NA)	1 305	545	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over							
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	7	—	68	—	3 284	—	6	63
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	25	14	1 921	1 391	48 610	30 734	25	14
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	2	—	2	—	(X)	(X)	2	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	2	2	305	285	(D)	11 450	2	2
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	3	(NA)	40	140	(X)	(X)	3	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	114	122	12 069	13 865	61 209	70 738	113	108

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					
				Total		Dry		Liquid			
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	153	4 746	(X)	92	2 168	11	559	10	44	1	8
.....1969.....	156	7 289	(X)	90	4 410	23	663	23	115	—	—
Improved pasture.....1974.....	93	7 343	(X)	64	1 840	9	298	9	57	—	—
.....1969.....	128	17 502	(X)	65	1 893	9	221	9	35	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	32	1 991	(X)	31	1 986	20	1 393	15	198	8	73
.....1969.....	14	1 391	(X)	14	1 391	9	878	8	154	5	94
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	5	345	(X)	5	345	5	345	3	6	2	13
.....1969.....	4	425	(X)	3	305	2	285	2	83	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	10	720	21 026	6	423	8	580	8	52	1	19
.....1969.....	4	752	34 383	2	290	3	572	(NA)	50	(NA)	9
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	7	190	5 850	2	60	2	50	2	8	—	—
.....1969.....	2	150	6 550	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	17	2 489	96 276	5	224	6	742	6	37	—	—
.....1969.....	6	1 425	43 154	2	240	1	140	(NA)	10	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	2	60	(X)	2	60	2	60	2	3	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	182	19 960	85 490	151	17 457	38	7 854	38	730	1	10
.....1969.....	192	20 473	94 519	149	17 750	47	8 588	46	1 361	3	241
Field seed crops.....1974.....	3	32	(X)	3	32	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	3	45	12	3	45	2	40	2	6	—	—
.....1969.....	5	200	248	5	200	4	152	(NA)	27	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	3	60	18 000	3	60	3	60	3	9	—	—
.....1969.....	5	340	88 043	5	340	5	340	(NA)	187	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	40	1 495	(X)	40	1 495	33	1 428	33	550	3	49
.....1969.....	36	1 585	(X)	36	1 585	30	1 408	29	496	6	44
Land in orchards.....1974.....	430	21 122	(X)	390	17 484	264	13 151	243	3 683	42	235
.....1969.....	612	28 253	(X)	544	19 554	524	22 893	426	5 693	158	927

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	15	97	(X)	15	97	15	97	15	50	-	-
1969	14	110	(X)	14	110	14	110	14	56	4	4
Nursery and greenhouse products	55	332	(X)	36	313	29	281	27	87	6	5
1969	43	272	(X)	22	188	27	104	24	63	5	4
Other crops	21	994	(X)	18	957	12	756	8	73	2	21

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	715		992		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
lime					Diseases in crops and orchards	72		142	
farms	1	823	1	727	acres on which used	3	690	5	190
\$1,000		486		658	\$1,000	99		121	
Commercial fertilizer	27	718	37	756	Weeds or grass in crops	130		185	
farms	6	128	9	693	acres on which used	8	912	9	485
acres on which used					\$1,000	107		116	
\$1,000		1		832	Weeds or brush in pasture	8		7	
Lime		4		18	acres on which used	1	662	97	
farms		533		286	\$1,000		4	1	
acres on which used					Weeds on all other land	19		(NA)	
\$1,000		869		281	acres on which used	110		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		9		4	\$1,000	1		(NA)	
farms		29		25	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
acres on which used		3	1	559	of crops or thinning of fruit	10		11	
\$1,000		39		13	acres on which used	257		77	
Insects on hay crops		212		346	\$1,000	3		3	
farms		13	22	654	Insect control on livestock and poultry	162		225	
acres on which used		330		496	\$1,000	100		126	
\$1,000		21		30	Other chemicals (see text)	96		(NA)	
Nematodes in crops		295		509	\$1,000	43		(NA)	
farms		10		11					

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	753		863		Land irrigated by— Continued				
Proportion of farms	58.9		55.3		Self-propelled sprinkler systems				(NA)
Total land irrigated	45	383	48	771	acres	36		(NA)	
Average per farm	60.3		56.5		Other sprinkler systems	4	959	(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	43	543	46	878	acres	19	865	(NA)	
farms	619		740		Land in irrigated farms	368	388	211	652
acres	40	263	41	774	Cropland	52	118	57	659
Harvested cropland irrigated	2	168	4	410	Harvested cropland	43	903	45	379
farms	16		694		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres	1	112	1	65	between 1970 and 1973	15		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated	1	64	1	893	acres irrigated in most recent year	442		(X)	
farms	1	840			Farms with artificial drainage	36		40	
acres					Proportion of farms	2.8		2.5	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture					Land in farms with drainage	2	310	5	637
farms					Land drained	1	331	1	569
acres					Average per farm	37.0		39.2	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	152	020	183	650	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Average per acre irrigated	3.3		3.8		tanks	93		(NA)	
Land irrigated by—					number	249		(NA)	
Furrows or ditches					acres	204		(NA)	
farms									
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)	500	379	269
\$1,000	92	175	52
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	23	17	32
\$5,000 to \$9,999	35	30	16
\$10,000 to \$29,999	104	105	27
\$30,000 to \$49,999	56	52	15
\$50,000 and over	282	175	179

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	488	574	2	626	2	448	16	428	283	253	
25 to 149 days	283	816	2	705	2	425	19	428	2	425	
Less than 25 days	253		3	825	8	617	9	156	2	705	
Total contract labor	183	413	(NA)	(NA)	1	383	604			3	825
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	81	(NA)	2	017	(NA)	(NA)	887			(NA)	
Farms											
Cash wages paid											
\$1,000											
Number of workers											
Farms with—											
1 worker	150		141		78		54				
2 workers	93		86		55		42				
3 or 4 workers	163		142		50		44				
5 to 9 workers	121		69		36		41				
10 workers and over	185		50		64		72				