

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	122	160	122	160			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	83		83				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	80	59	80	59			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	61	75	60	75			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	67	61	67	61			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	50	60	50	59			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	198	245	9	19			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	25	25	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	30	28	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	38	29	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	105	163	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000...	55 484	29 794	55 288	29 611			
Average per farm dollars	83 940	45 141	117 385	68 385			
Crops, including hay							
farms...	441	471	346	(NA)			
\$1,000...	34 987	26 508	34 877	20 128			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms...	92		85	54			
\$1,000...	15 267		15 256	6 273			
Forest products							
farms...	19	18	12	8			
\$1,000...	109	42	107	40			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms...	172	187	89	100			
\$1,000...	5 121	3 244	5 047	3 169			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms...	25	(NA)	15	24			
\$1,000...	4 152	(NA)	4 150	2 140			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms...			346	(NA)			
\$1,000...			34 877	20 128			
Grains							
farms...			12	10			
\$1,000...			343	97			
Tobacco							
farms...			-	-			
\$1,000...			-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms...			-	-			
\$1,000...			-	-			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms...			6	7			
\$1,000...			25	13			
Other field crops							
farms...			4	6			
\$1,000...			132	214			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms...			57	75			
\$1,000...			7 714	7 673			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms...			305	268			
\$1,000...			26 663	12 131			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms...			89	100			
\$1,000...			5 047	3 169			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms...			15	24			
\$1,000...			4 150	2 140			
Dairy products							
farms...			5	7			
\$1,000...			299	283			
Cattle and calves							
farms...			59	(NA)			
\$1,000...			472	606			
Hogs and pigs							
farms...			5	(NA)			
\$1,000...			27	141			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms...			10				
\$1,000...			9				
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms...			15				
\$1,000...			92				

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 sold¹	238	(NA)	98	(NA)		268
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹						3 881
farms...	94	(NA)	68	(NA)		
\$1,000...	620	(NA)	511	(NA)		
Customwork and other agricultural services						49
farms...	29	47	18	32		
\$1,000...	111	174	66	157		937
Recreational services						136
farms...	2	7	1	4		
\$1,000...	(D)	11	(D)	7		1 684
Government farm programs						146
farms...	13	11	13	10		
\$1,000...	(D)	17	(D)	16		902
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments						168
farms...	44	(NA)	30	(NA)		
\$1,000...	381	(NA)	356	(NA)		52
Other farm-related sources						168
farms...	12	(NA)	12	(NA)		
\$1,000...	51	(NA)	51	(NA)		48
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹						190
farms...	34	(NA)	27	(NA)		
\$1,000...	260	(NA)	207	(NA)		
Total family income from off-farm sources²						268
farms...						
\$1,000...						3 881
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related						49
farms...						
\$1,000...						937
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips						136
farms...						
\$1,000...						1 684
Interest, dividends, or royalties						146
farms...						
\$1,000...						902
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.						52
farms...						
\$1,000...						168
Rent income of nonfarm property						48
farms...						
\$1,000...						190

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...	659	660	471	433					
\$1,000...	42 019	26 095	41 713	25 642					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999	81	80	8	15					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	84	85	12						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	29	60	18	34					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	76	68	50	34					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	62	113	56	97					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	94		94	54					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	53		53	57					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	47	254	47						
\$60,000 and over	133		133	142					
Livestock and poultry purchased									
farms...	85	121	49	69					
\$1,000...	696	926	682	897					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased									
farms...	175	198	80	97					
\$1,000...	3 204	1 458	3 147	1 414					
Commercially mixed formula feeds									
farms...	107	127	63	66					
\$1,000...	2 884	1 145	2 872	1 127					
Feed ingredients									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	19	13					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	85	73					
Whole grains									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	25	32					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	137	87					
Hay, green chop, and silage									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	32	48					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	53	128					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	49	(NA)					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	21	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased									
farms...	254	256	201	202					
\$1,000...	1 103	550	1 099	545					
Commercial fertilizer purchased									
farms...	427	468	335	360					
\$1,000...	1 342	830	1 327	818					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased									
farms...	383	(NA)	322	(NA)					
\$1,000...	1 277	1 101	1 271	1 090					
Lime									
farms...	(NA)	56	25	51					
\$1,000...	(NA)	15	20	14					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business									
farms...	635	631	460	422					
\$1,000...	1 038	605	1 011	568					
Gasoline									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	454	422					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	442	358					
Diesel oil									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	219	185					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	242	80					
LP gas, butane, and propane									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	55	75					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	71	45					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil									
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	460	411					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	255	85					
Hired farm labor									
farms...	424	472	361	376					

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	624	622	447	418
..... \$1,000.....	12 844	6 794	11 525	6 041
Average per farm..... dollars.....	20 583	10 923	25 782	14 452
Farms by value group:				
\$1 to \$999.....	11	62	3	152
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	150	240	87	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	130	142	67	99
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	147	89	113	81
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	89	89	82	38
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	47		46	25
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	25		24	23
\$70,000 and over.....	25		25	
Selected Machinery and Equipment				
Automobiles..... farms.....	370	368	288	242
..... number.....	528	538	431	373
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	289	298	241	214
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	544	500	399	358
..... number.....	1 145	1 068	951	870
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	384	347	335	282
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	433	492	336	297
..... number.....	922	1 218	769	669
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	207	207	184	141
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	257		201	250
..... number.....	360		294	374
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16		14	37
Selected Machinery & Equip.— Con.				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	4	5	4	5
..... number.....	4	6	4	6
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	1	—	1
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	1	1	1	—
..... number.....	1	1	1	—
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	1		1	—
..... number.....	1		1	—
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—		—	—
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	21	(NA)	11	(NA)
..... number.....	25	(NA)	15	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	2	(NA)
Pickup balers..... farms.....	8	12	6	4
..... number.....	8	12	6	4
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	7	1	2
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	10	(NA)	5	5
..... number.....	10	(NA)	5	5
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	(NA)	—	—
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	2	(NA)	2	1
..... number.....	3	(NA)	3	3
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	(NA)	—	2

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.....	194	(X)	102	(X)	172	(X)	89	(X)	5 047
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	138	(X)	66	(X)	131	(X)	69	(X)	507
..... 1969.....	162	(X)	83	(X)	123	(X)	68	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	124	5 163	60	4 182	114	2 609	59	2 311	472
..... 1969.....	143	7 529	73	6 433	103	3 691	60	3 390	606
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	15	33	5	13	28	75	11	29	7
5 to 9..... 1974.....	14	102	5	39	44	261	9	60	13
10 to 19..... 1974.....	41	501	10	147	7	98	5	72	16
20 to 49..... 1974.....	27	887	17	604	22	686	21	661	143
50 to 99..... 1974.....	14	939	10	678	9	579	9	579	121
100 to 199..... 1974.....	9	1 216	9	1 216	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499..... 1974.....	4	1 485	4	1 485	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over..... 1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	113	2 986	54	2 465	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	109	3 166	62	2 692	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	104	2 764	49	2 258	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	2 635	50	2 192	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	15	222	7	207	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	22	531	16	500	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	5	(X)	299
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	283
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	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows.....	104	2 764	49	2 258	Cattle sold.....	54	1 609	374	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	19	42	5	10	1 to 4.....	11	27	7	
5 to 9.....	31	179	8	55	5 to 9.....	13	86	23	
10 to 19.....	24	303	12	158	10 to 19.....	7	102	29	
20 to 49.....	18	656	12	451	20 to 49.....	14	451	115	
50 to 99.....	6	427	6	427	50 to 99.....	6	361	88	
100 to 199.....	3	392	3	392	100 to 199.....	2	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	3	765	3	765	200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	—	—	—	
Milk cows.....	15	222	7	207	Calves sold.....	36	702	97	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	8	9	2	2	1 or 2.....	8	11	2	
3 or 4.....	3	9	2	6	3 or 4.....	5	16	2	
5 to 9.....	1	5	—	—	5 to 9.....	4	27	4	
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	10 to 19.....	8	108	12	
20 to 49.....	1	30	1	30	20 to 49.....	9	261	35	
50 to 99.....	1	51	1	51	50 to 99.....	1	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....	1	118	1	118	100 to 199.....	—	—	—	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	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.....	19	93 929	7	(D)	Turkeys.....	3	33 700	3	50 089
.....1969.....	16	153 018	10	(D)	.....1969.....	3	28 065	3	68 086
Hens for table or market egg production.....	18	93 925	7	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....	3	17 600	3	33 989
.....1974.....	1	4	—	—	.....1974.....	3	17 600	3	33 989
Hens for hatching egg production.....	—	—	—	—	Heavy breed.....	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	—	—	—	—	Light breed.....	3	16 100	3	16 100
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	.....1974.....	3	(D)	3	(D)
.....1969.....	1	(D)	2	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding.....	4	(X)	2	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	6	10	—	—	.....1969.....	4	(X)	2	(X)
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	.....1974.....	13	(X)	8	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	—	—	—	—	Other poultry.....	—	—	—	—
.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	.....1969.....	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	4	8	21	148	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain.....	1	2	20	12	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	2	(NA)	11	(NA)	(D)	(NA)
.....1969.....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	33	60	997	1 025	1 519	1 755
.....1969.....	70	85	5 041	8 903	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	346	300	7 763	8 334	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	110	103	2 003	1 228	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	110	103	2 003	1 228	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	104	(NA)	1 227	1 204	(X)	(X)
Barries for sale.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—

	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).....	1	—	1	—	8	—	1	—
.....1969.....	—	5	16	140	200	1 993	5	16
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	1	—	2	2	(X)	(X)	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	2	5	7	141	11	563	2	58
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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.....	49	2 189	(X)	15	150	2	15	2	3	—	—
.....1969.....	58	3 795	(X)	18	622	12	258	12	62	—	—
Improved pasture.....	14	3 440	(X)	6	146	3	95	3	11	—	—
.....1969.....	20	2 883	(X)	4	115	2	30	2	5	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....	3	19	(X)	2	17	1	2	1	1	—	—
.....1969.....	6	142	(X)	5	140	3	110	3	16	1	3
Sorghums for all purposes.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oats (bushels).....	1	20	1 892	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	2	12	542	2	12	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	20	770	1 194	8	148	2	20	2	4	—	—
.....1969.....	24	620	1 213	8	153	4	197	4	48	—	—
Field seed crops.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	2	11	(D)	2	11	1	10	1	1	—	—
.....1969.....	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)	68	(NA)	9
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	57	5 025	(X)	53	5 011	46	4 742	43	2 530	18	633
.....1969.....	75	8 897	(X)	75	8 897	61	8 218	60	3 894	13	323
Land in orchards.....	242	7 245	(X)	140	4 388	131	5 099	125	1 428	11	129
.....1969.....	206	7 815	(X)	115	4 634	172	7 268	171	1 924	2	2

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.....	94	1 975	(X)	94	1 974	94	1 970	92	992	17	82
.....1969.....	93	1 213	(X)	90	1 206	92	1 208	90	731	14	99
Nursery and greenhouse products.....1974.....	85	445	(X)	61	374	63	376	59	238	15	51
.....1969.....	54	466	(X)	40	392	47	396	43	160	12	64
Other crops.....1974.....	13	768	(X)	13	768	11	720	10	98	2	67

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.....farms.....	390		378		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
.....\$1,000.....	2 598		1 907		Diseases in crops and orchards.....farms.....	126		106	
Commercial fertilizer.....farms.....	335		328		.....acres on which used.....	4 231		3 810	
.....acres on which used.....	13 086		19 718		.....\$1,000.....	316		195	
.....tons.....	6 266		7 593		Weeds or grass in crops.....farms.....	37		62	
.....\$1,000.....	1 327		818		.....acres on which used.....	3 366		3 524	
Lime.....farms.....	25		51		.....\$1,000.....	82		47	
.....acres on which used.....	1 152		904		Weeds or brush in pasture.....farms.....	1		8	
.....tons.....	1 514		1 063		.....acres on which used.....	10		106	
.....\$1,000.....	20		14		.....\$1,000.....	1		1	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land.....farms.....	16		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops.....farms.....	—		—		.....acres on which used.....	87		(NA)	
.....acres on which used.....	—		—		.....\$1,000.....	1		(NA)	
.....\$1,000.....	—		—		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops.....farms.....	183		221		of crops or thinning of fruit.....farms.....	44		44	
.....acres on which used.....	8 819		13 278		.....acres on which used.....	1 315		1 573	
.....\$1,000.....	733		760		.....\$1,000.....	17		19	
.....acres on which used.....	25		21		Insect control on livestock and poultry.....farms.....	7		24	
Nematodes in crops.....farms.....	1 818		1 225		.....\$1,000.....	1		4	
.....acres on which used.....	73		43		Other chemicals (see text).....farms.....	73		(NA)	
.....\$1,000.....	—		—		.....\$1,000.....	28		(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	Percent	Farms	Percent		Farms	Percent	Farms	Percent
Farms irrigated in census year.....farms.....	311		277		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms.....percent.....	66.0		63.9		Self-propelled sprinkler systems.....farms.....	25		(NA)	
Total land irrigated.....acres.....	12 967		15 767		.....acres.....	478		(NA)	
Average per farm.....acres.....	41.7		56.9		Other sprinkler systems.....farms.....	205		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated.....farms.....	309		274		.....acres.....	8 453		(NA)	
.....acres.....	12 821		15 652		Land in irrigated farms.....acres.....	23 538		27 526	
Harvested cropland irrigated.....farms.....	307		266		Cropland.....acres.....	14 190		18 751	
.....acres.....	12 607		15 001		Harvested cropland.....acres.....	13 175		16 291	
Cropland pasture irrigated.....farms.....	15		18		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
.....acres.....	150		622		between 1970 and 1973.....farms.....	14		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated.....farms.....	3		(NA)		.....acres irrigated in most recent year.....	1 353		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture.....farms.....	64		29		Farms with artificial drainage.....farms.....	29		56	
.....acres.....	6		4		Proportion of farms.....percent.....	6.2		12.9	
.....acres.....	146		115		Land in farms with drainage.....acres.....	2 653		6 553	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied.....acre-feet.....	22 581		26 745		Land drained.....acres.....	914		1 981	
Average per acre irrigated.....acre-feet.....	1.7		1.7		Average per farm.....acres.....	31.5		35.3	
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks.....farms.....	76		(NA)	
Furrows or ditches.....farms.....	100		(NA)		.....number.....	115		(NA)	
.....acres.....	4 146		(NA)		.....acres.....	212		(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	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
	8 891	134	5 816	98	3 075	57
Farms by size of debt owed:						
Under \$5,000.....	20	7	9	3	18	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	7	35	30	15	12	2
\$10,000 to \$29,999.....	17	55	41	18	2	18
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....						
\$50,000 and over.....						

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—							361	205	239	215
150 days or more.....	205	194	2 193	2 108	8 053	9 989	13 701	8 053	4 435	1 213
25 to 149 days.....	239	352	4 435	12 022	4 435		13 539	2 193	4 435	6 911
Less than 25 days.....	215		6 911		1 213					
Total contract labor.....	49	60	(NA)	(NA)	625	894				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor.....	20	(NA)	202	(NA)	469	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker.....							23	48	25	8
2 workers.....							17	35	13	12
3 or 4 workers.....							25	30	29	25
5 to 9 workers.....							59	35	46	40
10 workers and over.....							237	57	126	130