

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	34	37	34	37			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	56		56				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	34	48	34	48			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	50	39	50	39			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	57	58	57	58			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	69	86	69	86			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	194	309	6	11			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	29	51	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	26	24	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	47	39	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	92	195	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	12 461	6 499	12 269	6 242			
Average per farm	25 224	11 263	40 095	22 372			
Crops, including hay							
farms	331	397	254	(NA)			
\$1,000	7 777	3 136	7 704	2 963			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	22		17	4			
\$1,000	446		441	47			
Forest products							
farms	30	62	24	39			
\$1,000	313	163	309	155			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	293	340	169	185			
\$1,000	3 925	3 200	3 816	3 077			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	17	(NA)	9	20			
\$1,000	683	(NA)	680	972			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms					254	(NA)	
\$1,000					7 704	2 963	
Grains							
farms					231	213	
\$1,000					7 330	2 564	
Tobacco							
farms					-	-	
\$1,000					-	-	
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms					4	15	
\$1,000					30	39	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms					47	44	
\$1,000					206	118	
Other field crops							
farms					5	6	
\$1,000					80	80	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms					3	16	
\$1,000					45	152	
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms					14	10	
\$1,000							
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms					169	185	
\$1,000					3 816	3 077	
Poultry and poultry products							
farms					9	20	
\$1,000					680	972	
Dairy products							
farms					20	30	
\$1,000					2 162	1 178	
Cattle and calves							
farms					148	(NA)	
\$1,000					798	786	
Hogs and pigs							
farms					33	(NA)	
\$1,000					162	142	
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms					1		
\$1,000					(2)		
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms					8		
\$1,000					13		

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	254	(NA)	95	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources²		178
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹	83	(NA)	61	(NA)	farms		2 056
\$1,000	171	(NA)	136	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related		34
Customwork and other agricultural services					farms		346
farms	39	68	34	49	\$1,000		
\$1,000	128	82	108	67	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips		115
Recreational services					farms		1 342
farms	2	13	2	5	\$1,000		
\$1,000	3	10	3	3	Interest, dividends, or royalties		72
Government farm programs					farms		124
farms	20	201	17	126	\$1,000		
\$1,000	11	197	10	161	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.		46
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments					farms		191
farms	23	(NA)	10	(NA)	\$1,000		
\$1,000	22	(NA)	8	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property		15
Other farm-related sources					farms		54
farms	5	(NA)	4	(NA)	\$1,000		
\$1,000	7	(NA)	7	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹							
farms	31	(NA)	26	(NA)			
\$1,000	79	(NA)	71	(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	494	577	306	279	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	315	358	234	193
\$1,000	9 218	5 916	8 900	5 503	farms	519	199	511	184
Farms with -					\$1,000	396	510	264	256
\$1 to \$999	70	161	3	19	farms	1 686	976	1 638	910
\$1,000 to \$1,999	86	81	22		Other agricultural chemicals purchased				
\$2,000 to \$2,999	56	67	26	26	farms	251	(NA)	181	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	63	80	40	51	\$1,000	276	197	269	180
\$5,000 to \$9,999	68	69	64	64	farms	(NA)	175	75	111
\$10,000 to \$19,999	45		45	49	\$1,000	(NA)	65	71	57
\$20,000 to \$39,999	44		44	46	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business				
\$40,000 to \$59,999	32	119	32		farms	484	555	304	277
\$60,000 and over	30		30	24	\$1,000	485	309	459	273
Livestock and poultry purchased					farms	(NA)	(NA)	283	240
farms	176	208	99	113	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	233	135
\$1,000	469	714	429	666	Diesel oil				
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					farms	251	(NA)	181	(NA)
farms	289	332	152	170	\$1,000	276	197	269	180
\$1,000	1 762	1 026	1 685	963	farms	(NA)	175	75	111
Commercially mixed formula feeds					\$1,000	(NA)	65	71	57
farms	202	206	120	117	Gasoline				
\$1,000	1 243	807	1 228	778	farms	(NA)	(NA)	283	240
Feed ingredients					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	233	135
farms	(NA)	(NA)	51	58	Diesel oil				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	102	80	farms	(NA)	(NA)	205	188
Whole grains					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	145	99
farms	(NA)	(NA)	64	46	LP gas, butane, and propane				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	244	92	farms	(NA)	(NA)	34	55
Hay, green chop, and silage					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	16	13
farms	(NA)	(NA)	29	24	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	110	14	farms	(NA)	(NA)	304	277
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	65	26
farms	(NA)	(NA)	91	(NA)	Hired farm labor				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	33	(NA)	farms	143	250	116	165
					\$1,000	668	516	663	500
					Contract labor				
					farms	28	260	23	21
					\$1,000	25	181	25	29
					Machine hire and customwork				
					farms	238		182	153
					\$1,000	251		237	127
					All other production expenses				
					farms	447	450	302	270
					\$1,000	3 076	1 799	2 953	1 672

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									
farms	485	550	302	273					
\$1,000	8 612	5 064	7 378	4 047					
dollars	17 756	9 206	24 430	14 824					
Average per farm									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	3	30	3	76					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	108	242	45	71					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	131	133	47	71					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	108	78	74	61					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	36		35	31					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	66	67	65	22					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	23		23						
\$70,000 and over	10		10	12					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	348	408	231	210					
number	467	492	326	256					
mfd in last 5 years, number	298	338	230	185					
Motor trucks, including pickups	424	441	273	248					
number	679	620	497	410					
mfd in last 5 years, number	299	339	214	216					
Wheel tractors	417	464	269	244					
number	703	653	520	401					
mfd in last 5 years, number	238	296	182	208					
Crawler tractors	19		12	18					
number	21		14	18					
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	10					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines									
self-propelled	116	116	116	107					
farms	128	130	128	121					
number	40	83	40	79					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Corn heads for combines	52	54	51	17					
number	54	58	53	17					
mfd in last 5 years, number	25	25	25	14					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	53		44	30					
number	53		44	30					
mfd in last 5 years, number	6		6	8					
Mower conditioners	57	(NA)	40	(NA)					
number	60	(NA)	42	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number	19	(NA)	14	(NA)					
Pickup balers	62	44	55	33					
number	63	48	56	37					
mfd in last 5 years, number	14	23	11	17					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	55	(NA)	50	20					
number	56	(NA)	51	22					
mfd in last 5 years, number	13	(NA)	11	5					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	44	(NA)	35	19					
number	48	(NA)	39	20					
mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	9	15					

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	321	(X)	179	(X)	293	(X)	169	(X)	3 816
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	302	(X)	168	(X)	274	(X)	163	(X)	961
1969	372	(X)	183	(X)	316	(X)	173	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	287	13 503	155	11 354	255	4 955	148	4 207	798
1969	343	13 408	164	10 954	283	6 018	155	5 206	786
Farms with—									
1 to 4	24	59	8	18	71	157	27	52	11
5 to 9	32	218	3	19	62	423	26	183	31
10 to 19	71	981	24	340	59	809	38	533	107
20 to 49	81	2 488	46	1 482	41	1 187	35	1 060	213
50 to 99	48	3 199	43	2 937	14	899	14	899	165
100 to 199	20	2 713	20	2 713	4	508	4	508	104
200 to 499	9	(D)	9	(D)	4	972	4	972	167
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved	244	7 781	134	6 519	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	262	6 730	140	5 705	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	221	5 378	118	4 158	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 389	113	3 412	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	51	2 403	31	2 361	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	90	2 341	57	2 293	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	20	(X)	2 162
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	1 178
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Beef cows	221	5 378	118	4 158					
Farms with—									
1 to 4	34	76	8	15					
5 to 9	38	257	15	106					
10 to 19	68	925	33	434					
20 to 49	60	1 769	41	1 252					
50 to 99	10	637	10	637					
100 to 199	8	1 050	8	1 050					
200 to 499	3	664	3	664					
500 and over	—	—	—	—					
Milk cows	51	2 403	31	2 361					
Farms with—									
1 or 2	24	39	10	16					
3 or 4	6	19	—	—					
5 to 9	2	11	2	11					
10 to 19	—	—	—	—					
20 to 49	5	183	5	183					
50 to 99	8	516	8	516					
100 to 199	3	395	3	395					
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)					
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)					
Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)						
Cattle sold	113	2 165	574						
Farms with—									
1 to 4	34	73	17						
5 to 9	27	184	44						
10 to 19	22	304	79						
20 to 49	19	639	164						
50 to 99	8	510	149						
100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)						
200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)						
500 and over	—	—	—						
Calves sold	91	2 042	224						
Farms with—									
1 or 2	11	17	2						
3 or 4	7	26	2						
5 to 9	25	169	23						
10 to 19	20	267	35						
20 to 49	16	434	44						
50 to 99	7	452	33						
100 to 199	5	677	85						
200 to 499	—	—	—						
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	31	69 314	7	30 681	Turkeys	4	28	-	-
.....1974.....	37	113 052	11	71 505	.....1969.....	1	25	-	-
.....1969.....	31	69 314	7	30 681	Turkeys for slaughter	3	21	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production .....	-	-	-	-	.....1974.....	2	20	-	-
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed	1	1	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production .....	-	-	-	-	.....1974.....	1	1	-	-
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	Light breed	3	7	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	7	23 852	3	37 540	Turkey hens for breeding	1	10	-	-
.....1974.....	7	12	-	-	.....1969.....	3	(X)	-	(X)
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	Other poultry	6	(X)	-	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding .....	-	-	-	-	.....1974.....	-	-	-	-
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	.....1969.....	-	-	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	-	-	-	-					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	225	200	11 015	7 275	(X)	(X)
.....1974.....	24	11	706	616	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	234	256	27 424	30 382	830 367	899 392
Sorghums for all purposes	3	5	42	36	87 000	37 524
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	63	145	4 256	9 571	91 107	270 478
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	48	73	1 872	3 130	(X)	(X)
Wheat (bushels)	4	30	166	582	123	477
Other small grains for grain	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	5	(NA)	89	(NA)	8 297	(NA)
Tobacco (pounds)	5	(NA)	9	(NA)	3 072	(NA)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	127	109	2 613	2 299	5 837	5 331
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	20	29	92	332	(X)	(X)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	48	64	409	351	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	-	1	-	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	23	(NA)	93	336	(X)	(X)
Other crops						

	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)	163	108	9 388	3 765	664 874	245 436	-	-
.....1974.....	20	28	1 075	959	14 079	14 614	-	-
.....1969.....	10	4	172	2 003	(X)	(X)	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	6	4	142	373	5 978	10 432	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	17	(NA)	545	223	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	75	2 890	(X)	-	-	39	1 405	37	324	6	15
.....1974.....	131	6 388	(X)	-	-	85	3 591	85	1 069	4	7
.....1969.....	64	2 702	(X)	-	-	34	1 199	34	259	4	9
Improved pasture	46	2 276	(X)	-	-	32	1 417	32	365	4	17
.....1974.....	177	10 635	(X)	-	-	156	9 466	155	2 961	44	408
.....1969.....	126	6 727	(X)	-	-	115	6 411	115	1 955	35	247
Corn for all purposes	21	687	(X)	-	-	15	493	15	113	3	20
.....1974.....	8	596	(X)	-	-	7	589	7	127	-	-
.....1969.....	60	4 218	90 332	-	-	53	3 282	51	477	5	38
Sorghums for all purposes	130	9 362	264 865	1	3	118	8 728	(NA)	2 357	(NA)	88
.....1974.....	45	1 756	74 043	-	-	40	1 546	37	237	4	8
.....1969.....	69	2 785	180 861	-	-	64	2 657	(NA)	706	(NA)	19
Oats (bushels)	2	70	3 150	-	-	2	70	2	16	-	-
Barley (bushels)	11	299	16 427	-	-	11	299	(NA)	86	(NA)	-
.....1974.....	2	27	390	-	-	1	15	1	3	-	-
.....1969.....	2	24	680	-	-	2	24	(NA)	8	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels)	1	10	(X)	-	-	1	10	1	4	1	1
Other small grains for grain	217	27 252	825 728	-	-	172	21 999	172	5 286	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	183	29 078	867 304	1	3	156	25 603	(NA)	7 278	(NA)	9
.....1974.....	3	42	87 000	-	-	1	6	1	2	-	-
.....1969.....	1	18	27 000	-	-	1	18	(NA)	2	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	85	2 148	5 027	-	-	41	1 309	39	335	7	19
Hay crops (tons, dry)	72	1 848	4 614	-	-	44	1 304	44	391	5	17
.....1974.....	1	20	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	3	157	(X)	-	-	3	157	3	33	-	-
Field seed crops	4	166	(X)	-	-	4	166	4	31	-	-
Cotton (bales)	16	487	402	-	-	16	487	(NA)	191	(NA)	13
.....1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	89	8 285	-	-	2	89	(NA)	2	(NA)	-
.....1974.....	2	112	28 160	1	12	2	112	(NA)	119	(NA)	-
.....1969.....	3	62	(X)	1	34	3	62	3	7	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons	16	312	(X)	1	51	14	309	14	149	1	10
for sale	15	234	(X)	-	-	9	133	8	43	2	9
.....1974.....	13	101	(X)	-	-	7	58	7	33	-	-
.....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	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	17	49	(X)	3	7	10	14	11	9	2
	1969	4	41	(X)	—	—	4	41	4	3	1
Other crops	1974	1	8	(X)	—	—	1	8	1	8	—

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.				
lime	farms	271	farms	262	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	5	farms	7
	\$1,000	1 907		1 089	acres on which used	acres	220	acres	560
Commercial fertilizer	farms	265	farms	252	\$1,000	farms	4	farms	5
acres on which used	acres	41 308	acres	51 941	Weeds or grass in crops	farms	64	farms	45
	tons	10 711		15 339	acres on which used	acres	8 754	acres	6 528
	\$1,000	1 638		910	\$1,000	farms	47	farms	19
Lime	farms	75	farms	111	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	2	farms	5
acres on which used	acres	5 740	acres	7 894	acres on which used	acres	63	acres	70
	tons	6 288		9 231	\$1,000	farms	(Z)	farms	(Z)
	\$1,000	71		57	Weeds on all other land	farms	5	farms	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	acres	33	acres	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	farms	1	farms	6	\$1,000	farms	(Z)	farms	(NA)
acres on which used	acres	12	acres	77	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
	\$1,000	120		(Z)	of crops or thinning of fruit	farms	3	farms	10
Insects on other crops	farms	120	farms	149	acres on which used	acres	108	acres	192
acres on which used	acres	19 987	acres	22 817	\$1,000	farms	1	farms	(Z)
	\$1,000	125		92	Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	14	farms	49
Nematodes in crops	farms	5	farms	—	\$1,000	farms	3	farms	5
acres on which used	acres	485	acres	—	Other chemicals (see text)	farms	30	farms	(NA)
	\$1,000	6		—	\$1,000	farms	12	farms	(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	farms	3	farms	2	Land irrigated by— Continued				
Proportion of farms	percent	1.0	percent	0.7	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	1	farms	(NA)
Total land irrigated	acres	40	acres	69	acres	2	acres	(NA)	
Average per farm	acres	13.3	acres	34.5	Other sprinkler systems	farms	1	farms	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	farms	3	farms	2	acres	2	acres	(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	acres	40	acres	69	Land in irrigated farms	acres	362	acres	298
acres	acres	3	acres	2	Cropland	acres	334	acres	257
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	—	farms	—	Harvested cropland	acres	268	acres	232
Other cropland irrigated	acres	—	acres	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	—	farms	—	between 1970 and 1973	farms	—	farms	(X)
acres	acres	—	acres	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	acres	—	acres	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	30	acre-feet	31	Farms with artificial drainage	farms	38	farms	55
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	0.7	acre-feet	0.4	Proportion of farms	percent	12.4	percent	19.7
Land irrigated by—					Land in farms with drainage	acres	13 173	acres	15 897
Furrows or ditches	farms	1	farms	(NA)	Land drained	acres	1 842	acres	2 587
acres	acres	36	acres	(NA)	Average per farm	acres	48.5	acres	47.0
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	farms	38	farms	(NA)
					number	74	number	(NA)	
					acres	172	acres	(NA)	

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

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)			112	87	76			
			4 463	3 334	1 129			
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			21	11	34			
\$5,000 to \$9,999			17	21	13			
\$10,000 to \$29,999			33	27	20			
\$30,000 to \$49,999			14	10	2			
\$50,000 and over			27	18	7			

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—										
150 days or more	41	40	132	124	545	500	116	41	25	76
25 to 149 days	25	147	85	729	60	500	663	545	60	57
Less than 25 days	76	—	531	—	57	—	748	132	85	531
Total contract labor	23	21	(NA)	(NA)	25	29				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	61	(NA)	12	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							33	24	7	18
2 workers							21	5	9	10
3 or 4 workers							16	4	5	15
5 to 9 workers							21	3	2	15
10 workers and over							25	5	2	18