

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.....	60	65	60	65			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	129		129				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	114	117	114	117			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	81	152	81	152			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	51	110	51	110			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	38	60	38	60			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	75	72	5	1			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	12	9	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	8	17	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	17	15	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	38	31	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold.....							
\$1,000.....	24 517	11 243	24 449	11 165			
Average per farm..... dollars.....	44 739	19 519	51 148	22 107			
Crops, including hay.....	452	509	434	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	19 001	7 327	18 983	7 292			
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	1						
\$1,000.....	2						
Forest products.....	38	59	36	57			
\$1,000.....	396	270	395	269			
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	393	428	348	389			
\$1,000.....	5 118	3 646	5 070	3 604			
Poultry and poultry products.....	8	(NA)	6	9			
\$1,000.....	466	(NA)	466	433			
Specified products sold:							
Crops.....							
\$1,000.....					434	(NA)	
Grains.....					18 983	7 292	
\$1,000.....					370	334	
Tobacco.....					5 385	935	
\$1,000.....					203	335	
Cotton and cottonseed.....					4 237	2 150	
\$1,000.....					77	169	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....					953	303	
\$1,000.....					15	32	
Other field crops.....					44	121	
\$1,000.....					381	436	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....					7 976	3 593	
\$1,000.....					33	38	
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....					334	101	
\$1,000.....					16	84	
\$1,000.....					55	89	
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....					348	389	
\$1,000.....					5 070	3 604	
Poultry and poultry products.....					6	9	
\$1,000.....					466	433	
Dairy products.....					4	3	
\$1,000.....					160	99	
Cattle and calves.....					274	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					1 347	1 007	
Hogs and pigs.....					229	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					3 066	2 065	
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....							
\$1,000.....							
Other livestock and livestock products.....					5		
\$1,000.....					32		

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	86	(NA)	44	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹						
\$1,000.....	148	(NA)	124	(NA)		
Customwork and other agricultural services.....	44	58	44	58		
\$1,000.....	122	146	122	146		
Recreational services.....	1	5	1	5		
\$1,000.....	8	5	8	5		
Government farm programs.....	21	245	21	230		
\$1,000.....	30	549	30	537		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....	103	(NA)	79	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	345	(NA)	231	(NA)		
Other farm-related sources.....	5	(NA)	5	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	6	(NA)	6	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	44	(NA)	38	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	102	(NA)	89	(NA)		
Total family income from off-farm sources ²						
\$1,000.....					172	1 249
Nonfarm business, excluding farm-related.....					29	281
\$1,000.....					99	774
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....					75	108
\$1,000.....					28	69
Interest, dividends, or royalties.....					28	69
\$1,000.....					6	17
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....						
\$1,000.....						
Rent income of nonfarm property.....						
\$1,000.....						

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.....	546	576	478	505					
\$1,000.....	16 752	8 527	16 660	8 430					
Farms with.....									
\$1 to \$999.....	37	36	6	13					
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	36	39	13	32					
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	22	34	14	84					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	40	89	36	134					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	75	136	73	131					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	96		96	69					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	122	242	122	48					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	48		48	70					
\$60,000 and over.....	70		70						
Livestock and poultry purchased.....	174	227	144	211					
\$1,000.....	726	635	718	622					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	332	365	278	332					
\$1,000.....	1 808	1 067	1 769	1 054					
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	277	292	236	271					
\$1,000.....	1 210	565	1 190	559					
Feed ingredients.....	(NA)	(NA)	90	83					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	267	164					
Whole grains.....	(NA)	(NA)	77	94					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	301	303					
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	(NA)	(NA)	21	42					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	12	28					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	(NA)	(NA)	216	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	63	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	444	521	423	478					
\$1,000.....	913	621	910	617					
Commercial fertilizer purchased.....	487	536	444	482					
\$1,000.....	3 350	1 323	3 336	1 310					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....	326	(NA)	316	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	1 025	509	1 025	506					
Lime.....	(NA)	209	165	204					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	78	151	77					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....	500	563	459	500					
\$1,000.....	1 077	594	1 071	583					
Gasoline.....	(NA)	(NA)	286	456					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	263	236					
Diesel oil.....	(NA)	(NA)	411	374					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	462	187					
LP gas, butane, and propane.....	(NA)	(NA)	100	250					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	186	102					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....	(NA)	(NA)	459	500					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	160	58					
Hired farm labor.....	212	397	202	371					
\$1,000.....	1 101	796	1 099	786					
Contract labor.....	16	387	16	34					
\$1,000.....	43	370	43	35					
Machine hire and customwork.....	289		279	342					
\$1,000.....	513		512	329					
All other production expenses.....	538	557	478	505					
\$1,000.....	6 196	2 611	6 114	2 588					

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					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment					Grain and bean combines, self-propelled				
..... farms	521	551	464	493	..... farms	109	108	107	108
..... \$1,000	13 089	6 463	12 700	6 258	..... number	126	116	124	116
Average per farm	25 122	11 728	27 371	12 694	mfd in last 5 years, number	55	82	55	82
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines	96	154	94	87
\$1 to \$999	3	12	-	141	..... farms	100	188	98	91
\$1,000 to \$4,999	68	177	49	-	mfd in last 5 years, number	44	115	44	67
\$5,000 to \$9,999	91	122	64	116	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	66	-	62	81
\$10,000 to \$19,999	104	140	99	138	..... farms	73	-	69	92
\$20,000 to \$29,999	91	-	88	51	mfd in last 5 years, number	36	-	36	46
\$30,000 to \$49,999	106	100	106	26	Mower conditioners	44	(NA)	42	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	33	-	33	21	..... farms	46	(NA)	44	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	25	-	25	-	mfd in last 5 years, number	27	(NA)	25	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers	34	48	34	48
Automobiles	456	447	412	407	..... farms	36	49	36	49
..... farms	603	579	558	524	mfd in last 5 years, number	14	35	14	35
..... number	398	430	391	409	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	21	(NA)	21	36
mfd in last 5 years, number	484	486	434	438	..... farms	21	(NA)	21	42
Motor trucks, including pickups	850	749	796	699	mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	6	29
..... farms	396	461	385	433	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	6	(NA)	6	8
..... number	472	496	427	443	..... farms	6	(NA)	6	14
..... number	1 018	959	962	890	mfd in last 5 years, number	2	(NA)	2	11
mfd in last 5 years, number	422	569	420	538					
Crawler tractors	4	-	4	14					
..... farms	7	-	7	20					
..... number	2	-	2	11					
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	389	(X)	343	(X)	393	(X)	348	(X) 5 070
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	383	(X)	337	(X)	390	(X)	346	(X) 4 413
Cattle and calves	413	(X)	380	(X)	426	(X)	387	(X) (NA)
..... 1974	316	20 491	274	19 508	316	7 661	274	7 339 1 347
..... 1969	335	17 176	309	16 739	325	7 670	299	7 482 1 007
Farms with—								
1 to 4	10	25	8	20	63	141	46	94 14
5 to 9	10	66	10	66	52	357	40	277 45
10 to 19	48	702	33	478	91	1 228	78	1 033 151
20 to 49	121	3 712	96	2 958	76	2 154	76	2 154 377
50 to 99	64	4 335	64	4 335	25	1 555	25	1 555 255
100 to 199	45	5 814	45	5 814	5	662	5	662 120
200 to 499	15	3 937	15	3 937	3	(D)	3	(D) (D)
500 and over	3	1 900	3	1 900	1	(D)	1	(D) (D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	251	9 789	226	9 475	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1974	304	8 562	282	8 342	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969	244	9 608	219	9 294	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows	(NA)	8 262	274	8 049	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1974	22	181	22	181	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969	35	300	31	293	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows								
..... 1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X) 160
..... 1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X) 99
Dairy products sold								
..... 1974								
..... 1969								
Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
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)	
Beef cows	244	9 608	219	9 294	Cattle sold	170	3 879 924	
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4	12	26	9	21	1 to 4	46	98 19	
5 to 9	25	188	21	160	5 to 9	29	203 39	
10 to 19	60	855	44	646	10 to 19	42	559 117	
20 to 49	83	2 559	81	2 487	20 to 49	37	967 196	
50 to 99	41	2 624	41	2 624	50 to 99	10	663 137	
100 to 199	20	2 458	20	2 458	100 to 199	3	375 85	
200 to 499	3	898	3	898	200 to 499	2	(D) (D)	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	1	(D) (D)	
Milk cows	22	181	22	181	Calves sold	204	3 460 424	
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2	14	21	14	21	1 or 2	23	35 4	
3 or 4	-	-	-	-	3 or 4	15	55 7	
5 to 9	5	28	5	28	5 to 9	46	304 43	
10 to 19	1	(D)	1	(D)	10 to 19	45	819 95	
20 to 49	-	-	-	-	20 to 49	43	1 199 175	
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	10	(D) (D)	
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	-	-	
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	200 to 499	2	(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.....1974..	30	52 820	3	40 000	Turkeys.....1974..	2	5	-	-
.....1969..	42	63 313	5	37 190	.....1969..	6	23	1	4
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	30	52 722	3	40 000	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	1	2	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	6	98	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974..	1	2	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	Light breed.....1974..	-	3	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	3	78	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	2	3	-	-
.....1969..	6	52	-	-	.....1969..	5	16	1	4
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	19	58	1	1	Other poultry.....1974..	1	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	-	-	-	-	.....1969..	7	(X)	-	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	424	466	40 420	34 701	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	4	7	199	316	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	106	30	4 431	683	112 084	19 201
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	384	451	14 861	14 668	45 199 995	30 008 384
Wheat (bushels).....	5	2	283	36	3 552	820
Other small grains for grain.....	49	31	1 218	752	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	78	180	4 631	4 392	4 434	3 091
Tobacco (pounds).....	204	336	2 091	1 723	4 419 169	3 154 320
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	64	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	8	(NA)	66	(NA)	13 010	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	95	54	2 475	1 359	4 024	2 988
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	35	36	672	454	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	37	75	296	658	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	2	2	11	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	3	(NA)	2	108	(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).....	409	440	39 931	33 263	2 210 598	1 135 630	3	24	214	737
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	7	6	242	443	1 727	9 420	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	14	34	99	595	(X)	(X)	-	1	-	6
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	3	4	195	246	10 013	3 937	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	1	(NA)	4	70	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	10	-	116	-	200	-	-	-	-	-

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.....1974..	184	12 260	(X)	2	40	87	4 131	78	718	36	323
.....1969..	219	12 253	(X)	7	66	132	5 796	124	1 299	57	294
Improved pasture.....1974..	158	9 240	(X)	-	-	75	4 228	72	1 088	30	217
.....1969..	94	4 945	(X)	1	3	57	3 037	51	623	25	120
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	410	40 272	(X)	3	214	334	35 449	301	7 694	252	3 592
.....1969..	444	34 301	(X)	25	743	337	26 303	332	6 744	244	1 500
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	4	199	(X)	-	-	2	94	2	23	1	22
.....1969..	7	316	(X)	-	-	4	124	3	15	3	4
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	5	283	3 552	-	-	5	283	4	48	2	12
.....1969..	2	36	820	1	26	1	10	(NA)	2	(NA)	(Z)
Oats (bushels).....1974..	2	39	975	-	-	1	4	1	2	-	-
.....1969..	3	72	3 690	1	33	2	39	(NA)	15	(NA)	(Z)
Barley (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974..	45	1 171	20 716	1	40	40	928	40	210	23	75
.....1969..	29	680	20 154	2	42	26	626	(NA)	122	(NA)	18
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	106	4 431	112 084	-	-	68	2 970	63	615	5	48
.....1969..	30	683	19 201	1	22	24	503	(NA)	122	(NA)	10
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	384	14 861	45 199 995	15	622	283	11 203	254	2 333	33	428
.....1969..	431	14 569	29 855 963	47	1 785	328	12 267	(NA)	2 912	(NA)	58
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	93	2 435	4 004	2	14	35	745	32	248	14	104
.....1969..	53	1 353	2 976	1	10	25	508	23	134	15	40
Field seed crops.....1974..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	3	26	(X)	-	-	1	4	1	1	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	78	4 631	4 434	-	-	71	4 492	64	970	25	334
.....1969..	177	4 377	3 077	3	119	158	4 231	(NA)	1 254	(NA)	175
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	203	2 090	4 418 153	47	447	203	2 084	203	2 102	1	11
.....1969..	332	1 720	3 149 720	134	796	332	1 707	(NA)	1 702	(NA)	14
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	6	1	64	-	-	3	(Z)	3	(Z)	-	-
.....1969..	4	3	580	-	-	2	2	(NA)	4	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	34	668	(X)	8	272	17	439	17	233	1	1
.....1969..	36	454	(X)	12	157	32	412	32	249	5	5
Land in orchards.....1974..	34	288	(X)	-	-	20	193	20	45	-	-
.....1969..	73	638	(X)	2	29	43	333	42	100	3	8

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	2	11	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
1969	2	2	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Nursery and greenhouse products	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
1969	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Other crops	7	68	(X)	--	--	5	65	7	55	--	
1974	7	68	(X)	--	--	5	65	7	55	--	

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	450	4361	484	1817	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
Commercial fertilizer	444	444	475	475	Insects on hay crops	6	4		
acres on which used	67	345	56	070	Insects on other crops	104	83		
tons	21	554	17	637	acres on which used	(2)	1		
\$1,000	3	336	1	310	acres on which used	209	329		
Lime	165	165	204	204	acres on which used	19	040		
acres on which used	11	648	9	541	\$1,000	466	239		
tons	11	381	9	079	Nematodes in crops	68	83		
\$1,000	151	151	77	77	acres on which used	2	205		
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					\$1,000	39	15		
Diseases in crops and orchards	38	38	26	26					
acres on which used	2	369	959	959	Weeds or grass in crops	179	179		
\$1,000	53	53	9	9	acres on which used	21	588		
acres on which used	179	179	229	229	\$1,000	265	265		
acres on which used	21	588	14	069	acres on which used	6	6		
\$1,000	265	265	136	136	acres on which used	287	287		
acres on which used	6	6	12	12	tons	1	1		
acres on which used	287	287	276	276	acres on which used	7	7		(NA)
\$1,000	1	1	1	1	acres on which used	84	84		(NA)
acres on which used	7	7	(NA)	(NA)	\$1,000	(2)	(2)		(NA)
acres on which used	84	84	(NA)	(NA)	Weeds on all other land	27	27		87
\$1,000	(2)	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	acres on which used	1	1		87
acres on which used	27	27	87	87	acres on which used	1	1		87
acres on which used	1	1	87	87	\$1,000	1	1		87
\$1,000	1	1	87	87	acres on which used	27	27		2
acres on which used	27	27	87	87	acres on which used	8	8		16
\$1,000	8	8	16	16	acres on which used	27	27		94
acres on which used	27	27	94	94	acres on which used	4	4		10
\$1,000	4	4	10	10	acres on which used	47	47		(NA)
acres on which used	47	47	(NA)	(NA)	acres on which used	38	38		(NA)
\$1,000	38	38	(NA)	(NA)	\$1,000				(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	64	64	160	160	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	13.4	13.4	31.6	31.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	9	9		(NA)
Total land irrigated	1	649	3	883	acres	425	425		(NA)
Average per farm	25.8	25.8	24.2	24.2	Other sprinkler systems	53	53		(NA)
Cropland irrigated	1	649	3	880	acres	1	209		(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	1	606	3	789	Land in irrigated farms	25	497		58
Cropland pasture irrigated	2	43	7	159	acres	17	706		33
Other cropland irrigated	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Harvested cropland	13	473		23
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	3	3	25	25	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	45	45		(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	1	906	1	876	acres irrigated in most recent year	868	868		(X)
Average per acre irrigated	1.2	1.2	0.5	0.5	Farms with artificial drainage	39	39		30
Land irrigated by—					Proportion of farms	8.2	8.2		5.9
Furrows or ditches	3	3	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	22	451		11
acres	45	45	(NA)	(NA)	acres	1	021		1
					Average per farm	26.2	26.2		61.9
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	219	219		(NA)
					number	633	633		(NA)
					acres	2	290		(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)			151	151	124	124	71	71
Farms by size of debt owed:			6	888	5	523	1	365
Under \$5,000			17	17	12	12	20	20
\$5,000 to \$9,999			19	19	19	19	16	16
\$10,000 to \$29,999			54	54	48	48	23	23
\$30,000 to \$49,999			19	19	15	15	3	3
\$50,000 and over			42	42	30	30	9	9

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	81	101	193	164	704	786	202	81	64	128	
25 to 149 days	64	334	428	2	193	786	1	099	704	193	
Less than 25 days	128	34	1	752	202	35	2	373	193	428	
Total contract labor	16	34	(NA)	(NA)	43	35					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	2	(NA)	52	(NA)	(D)	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker	31	41	17	12							
2 workers	21	19	6	9							
3 or 4 workers	21	12	14	9							
5 to 9 workers	36	6	10	26							
10 workers and over	93	3	17	72							