

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.....	31	48	31	48			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	48	44	48	44			
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	39	44	39	44			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	65	50	64	50			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	65	73	65	73			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	41	89	41	88			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	136	240	6	14			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	25	33	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	16	24	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	25	46	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	70	137	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000.....	12 482	7 808	12 328	7 583			
Average per farm..... dollars.....	29 370	14 352	41 932	23 919			
Crops, including hay							
farms.....	291	374	249	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	7 735	3 219	7 681	3 123			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms.....	1	1	1	1			
\$1,000.....	3	3	3	3			
Forest products							
farms.....	72	72	61	57			
\$1,000.....	454	316	446	307			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms.....	324	373	226	252			
\$1,000.....	4 290	4 273	4 198	4 153			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms.....	15	(NA)	13	20			
\$1,000.....	630	(NA)	630	1 279			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms.....	249	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	7 681	3 123					
Grains							
farms.....	237	217					
\$1,000.....	4 449	1 010					
Tobacco							
farms.....	-	-					
\$1,000.....	-	-					
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms.....	72	155					
\$1,000.....	1 388	656					
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms.....	34	37					
\$1,000.....	348	154					
Other field crops							
farms.....	56	65					
\$1,000.....	627	247					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms.....	51	87					
\$1,000.....	650	550					
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms.....	14	50					
\$1,000.....	220	506					
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms.....	226	252					
\$1,000.....	4 198	4 153					
Poultry and poultry products							
farms.....	13	20					
\$1,000.....	630	1 279					
Dairy products							
farms.....	15	26					
\$1,000.....	1 057	698					
Cattle and calves							
farms.....	176	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	722	1 425					
Hogs and pigs							
farms.....	120	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	1 782	751					
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms.....	-	-					
\$1,000.....	-	-					
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms.....	9	12					
\$1,000.....	6	15					

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	148	(NA)	64	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹						
farms.....	149	(NA)	109	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	287	(NA)	240	(NA)		1 719
Customwork and other agricultural services						
farms.....	48	62	33	43		24
\$1,000.....	146	82	119	76		246
Recreational services						
farms.....	9	6	9	6		133
\$1,000.....	3	4	3	4		1 263
Government farm programs						
farms.....	83	301	69	198		
\$1,000.....	65	997	52	924		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments						
farms.....	39	(NA)	25	(NA)		61
\$1,000.....	62	(NA)	55	(NA)		119
Other farm-related sources						
farms.....	11	(NA)	9	(NA)		31
\$1,000.....	10	(NA)	10	(NA)		76
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹						
farms.....	51	(NA)	36	(NA)		12
\$1,000.....	119	(NA)	94	(NA)		15
Total family income from off-farm sources²						
farms.....						179
\$1,000.....						1 719
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related						
farms.....						24
\$1,000.....						246
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips						
farms.....						133
\$1,000.....						1 263
Interest, dividends, or royalties						
farms.....						61
\$1,000.....						119
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.						
farms.....						31
\$1,000.....						76
Rent income of nonfarm property						
farms.....						12
\$1,000.....						15

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.....	424	544	294	317					
\$1,000.....	9 708	6 740	9 489	6 429					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999.....	50	122	5	27					
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	49	87	12	27					
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	53	53	21	27					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	54	76	41	62					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	70	69	68	64					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	53	65	52	65					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	35	29	35	29					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	21	137	21	43					
\$60,000 and over.....	39		39						
Livestock and poultry purchased									
farms.....	166	191	122	142					
\$1,000.....	387	607	365	592					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased									
farms.....	299	331	202	215					
\$1,000.....	1 755	1 186	1 712	1 151					
Commercially mixed formula feeds									
farms.....	218	219	157	162					
\$1,000.....	1 136	722	1 118	704					
Feed ingredients									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	73	77					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	154	166					
Whole grains									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	76	58					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	373	270					
Hay, green chop, and silage									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	36	31					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	67	11					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	124	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	35	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased									
farms.....	310	408	250	270					
\$1,000.....	397	171	390	159					
Commercial fertilizer purchased									
farms.....	370	483	260	299					
\$1,000.....	1 933	1 073	1 880	1 011					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased									
farms.....	207	(NA)	175	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	937	421	933	408					
Lime									
farms.....	(NA)	139	81	108					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	54	126	51					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business									
farms.....	395	522	284	313					
\$1,000.....	493	334	466	300					
Gasoline									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	240	281					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	205	155					
Diesel oil									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	213	198					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	159	96					
LP gas, butane, and propane									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	17	34					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	12	18					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil									
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	284	313					

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.....	393	510	268	310					
..... \$1,000.....	8 608	5 032	7 688	4 287					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	21 903	9 867	28 688	13 829					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	6	56	4	89					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	88	175	45	80					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	104	120	43	74					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	58	92	45	29					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	36		34	19					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	51	67	49	19					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	27		25	19					
\$70,000 and over.....	23		23						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	295	370	204	233					
..... number.....	419	473	308	311					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	221	299	192	210					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	329	434	231	278					
..... number.....	575	651	465	480					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	235	392	211	294					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	347	438	248	289					
..... number.....	635	754	532	569					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	217	362	212	308					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	16		12	14					
..... number.....	21		17	14					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4		4	7					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	89	93	87	88					
..... number.....	96	104	94	99					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	41	58	41	53					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	72	75	70	57					
..... number.....	74	90	72	60					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	33	52	33	37					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	42		37	24					
..... number.....	42		37	28					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16		14	15					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	45	(NA)	36	(NA)					
..... number.....	49	(NA)	40	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15	(NA)	10	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	59	63	53	55					
..... number.....	61	68	55	60					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	21	36	19	31					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	29	(NA)	25	33					
..... number.....	29	(NA)	25	34					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	(NA)	4	16					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	18	(NA)	18	13					
..... number.....	29	(NA)	29	18					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	(NA)	9	12					

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.....	335	(X)	231	(X)	324	(X)	226	(X) 4 198
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	326	(X)	224	(X)	320	(X)	225	(X) 2 504
..... 1969.....	386	(X)	246	(X)	365	(X)	247	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	260	17 114	180	15 231	244	5 112	176	4 599 722
..... 1969.....	304	15 463	202	13 925	297	12 139	208	11 430 1 425
Farms with—								
1 to 4..... 1974.....	19	55	8	28	47	118	23	53 8
..... 1974.....	19	127	11	75	49	331	24	177 38
5 to 9..... 1974.....	35	502	13	209	59	834	43	605 93
..... 1974.....	72	2 214	47	1 530	64	1 870	61	1 805 298
10 to 19..... 1974.....	60	3 746	46	2 919	20	1 269	20	1 269 183
..... 1974.....	34	4 548	34	4 548	5	690	5	690 102
20 to 49..... 1974.....	21	5 922	21	5 922	-	-	-	- -
..... 1974.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- -
50 to 99..... 1974.....	227	8 505	167	7 556	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	261	8 206	187	7 575	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
100 to 199..... 1974.....	208	7 170	150	6 230	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	6 685	160	6 103	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
200 to 499..... 1974.....	29	1 335	22	1 326	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	61	1 521	42	1 472	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	15	(X) 1 057
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	26	(X) 698
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.....	208	7 170	150	6 230	Cattle sold.....	130	2 436	515
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	17	48	9	28	1 to 4.....	19	38	10
5 to 9.....	22	150	12	83	5 to 9.....	34	224	53
10 to 19.....	47	620	27	361	10 to 19.....	36	473	96
20 to 49.....	74	2 260	56	1 766	20 to 49.....	36	1 118	258
50 to 99.....	35	2 217	33	2 117	50 to 99.....	2	111	19
100 to 199.....	10	1 175	10	1 175	100 to 199.....	3	472	80
200 to 499.....	3	700	3	700	200 to 499.....	-	-	-
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-	-
Milk cows.....	29	1 335	22	1 326	Calves sold.....	128	2 163	207
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	12	14	5	5	1 or 2.....	16	24	3
3 or 4.....	-	-	-	-	3 or 4.....	12	43	5
5 to 9.....	2	14	2	14	5 to 9.....	20	139	16
10 to 19.....	1	15	1	15	10 to 19.....	32	427	49
20 to 49.....	5	153	5	153	20 to 49.....	44	1 251	127
50 to 99.....	3	248	3	248	50 to 99.....	4	279	7
100 to 199.....	5	(D)	5	(D)	100 to 199.....	-	-	-
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	-	-	-
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	35	44 575	9	95 719	Turkeys	-	-	-	-
1969	46	213 160	14	(D)	1969	1	6	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	35	44 496	9	95 719	Turkeys for slaughter	-	-	-	-
1969	4	79	-	-	Heavy breed	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	-	-	-	-	Light breed	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	-	-	-	-	1969	1	6	-	-
1969	3	42	2	(D)	1974	-	(X)	-	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	18	86	-	-	1969	1	(X)	-	(X)
1974	1	30	-	-					
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	288	348	17 013	15 939	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	17	19	479	577	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	156	100	15 310	6 805	360 445	177 358
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	55	63	1 207	1 300	3 368 108	2 015 087
Wheat (bushels)	90	80	5 588	2 240	138 360	87 712
Other small grains for grain	85	122	4 100	6 009	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	74	205	6 578	8 725	6 612	7 103
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	6	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	12	(NA)	27	(NA)	3 003	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	127	134	3 907	3 258	11 611	9 545
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	60	102	3 956	4 228	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	27	58	1 342	3 058	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	-	1	-	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	36	(NA)	1 468	2 392	(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)	218	223	14 523	12 710	810 303	450 977	1	-	100	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	21	23	1 286	1 154	16 030	17 830	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	13	26	419	495	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	8	5	217	115	4 724	4 400	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	8	(NA)	257	235	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1	7	12	126	24	138	-	-	-	-

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	168	14 361	(X)	-	-	78	4 801	63	941	32	266
1969	183	14 109	(X)	1	27	121	6 933	107	1 399	55	598
Improved pasture	51	3 826	(X)	-	-	21	1 430	20	337	7	36
1969	50	5 006	(X)	-	-	28	1 426	23	286	12	56
Corn for all purposes	224	16 228	(X)	1	100	187	13 539	179	3 715	106	1 020
1969	234	14 359	(X)	-	-	181	11 478	174	3 109	104	1 038
Sorghums for all purposes	16	474	(X)	-	-	13	389	13	103	3	11
1969	12	350	(X)	-	-	10	305	10	80	4	9
Wheat (bushels)	90	5 588	138 360	-	-	76	5 007	68	1 026	44	421
1969	79	2 237	87 622	-	-	73	2 184	(NA)	492	(NA)	148
Oats (bushels)	22	593	31 380	-	-	13	385	12	78	7	29
1969	41	1 748	114 619	-	-	36	1 678	(NA)	346	(NA)	130
Barley (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	5	71	4 070	-	-	5	71	(NA)	18	(NA)	5
Rye (bushels)	69	3 284	63 633	-	-	55	2 766	49	537	32	237
1969	86	3 674	85 755	-	-	73	2 865	(NA)	604	(NA)	247
Other small grains for grain	8	182	(X)	-	-	7	147	6	4	1	2
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	151	15 254	359 379	-	-	88	8 540	84	1 322	6	58
1969	83	6 600	172 845	-	-	50	3 005	(NA)	487	(NA)	15
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	51	1 197	3 359 250	-	-	42	1 099	42	325	-	-
1969	60	1 293	2 011 887	2	58	53	1 137	(NA)	227	(NA)	13
Hay crops (tons, dry)	105	3 655	10 997	-	-	50	1 876	39	483	32	207
1969	107	2 987	8 981	-	-	62	1 353	50	317	39	197
Field seed crops	5	465	(X)	-	-	3	360	3	105	2	10
1969	12	764	(X)	-	-	10	602	9	68	4	85
Cotton (bales)	73	6 573	6 611	-	-	72	6 552	66	1 950	41	467
1969	155	8 346	6 887	-	-	150	8 280	(NA)	2 421	(NA)	633
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(Z)	6	-	-	1	-	1	(Z)	1	-
1969	3	1	35	-	-	1	-	(NA)	1	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	53	3 948	(X)	-	-	33	2 009	32	482	1	2
1969	82	4 091	(X)	-	-	63	3 430	61	677	6	62
Land in orchards	24	1 340	(X)	-	-	9	1 226	9	111	5	5
1969	45	2 993	(X)	-	-	28	2 203	27	396	4	3

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	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	2	(X)	—	—	1	2	1	1	—	—
Other crops	39	1 026	(X)	—	—	14	332	14	52	3	7

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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime			Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
farms	264	305	Diseases in crops and orchards	6	4
\$1,000	2 813	1 419	farms	2 028	522
Commercial fertilizer	260	292	acres on which used	38	4
farms	50 537	48 352	\$1,000	93	121
acres on which used	14 366	14 431	Weeds or grass in crops	19 813	13 935
tons	1 880	1 011	farms	222	71
\$1,000	81	108	acres on which used	8	11
farms	8 711	6 846	Weeds or brush in pasture	824	686
acres on which used	9 793	6 786	farms	4	1
tons	126	51	acres on which used	3	(NA)
\$1,000	2	4	Weeds on all other land	39	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			farms	(Z)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	55	407	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
farms	(Z)	2	of crops or thinning of fruit	13	47
acres on which used	85	160	farms	2 460	3 996
\$1,000	21 939	15 835	acres on which used	11	18
acres on which used	503	253	\$1,000	24	63
tons	5	4	Insect control on livestock and poultry	10	7
\$1,000	226	64	Other chemicals (see text)	36	(NA)
farms	3	(Z)	farms	16	(NA)
acres on which used			\$1,000		

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 irrigated in census year	1	2	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms	0.3	0.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	(NA)
Total land irrigated	100	85	farms	100	(NA)
Average per farm	100.0	42.5	acres	—	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	1	2	Other sprinkler systems	—	(NA)
farms	100	85	farms	—	(NA)
acres	1	2	Land in irrigated farms	610	2 694
Harvested cropland irrigated	100	58	farms	(D)	1 740
farms	—	27	acres	421	1 376
acres	—	(NA)	Harvested cropland	—	(X)
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	1	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
farms	—	2	between 1970 and 1973	—	(X)
acres	—	1	farms	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	(X)
farms	—	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	8	14
acres	—	(NA)	Proportion of farms	2.7	4.4
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	2 541	7 933
farms	—	—	farms	390	525
acres	—	—	Land drained	48.8	37.5
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	33	58	acres	—	—
Average per acre irrigated	0.3	0.7	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
Land irrigated by—			tanks	74	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	—	(NA)	farms	152	(NA)
acres	—	(NA)	number	1 081	(NA)
			acres	—	(NA)

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)	106	76	58
farms	9 059	6 674	2 384
\$1,000			
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	20	7	24
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	6	11
\$10,000 to \$29,999	24	20	8
\$30,000 to \$49,999	8	8	4
\$50,000 and over	39	35	11

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	66	101	157	212	638	755	143	66	42	79	
25 to 149 days	42	184	302	969	187		Cash wages paid—\$1,000	870	638	187	45
Less than 25 days	79		436		45		46	Number of workers	895	157	302
Total contract labor	19	33	(NA)	(NA)	13	204					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	5	(NA)	19	(NA)	5	(NA)	Farms with—				
							1 worker	42	28	19	25
							2 workers	26	17	14	15
							3 or 4 workers	31	15	3	13
							5 to 9 workers	23	3	4	12
							10 workers and over	21	3	2	14