





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
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	96	101	87	97					
..... \$1,000.....	4 293	2 369	4 207	2 362					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	44 718	23 452	48 358	24 349					
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	—	1	—	17					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	4	20	2	9					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	13	9	9	18					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	6	18	5	21					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	16	—	14	25					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	27	53	27	7					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	12	—	12	—					
\$70,000 and over.....	18	—	18	—					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles..... farms.....	85	93	79	90					
..... number.....	124	122	116	119					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	86	86	83	84					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	93	99	85	96					
..... number.....	261	235	253	232					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	101	95	99	94					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	90	93	82	85					
..... number.....	260	324	244	208					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	55	73	54	57					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	61	—	58	74					
..... number.....	86	—	83	110					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	—	2	16					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	49	55	49	54					
..... number.....	58	67	58	66					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	13	6	13					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	—	3	—	2					
..... number.....	—	3	—	2					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	3	—	2					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	1	—	1	1					
..... number.....	1	—	1	1					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	9	(NA)	9	(NA)					
..... number.....	10	(NA)	10	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	(NA)	6	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	67	67	65	67					
..... number.....	97	87	95	87					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	45	50	45	50					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	62	(NA)	61	51					
..... number.....	75	(NA)	74	61					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	40	(NA)	40	41					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	2	(NA)	2	3					
..... number.....	5	(NA)	5	3					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	3	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.....	64	(X)	58	(X)	56	(X)	51	(X)	2 157
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	58	(X)	53	(X)	56	(X)	51	(X)	2 138
..... 1969.....	64	(X)	63	(X)	66	(X)	65	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	58	13 309	53	13 206	55	6 995	51	6 972	1 479
..... 1969.....	62	11 525	61	11 523	62	6 579	62	6 579	1 101
<b>Farms with—</b>									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	2	7	1	4	4	10	3	8	2
5 to 9..... 1974.....	2	11	2	11	3	17	1	6	2
10 to 19..... 1974.....	5	72	4	55	7	87	6	77	16
20 to 49..... 1974.....	11	329	8	246	12	398	12	398	98
50 to 99..... 1974.....	7	559	7	559	8	667	8	667	143
100 to 199..... 1974.....	10	1 384	10	1 384	12	1 644	12	1 644	318
200 to 499..... 1974.....	12	3 874	12	3 874	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
500 and over..... 1974.....	9	7 073	9	7 073	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	54	6 769	49	6 712	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	58	5 723	57	5 722	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	53	6 710	48	6 654	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	5 669	55	5 668	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	12	59	11	58	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	15	54	15	54	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)	17
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	(D)
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
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.....	53	6 710	48	6 654	Cattle sold.....	47	5 422	1 268	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	3	9	2	7	1 to 4.....	4	9	2	
5 to 9.....	5	32	3	18	5 to 9.....	3	19	6	
10 to 19.....	3	39	2	25	10 to 19.....	5	64	14	
20 to 49.....	12	358	11	332	20 to 49.....	10	352	86	
50 to 99.....	8	556	8	556	50 to 99.....	10	751	170	
100 to 199.....	10	1 465	10	1 465	100 to 199.....	8	1 053	220	
200 to 499.....	9	2 511	9	2 511	200 to 499.....	5	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	3	1 740	3	1 740	500 and over.....	2	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows.....	12	59	11	58	Calves sold.....	27	1 550	211	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	7	7	6	6	1 or 2.....	4	6	1	
3 or 4.....	1	4	1	4	3 or 4.....	—	—	—	
5 to 9.....	3	19	3	19	5 to 9.....	4	25	4	
10 to 19.....	—	—	—	—	10 to 19.....	4	57	12	
20 to 49.....	1	29	1	29	20 to 49.....	3	112	21	
50 to 99.....	—	—	—	—	50 to 99.....	6	401	80	
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199.....	5	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	—	—	—	

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.....	46	3 152	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	3	44	10
.....1969.....	54	2 927	.....1969.....	--	--	(NA)
Beef heifers .....	45	3 142	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	1	10	1 to 9 .....	2	9	3
.....1974.....			10 to 19 .....	--	--	--
.....1969.....			20 to 49 .....	1	35	7
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	49	3 342	50 to 99 .....	--	--	--
.....1974.....	59	2 874	100 to 199 .....	--	--	--
.....1969.....			200 to 499 .....	--	--	--
			500 and over .....	--	--	--

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 .....	5	36	5	36	4	154	4	154	9
.....1974.....	13	768	13	768	12	803	12	803	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	2	5	2	5	1	2	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9 .....	1	5	1	5	1	8	1	8	(Z)
10 to 24 .....	2	26	2	26	--	--	--	--	--
25 to 49 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
50 to 99 .....	--	--	--	--	2	144	2	144	8
100 to 199 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
200 to 499 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
500 and over .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	--	--	--	--	--
.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	104	3	104	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Sheep and lambs .....	8	14 227	7	14 209	8	15 779	7	15 761	(NA)
.....1974.....	5	(D)	4	1 114	2	(D)	1	(D)	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	13 379	1 125 419
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	(X)	650
.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	--
.....1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	--
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	(NA)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	(NA)	(NA)	--	--	(NA)
.....1969.....									
Horses and ponies .....	30	180	28	162	3	4	3	4	1
.....1974.....	58	345	(NA)	(NA)	12	25	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....									

  

	Inventory				Inventory			
	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
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding .....	3	11			3	18	3	18
.....1974.....	9	75			9	68	9	68
.....1969.....	5	25			3	9	3	9
Other hogs and pigs .....	11	693			5	21	5	21
.....1974.....	6	3 088			3	9	3	9
.....1969.....	7	10 920			7	47	7	47
Lambs under 1 year old .....	7	201						
Ewes 1 year old or older .....								
Rams and wethers .....								

<sup>1</sup>Pounds 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 .....	15	(X)	13	(X)	2	(X)	2	(X)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(X)	18	(X)	(NA)	(X)	2	(X)
.....1969.....								
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	14	449	12	395	2	6	2	6
.....1974.....	18	722	17	704	2	85	2	85
.....1969.....								
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	14	344	12	290	2	6	2	6
.....1974.....	18	703	17	685	2	85	2	85
.....1969.....								
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	14	344	12	290	2	6	2	6
100 to 399 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
400 to 1,599 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1,600 to 3,199 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
3,200 to 9,999 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
10,000 to 19,999 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
20,000 to 49,999 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
50,000 to 99,999 .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
100,000 and over .....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Broilers and other meat-type chickens .....	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1974.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969.....								
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	(Z)	2	(Z)
.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	3	1
.....1969.....								

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	12	290	2	6	Turkeys	1	8	-	-
1969	17	485	2	85	1969	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	12	290	2	6	Turkeys for slaughter	1	8	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	-	-	-	-	1974	1	8	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	Light breed	1	8	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	60	-	-	1974	-	-	-	-
1969	1	4	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	8	45	-	-	1969	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	-	-	1974	1	(X)	-	(X)
1969	-	-	-	-	1969	3	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	-	-	-	-	1974	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	-	-	1969	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	4	3	228	180	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	50	77	13 339	12 732	163 978	195 675
Other small grains for grain	53	58	12 705	8 927	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	87	91	54 847	39 762	69 247	64 575
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	-	60	-	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	2	-	4	-	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	-	1	-	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops	11	(NA)	1 314	413	(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)	2	-	120	-	8 500	-	2	120
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	4	3	108	180	2 660	1 430	4	108
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	-	(NA)	-	-	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	81	88	53 087	36 663	67 288	60 323	26	31
								5 254
								4 442

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	27	4 713	(X)	10	1 602	1	279	1	17	-	-
1969	51	10 274	(X)	13	1 930	4	440	4	45	-	-
Improved pasture	11	5 970	(X)	1	279	1	85	1	8	-	-
1969	22	8 017	(X)	2	110	1	563	1	77	-	-
Corn for all purposes	4	228	(X)	4	228	2	160	1	18	1	6
1969	3	180	(X)	3	180	3	180	3	13	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	50	13 339	163 978	7	3 294	18	3 273	9	216	10	108
1969	76	12 722	195 525	12	756	9	872	(NA)	100	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels)	6	158	2 710	1	5	2	101	2	11	-	-
1969	10	874	20 629	3	140	2	20	(NA)	2	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels)	50	12 462	265 154	9	1 415	20	6 329	10	154	11	143
1969	46	6 921	200 361	9	652	5	517	(NA)	33	(NA)	2
Rye (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	1	50	500	1	50	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	1	60	(X)	1	60	1	60	1	6	-	-
Other small grains for grain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	81	54 567	68 893	26	5 729	21	13 089	20	968	2	11
1969	89	39 037	63 493	33	4 743	17	6 235	17	813	-	-
Field seed crops	7	360	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	7	403	(X)	2	110	1	80	1	4	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	25	8 750	1	25	1	25	(NA)	10	(NA)	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	60	(X)	1	30	1	30	1	15	-	-
1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops .....	1974	4	954	(X)	3	212	1	100	1	10	-

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 .....	59	342	58	91	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con-	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer .....	48	31	31	31	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	-	-	-	-
acres on which used .....	23 506	9 660	9 660	1 187	acres on which used .....	-	-	-	-
Lime .....	292	80	80	-	Weeds or grass in crops .....	16	28	16	28
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	-	-	-	-	acres on which used .....	1 387	1 291	1 387	1 291
Insects on hay crops .....	18	20	8	8	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	18	6	18	6
Insects on other crops .....	5 933	20	8	8	acres on which used .....	5	15	5	15
Nematodes in crops .....	7	990	7	7	acres on which used .....	456	819	456	819
	-	7	-	-	tons .....	2	3	2	3
	-	-	-	-	Weeds on all other land .....	8	(NA)	8	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	acres on which used .....	222	(NA)	222	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	tons .....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	acres on which used .....	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	6	19	6	19
	-	-	-	-	tons .....	1	2	1	2
	-	-	-	-	Other chemicals (see text) .....	3	(NA)	3	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	tons .....	1	(NA)	1	(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 .....	35	13 104	40	9 131	Land irrigated by—Continued	-	-	-	-
Proportion of farms .....	40.2	374.4	39.6	228.2	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	35	35	39	39	acres .....	200	(NA)	200	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	12 825	10 973	9 021	7 037	Other sprinkler systems .....	10	(NA)	10	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	30	10 973	36	7 037	acres .....	3 153	(NA)	3 153	(NA)
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	1 602	1 602	13	13	Land in irrigated farms .....	105 572	93 636	105 572	93 636
Other cropland irrigated .....	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	Cropland .....	50 811	54 710	50 811	54 710
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	250	250	54	54	Harvested cropland .....	43 339	31 528	43 339	31 528
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	21 534	16 197	16 197	16 197	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	-	(X)	-	(X)
Average per acre irrigated .....	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.8	between 1970 and 1973 .....	1	(X)	1	(X)
Land irrigated by—	-	-	-	-	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	58	(X)	58	(X)
Furrows or ditches .....	11	11	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage .....	-	6	-	6
acres .....	3 330	3 330	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms .....	-	5.9	-	5.9
	-	-	-	-	Land in farms with drainage .....	-	4 970	-	4 970
	-	-	-	-	Land drained .....	-	844	-	844
	-	-	-	-	Average per farm .....	-	140.6	-	140.6
	-	-	-	-	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	tanks .....	15	(NA)	15	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	number .....	51	(NA)	51	(NA)
	-	-	-	-	acres .....	89	(NA)	89	(NA)

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000					
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....		55	42	34	822	4	4
Farms by size of debt owed:		4 652	3 830	7	15	4	4
Under \$5,000 .....		3	4	7	15	4	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		3	11	8	4	4	4
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....		17	8	19	4	4	4
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....		8	19	4	4	4	4
\$50,000 and over .....		24	19	4	4	4	4

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—							64	35	33	30
150 days or more .....	35	33	99	56	418	225	555	418	110	27
25 to 149 days .....	33	55	93	159	110	27	312	99	93	120
Less than 25 days .....	30	(NA)	120	(NA)	27	11				
Total contract labor .....	12	10	(NA)	(NA)	40	11				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	6	(NA)	16	(NA)	21	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker .....							16	13	8	9
2 workers .....							8	10	7	5
3 or 4 workers .....							16	7	15	7
5 to 9 workers .....							18	3	3	8
10 workers and over .....							6	2	-	1