

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	40	59	40	59			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	81		81				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	92	84	92	84			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	139	121	139	121			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	95	109	95	109			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	63	96	63	96			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	153	196	5	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	37	28	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	33	47	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	35	42	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	48	79	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	24 494	21 154	24 294	20 933			
Average per farm	36 945	31 809	47 173	43 976			
Crops, including hay	416	454	357	(NA)			
\$1,000	10 040	4 608	9 972	4 385			
Nursery and greenhouse products	15		15	7			
\$1,000	566		566	129			
Forest products	1	3	1	3			
\$1,000	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	453	486	356	373			
\$1,000	13 889	16 545	13 756	16 418			
Poultry and poultry products	14	(NA)	7	24			
\$1,000	8	(NA)	5	263			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000	357	(NA)	357	(NA)			
Grains	9 972	4 385	9 972	4 385			
\$1,000	224	224	224	224			
Tobacco	1 506	383	1 506	383			
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	192	160	192	160			
\$1,000	1 579	480	1 579	480			
Other field crops	45	57	45	57			
\$1,000	3 117	1 418	3 117	1 418			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	63	54	63	54			
\$1,000	1 242	597	1 242	597			
Fruits, nuts, and berries	63	98	63	98			
\$1,000	2 527	1 507	2 527	1 507			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	356	373	356	373			
\$1,000	13 756	16 418	13 756	16 418			
Poultry and poultry products	7	24	7	24			
\$1,000	5	263	5	263			
Dairy products	157	192	157	192			
\$1,000	3 990	1 784	3 990	1 784			
Cattle and calves	328	(NA)	328	(NA)			
\$1,000	9 186	14 040	9 186	14 040			
Hogs and pigs	43	(NA)	43	(NA)			
\$1,000	248	331	248	331			
Sheep, lambs, and wool	32		32				
\$1,000	133		133				
Other livestock and livestock products	24		24				
\$1,000	195		195				

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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	225	(NA)	103	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	189	(NA)	168	(NA)			
\$1,000	530	(NA)	489	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services	78	97	76	78			
\$1,000	189	245	189	226			
Recreational services	1	3	1	2			
\$1,000	6	2	6	2			
Government farm programs	37	189	36	170			
\$1,000	44	205	44	197			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	68	(NA)	51	(NA)			
\$1,000	269	(NA)	231	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	31	(NA)	28	(NA)			
\$1,000	21	(NA)	19	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	66	(NA)	61	(NA)			
\$1,000	143	(NA)	135	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources ²							
\$1,000							
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related							
\$1,000							
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips							
\$1,000							
Interest, dividends, or royalties							
\$1,000							
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	662	665	515	476					
\$1,000	18 552	18 693	18 209	18 393					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999	36	74	1	23					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	69	88	20	37					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	53	66	34	60					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	90	74	60	60					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	131	153	117	146					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	109		109	103					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	96		96	62					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	27	210	27	45					
\$60,000 and over	51		51						
Livestock and poultry purchased	255	259	180	187					
\$1,000	3 690	7 522	3 619	7 481					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	398	437	302	324					
\$1,000	4 077	2 314	4 014	2 279					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	251	274	212	222					
\$1,000	1 344	753	1 322	741					
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	63	65					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	351	69					
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	141	121					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 527	1 136					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	96	112					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	815	333					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	253	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	229	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	367	339	306	283					
\$1,000	248	139	241	135					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	376	437	326	361					
\$1,000	1 009	486	994	470					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	296	(NA)	251	(NA)					
\$1,000	309	244	305	240					
Lime	(NA)								
\$1,000	(NA)								
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	634	659	512	475					
\$1,000	854	484	826	454					
Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	499	470					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	473	302					
Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	287	205					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	234	90					
L.P. gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	77	85					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	16					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	512	475					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	83	46					
Hired farm labor	302	384	262	320					
\$1,000	1 795	1 150	1 779	1 129					
Contract labor	64	67	60	68					
\$1,000	179	667	178	205					
Machine hire and customwork	432		345	351					
\$1,000	548		524	435					
All other production expenses	645	612	515	476					
\$1,000	5 845	5 687	5 499	5 564					

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	640	651	503	471	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	79	51	77	48
farms	13 673	5 879	12 484	5 194	number	82	54	80	51
dollars	21 364	9 030	24 818	11 027	mfd in last 5 years, number	9	18	9	17
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines	5	27	5	1
\$1 to \$999	1	23	1	173	number	5	29	5	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999	140	292	75		mfd in last 5 years, number	1	4	1	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	104	125	74		Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	44		41	25
\$10,000 to \$19,999	142	132	109		number	45		42	26
\$20,000 to \$29,999	108		102		mfd in last 5 years, number	2		2	3
\$30,000 to \$49,999	96	79	95		Mower conditioners	67	(NA)	57	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	23		23		number	73	(NA)	60	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	26		24	8	mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers	222	217	205	189
Automobiles	523	525	427	394	number	226	222	209	194
number	712	712	579	528	mfd in last 5 years, number	50	84	48	78
mfd in last 5 years, number	304	363	245	286	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	116	(NA)	115	69
Motor trucks, including pickups	577	556	458	414	number	117	(NA)	116	70
number	1 122	948	954	775	mfd in last 5 years, number	34	(NA)	34	26
mfd in last 5 years, number	355	306	297	240	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	95	(NA)	90	76
Wheel tractors	599	591	478	441	number	104	(NA)	99	80
number	1 329	1 277	1 158	1 018	mfd in last 5 years, number	32	(NA)	32	31
mfd in last 5 years, number	233	285	215	233					
Crawler tractors	43		41	38					
number	45		43	50					
mfd in last 5 years, number	-		-	10					

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	482	(X)	371	(X)	453	(X)	356	(X)	13 756
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	458	(X)	350	(X)	440	(X)	345	(X)	9 566
1969	454	(X)	336	(X)	468	(X)	358	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	440	45 555	338	43 769	416	33 485	328	32 922	9 186
1969	429	59 699	324	58 398	441	55 452	342	54 836	14 040
Farms with —									
1 to 4	32	88	17	48	84	195	52	130	37
5 to 9	31	210	14	93	79	558	40	293	85
10 to 19	60	866	39	565	99	1 342	85	1 180	259
20 to 49	151	4 671	103	3 398	108	3 250	105	3 179	688
50 to 99	91	6 431	90	6 376	20	1 266	20	1 266	281
100 to 199	48	6 479	48	6 479	12	1 504	12	1 504	259
200 to 499	18	4 979	18	4 979	7	2 467	7	2 467	689
500 and over	9	21 831	9	21 831	7	22 903	7	22 903	6 888
Cows and heifers that had calved	366	21 513	292	20 894	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	369	13 220	293	12 761	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	220	15 616	161	15 074	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	8 825	160	8 475	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	232	5 897	184	5 820	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	228	4 395	201	4 286	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	157	(X)	3 990
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	192	(X)	1 784
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974 — Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows	220	15 616	161	15 074	Cattle sold	289	27 177	8 490	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4	34	73	23	50	1 to 4	60	149	43	
5 to 9	41	282	10	68	5 to 9	52	362	115	
10 to 19	39	551	29	423	10 to 19	73	997	284	
20 to 49	61	1 857	54	1 680	20 to 49	69	2 087	501	
50 to 99	22	1 536	22	1 536	50 to 99	7	1 041	277	
100 to 199	14	1 713	14	1 713	100 to 199	7	822	158	
200 to 499	5	1 344	5	1 344	200 to 499	6	2 217	649	
500 and over	4	8 260	4	8 260	500 and over	6	19 502	6 463	
Milk cows	232	5 897	184	5 820	Calves sold	134	5 745	695	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2	71	84	28	36	1 or 2	15	21	2	
3 or 4	10	35	8	29	3 or 4	8	30	4	
5 to 9	14	87	12	74	5 to 9	26	188	20	
10 to 19	32	468	31	458	10 to 19	45	573	59	
20 to 49	62	1 726	62	1 726	20 to 49	28	713	97	
50 to 99	36	2 306	36	2 306	50 to 99	7	482	50	
100 to 199	5	(D)	5	(D)	100 to 199	4	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499	-	-	-	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)	

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	249	10 178	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	35	9 120	3 449
1969	283	7 533	1969	26	33 611	(NA)
Beef heifers	144	7 149	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	135	3 029	1 to 9	14	71	28
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	279	12 697	10 to 19	9	121	41
1969	292	38 104	20 to 49	4	94	34
			50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199	—	—	—
			200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
			500 and over	4	8 150	3 050

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	63	2 033	52	1 920	47	3 136	43	3 078	248
1969	83	1 927	58	1 744	78	3 864	61	3 562	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	24	51	15	34	3	8	3	8	(Z)
5 to 9	10	68	10	68	6	39	4	21	2
10 to 24	15	167	15	167	20	246	19	231	15
25 to 49	5	186	3	90	6	207	5	182	13
50 to 99	4	257	4	257	7	524	7	524	30
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	3	(D)	3	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	3	1 700	3	1 700	148
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	12	293	10	256	5
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	28	895	18	695	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	41	3 432	30	2 982	42	3 852	32	3 578	(NA)
1969	33	6 264	17	6 046	28	3 373	21	3 318	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	23	2 839	28 416
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	32	(X)	133
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	3	112	(NA)	(NA)	1	50	2
1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	6	(NA)	(NA)	1	3	(NA)
Horses and ponies	125	558	91	422	24	67	17	50	50
1969	175	736	(NA)	(NA)	27	70	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Inventory			
	Farms	Number	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
			Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	18	272	28	415	24	399
1969	35	224	57	338	44	297
Other hogs and pigs	50	1 648	17	202	15	199
1969	51	1 520	49	190	37	164
Lambs under 1 year old	17	138	27	213	23	200
Ewes 1 year old or older	30	2 795	44	148	35	133
1969	26	49				

Litters of pigs farrowed between—
 December 1 of preceding year and November 30 1974— 28
 1969— 57
 December 1 of preceding year and May 31 1974— 17
 1969— 49
 June 1 and November 30 1974— 27
 1969— 44

¹Pounds 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	120	(X)	74	(X)	8	(X)	3	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	82	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	119	3 124	73	1 945	7	(D)	3	246
1969	117	5 485	78	4 851	6	582	6	582
Hens and pullets of laying age	117	3 004	72	1 875	7	(D)	3	246
1969	114	5 226	75	4 612	5	532	5	532
Farms with—								
1 to 99	116	2 704	71	1 575	5	137	2	46
100 to 399	1	300	1	300	1	200	1	200
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	—	—
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	13	754	9	656	1	30	—	—
1969	3	69 000	3	69 000	5	312 000	5	312 000
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	8	7	5
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	24	263

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...	72	1 875	3	246	Turkeys.....1974...	2	17	--	--
.....1969...	75	4 612	5	532	.....1969...	2	12	--	--
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974...	72	1 860	3	246	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974...	1	6	--	--
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974...	2	15	--	--	Heavy breed.....1974...	1	6	--	--
.....1969...	--	--	--	--	Light breed.....1974...	--	--	--	--
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974...	2	30	--	--	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974...	1	11	--	--
.....1969...	5	43	--	--	.....1969...	2	10	--	--
Roasters and male chickens for breeding.....1974...	21	40	--	--	Other poultry.....1974...	4	(X)	--	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974...	--	--	--	--	.....1969...	10	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes.....	190	169	4 911	3 592	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes.....	2	3	56	25	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Wheat (bushels).....	156	161	5 644	2 836	290	025	176	447		
Other small grains for grain.....	193	276	4 877	5 838	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Tobacco (pounds).....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	7	(NA)	293	(NA)	45	237	(NA)	(NA)		
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--	--	--	--		
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	442	407	17 160	13 522	62	110	54	587		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	64	69	2 159	1 770	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Land in orchards.....	79	118	2 401	3 025	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Berries for sale.....	3	2	2	1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Other crops.....	88	(NA)	5 776	4 964	(X)	(X)	(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).....	50	61	1 089	714	71	463	55	227	47	61	1 057	714
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	137	109	3 571	2 777	71	035	51	388	136	109	3 561	2 777
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	3	4	181	19	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	3	181	10
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	--	1	--	14	--	840	--	--	--	1	--	14
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	1	(NA)	48	11	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	48	11
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	326	293	13 810	10 544	53	014	45	292	315	285	12 033	10 057

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...	261	10 786	(X)	188	7 252	43	1 424	41	216	2	4
.....1969...	271	11 195	(X)	220	7 046	71	2 142	71	304	--	--
Improved pasture.....1974...	46	11 107	(X)	20	3 509	6	286	6	48	--	--
.....1969...	51	14 822	(X)	23	3 042	9	559	9	57	--	--
Corn for all purposes.....1974...	178	4 841	(X)	175	4 799	106	3 006	98	572	14	95
.....1969...	148	3 510	(X)	148	3 501	148	3 439	142	699	19	56
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974...	1	48	(X)	1	48	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969...	3	25	(X)	3	25	--	--	--	--	--	--
Wheat (bushels).....1974...	149	5 590	287 090	130	4 272	106	4 947	103	773	7	46
.....1969...	141	2 677	169 207	138	2 557	93	1 905	(NA)	397	(NA)	2
Oats (bushels).....1974...	16	260	17 664	12	178	7	163	5	12	2	3
.....1969...	58	678	44 184	53	605	18	235	(NA)	40	(NA)	--
Barley (bushels).....1974...	132	3 443	173 477	122	2 882	61	1 850	57	258	5	18
.....1969...	109	2 703	176 368	101	2 388	64	1 212	(NA)	186	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels).....1974...	3	59	254	1	7	1	7	1	1	--	--
.....1969...	1	30	241	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Other small grains for grain.....1974...	39	806	(X)	37	780	21	424	20	48	1	5
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974...	351	16 091	58 631	334	14 051	62	2 918	60	323	2	18
.....1969...	304	12 372	51 002	295	11 782	43	2 285	43	302	--	--
Field seed crops.....1974...	38	1 444	(X)	35	1 333	11	293	9	30	2	17
.....1969...	25	1 118	(X)	22	1 056	1	18	1	5	--	--
Cotton (bales).....1974...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Tobacco (pounds).....1974...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
.....1969...	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	(NA)	--	(NA)	--
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974...	7	293	45 237	7	293	7	293	6	43	2	69
.....1969...	22	767	207 827	22	767	21	767	(NA)	260	(NA)	43
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974...	63	2 156	(X)	60	2 090	61	2 091	59	962	7	105
.....1969...	54	1 649	(X)	54	1 649	54	1 645	52	555	8	16
Land in orchards.....1974...	63	2 324	(X)	59	2 292	36	1 619	36	234	--	--
.....1969...	96	2 933	(X)	86	2 745	71	2 258	64	346	7	9

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	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	15	855	(X)	9	194	12	738	12	138	—	—
1969	7	211	(X)	6	203	4	150	4	38	—	—
Other crops	45	3 469	(X)	44	3 468	41	3 312	41	1 339	9	174

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—Con-		
lime	367	391	Diseases in crops and orchards	27	41
\$1,000	1 299	711	acres on which used	951	1 278
Commercial fertilizer	326	344	Weeds or grass in crops	32	31
acres on which used	23 387	21 272	acres on which used	8 495	5 830
tons	5 551	5 086	Weeds or brush in pasture	8	17
\$1,000	994	470	acres on which used	82	139
Lime	—	—	acres on which used	(Z)	1
acres on which used	—	—	Weeds on all other land	46	(NA)
tons	—	—	acres on which used	328	(NA)
\$1,000	—	—	acres on which used	3	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
Insects on hay crops	89	13	of crops or thinning of fruit	28	33
acres on which used	3 484	524	acres on which used	1 299	1 593
\$1,000	15	3	acres on which used	13	10
Insects on other crops	70	92	Insect control on livestock and poultry	39	103
acres on which used	4 108	4 133	\$1,000	5	18
\$1,000	116	129	Other chemicals (see text)	57	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	3	4	\$1,000	27	(NA)
acres on which used	155	74			
\$1,000	6	4			

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	476	443	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms	92.4	93.0	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	7	(NA)
Total land irrigated	46 712	42 777	acres	681	(NA)
Average per farm	98.1	96.5	Other sprinkler systems	82	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	439	439	acres	6 289	(NA)
acres	43 203	39 735	Land in irrigated farms	123 660	134 893
Harvested cropland irrigated	458	425	Cropland	49 066	47 772
acres	35 806	32 339	Harvested cropland	38 117	33 428
Cropland pasture irrigated	188	220	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
acres	7 252	7 046	between 1970 and 1973	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	14	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	(X)
acres	145	350	Farms with artificial drainage	49	138
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	20	23	Proportion of farms	9.5	28.9
acres	3 509	3 042	Land in farms with drainage	21 816	26 887
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	150 434	167 370	Land drained	4 914	12 519
Average per acre irrigated	3.2	3.9	Average per farm	100.3	90.7
Land irrigated by—			Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
Furrows or ditches	414	(NA)	tanks	35	(NA)
acres	32 297	(NA)	number	77	(NA)
			acres	81	(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)	273	228	155
\$1,000	13 552	8 968	4 584
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	33	19	61
\$5,000 to \$9,999	41	32	32
\$10,000 to \$29,999	101	105	41
\$30,000 to \$49,999	39	29	6
\$50,000 and over	59	43	15

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	80	192	167	858	1 129	262	81	94	186
25 to 149 days	94	300	700	3 011	559		1 779	858	559	361
Less than 25 days	186		2 415		361		3 307	192	700	2 415
Total contract labor	60	68	(NA)	(NA)	178	205				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	29	(NA)	559	(NA)	131	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							70	39	22	52
2 workers							39	18	21	22
3 or 4 workers							36	13	20	23
5 to 9 workers							42	10	16	32
10 workers and over							75	1	15	57