

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All forms		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	134	255	133	255			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	253		251				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	211	316	210	316			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	129	239	129	239			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	72	131	72	131			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	44	86	44	83			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	112	183	12	12			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	20	18	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	19	40	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	36	29	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	37	96	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	58 050	40 493	57 611	39 881			
Average per farm	60 786	33 465	67 698	38 495			
Crops, including hay							
farms	784	1 067	721	(NA)			
\$1,000	24 630	15 354	24 313	11 197			
Nursery and greenhouse products	39		34	30			
\$1,000	5 738		5 732	3 930			
Forest products							
farms	4	6	1	6			
\$1,000	1	3	1	3			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	551	780	517	716			
\$1,000	27 681	25 135	27 564	24 751			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	72	(NA)	67	96			
\$1,000	388	(NA)	364	369			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms					721	(NA)	
\$1,000					24 313	11 197	
Grains					707	895	
farms					22 923	10 714	
\$1,000							
Tobacco							
farms							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage					154	176	
farms					595	221	
\$1,000							
Other field crops					1	6	
farms					5	11	
\$1,000					48	29	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons					785	240	
farms					2	4	
\$1,000					5	12	
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms					517	716	
\$1,000					27 564	24 751	
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms					67	96	
\$1,000					364	369	
Poultry and poultry products							
farms					162	259	
\$1,000					5 945	5 519	
Cattle and calves							
farms					404	(NA)	
\$1,000					12 545	15 004	
Hogs and pigs							
farms					168	(NA)	
\$1,000					3 358	3 859	
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms					35	(NA)	
\$1,000					26		
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms					32		
\$1,000					5 327		

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	201	(NA)	122	(NA)		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹						
farms	212	(NA)	203	(NA)		
\$1,000	1 049	(NA)	1 029	(NA)		
Customwork and other agricultural services	133	203	133	190		
\$1,000	508	299	508	285		
Recreational services	6	15	5	12		
\$1,000	47	140	46	38		
Government farm programs	30	481	30	442		
\$1,000	66	1 847	66	1 804		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	57	(NA)	49	(NA)		
\$1,000	357	(NA)	338	(NA)		
Other farm-related sources	25	(NA)	25	(NA)		
\$1,000	71	(NA)	71	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	77	(NA)	73	(NA)		
\$1,000	325	(NA)	320	(NA)		
Total family income from off-farm sources²						
farms						523
\$1,000						5 279
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related						
farms						74
\$1,000						629
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips						
farms						306
\$1,000						3 416
Interest, dividends, or royalties						
farms						305
\$1,000						937
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.						
farms						63
\$1,000						169
Rent income of nonfarm property						
farms						64
\$1,000						128

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	953	1 210	851	1 036					
\$1,000	42 354	32 939	41 908	32 222					
Farms with--									
\$1 to \$999	56	74	3	10					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	25	50	4	15					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	33	43	19	15					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	49	121	42	101					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	121	231	118	222					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	191		191	289					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	211		211	200					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	101		100	199					
\$60,000 and over	166		163						
Livestock and poultry purchased									
farms	390	589	343	547					
\$1,000	7 806	9 331	7 777	9 134					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased									
farms	532	720	467	663					
\$1,000	4 551	3 336	4 486	3 266					
Commercially mixed formula feeds									
farms	422	590	377	564					
\$1,000	2 798	2 113	2 756	2 071					
Feed ingredients									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	132	168					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	444	274					
Whole grains									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	124	178					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 006	829					
Hay, green chop, and silage									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	111	119					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	279	92					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	405	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	312	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased									
farms	807	1 073	782	971					
\$1,000	2 573	1 484	2 564	1 471					
Commercial fertilizer purchased									
farms	754	979	732	909					
\$1,000	3 995	1 983	3 926	1 958					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased									
farms	615	(NA)	598	(NA)					
\$1,000	1 314	808	1 303	804					
Lime									
farms	(NA)	177	54	172					
\$1,000	(NA)	73	27	73					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business									
farms	941	1 203	843	1 032					
\$1,000	2 159	1 481	2 130	1 434					
Gasoline									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	836	1 023					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 198	990					
Diesel oil									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	503	458					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	502	225					
LP gas, butane, and propane									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	178	232					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	185	93					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	842	1 031					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	245	125					
Hired farm labor									
farms	335	582	323	535					
\$1,000	3 517	2 703	3 415	2 558					
Contract labor									
farms	18	800	13	22					
\$1,000	29	625	29	39					
Machine hire and customwork									
farms	489		466	706					
\$1,00									

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.....	929	1 188	836	1 020	farms.....	373	371	368	362	
	\$1,000.....	31 312	18 757	30 279	17 848	number.....	403	396	398	387	
Average per farm.....	dollars.....	33 705	15 788	36 218	17 497	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	138	207	138	205	
Farms by value group:											
\$1 to \$999.....		-	14	-	162	Corn heads for combines.....	farms.....	319	723	316	282
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....		84	262	60	208	number.....	334	894	331	302	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....		112	247	76	208	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	148	419	147	187	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		177	316	152	308	Other cornpickers and					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....		131		128	155	picker-shellers.....	farms.....	379	373	536	
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....		222		220	121	number.....	395		389	567	
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....		106	349	105	66	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	111		108	226	
\$70,000 and over.....		97		95		Mower conditioners.....	farms.....	257	(NA)	246	(NA)
						number.....	271	(NA)	260	(NA)	
						mfd in last 5 years, number.....	81	(NA)	80	(NA)	
Selected Machinery and Equipment											
Automobiles.....	farms.....	824	1 069	755	935	Pickup balers.....	farms.....	414	561	405	525
	number.....	1 208	1 595	1 127	1 398	number.....	421	574	412	536	
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		769	1 032	710	928	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	63	211	61	198	
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	farms.....	776	940	713	837	Windrowers, pull and					
	number.....	1 178	1 289	1 097	1 151	self-propelled.....	farms.....	99	(NA)	95	147
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		525	611	479	550	number.....	107	(NA)	103	154	
Wheel tractors.....	farms.....	883	1 094	798	950	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	12	50	
	number.....	2 935	3 302	2 812	3 018	Field forage harvesters, shear bar					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		551	1 153	543	1 070	or flywheel type.....	farms.....	267	(NA)	265	323
Crawler tractors.....	farms.....	29		28	35	number.....	299	(NA)	296	332	
	number.....	32		31	47	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	76	(NA)	75	119	
mfd in last 5 years, number.....		4		4	17						

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.....	586	(X)	529	(X)	551	(X)	517	(X)	27 564
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	1974.....	515	(X)	470	(X)	508	(X)	481	(X)	15 929
	1969.....	705	(X)	651	(X)	732	(X)	681	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....	1974.....	448	39 914	407	39 388	425	35 236	404	35 024	12 545
	1969.....	572	60 010	536	59 289	594	59 807	561	58 997	15 004
Farms with—										
1 to 4.....	1974.....	27	74	14	38	41	100	36	90	24
	1969.....	39	274	21	130	48	325	40	277	77
5 to 9.....	1974.....	34	478	30	421	80	1 129	73	1 048	233
	1969.....	114	3 663	111	3 595	142	4 365	142	4 365	886
10 to 19.....	1974.....	120	8 590	118	8 486	30	1 895	29	1 822	459
	1969.....	64	8 093	63	7 976	36	4 886	36	4 886	1 891
20 to 49.....	1974.....	41	11 934	41	11 934	34	10 233	34	10 233	3 985
	1969.....	9	6 808	9	6 808	14	12 303	14	12 303	4 990
50 to 99.....	1974.....									
100 to 199.....	1974.....									
200 to 499.....	1974.....									
500 and over.....	1974.....									
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	1974.....	281	9 894	260	9 697	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	372	13 794	353	13 584	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	1974.....	114	2 457	96	2 286	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	(NA)	2 859	116	2 782	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	1974.....	179	7 437	176	7 411	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	277	10 935	272	10 802	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	162	(X)	5 945
	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	259	(X)	5 519
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	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	114	2 457	96	2 286	Cattle sold.....	346	30 543	12 323		
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 to 4.....	25	52	14	28	1 to 4.....	47	118	39		
5 to 9.....	21	135	17	106	5 to 9.....	66	458	154		
10 to 19.....	31	389	30	379	10 to 19.....	63	827	291		
20 to 49.....	21	609	21	609	20 to 49.....	72	1 977	705		
50 to 99.....	12	702	10	594	50 to 99.....	17	1 045	347		
100 to 199.....	4	570	4	570	100 to 199.....	35	4 781	1 870		
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	33	9 728	3 998		
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	13	11 609	4 918		
Milk cows.....	179	7 437	176	7 411	Calves sold.....	185	4 481	222		
Farms with—					Farms with—					
1 or 2.....	15	18	13	15	1 or 2.....	11	18	1		
3 or 4.....	1	3	1	3	3 or 4.....	19	63	4		
5 to 9.....	1	7	1	7	5 to 9.....	23	155	10		
10 to 19.....	10	141	10	141	10 to 19.....	54	731	48		
20 to 49.....	106	3 954	105	3 931	20 to 49.....	70	1 961	64		
50 to 99.....	40	2 360	40	2 360	50 to 99.....	4	254	16		
100 to 199.....	5	(D)	5	(D)	100 to 199.....	1	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	3	(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	106	33 017	42	18 393	Turkeys	1974	1	2	-	-
	1969	136	54 238	56	27 120		1969	3	10	1	53
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	104	30 027	39	16 057	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	2	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	4	2 990	4	2 336	Heavy breed	1974	1	2	-	-
						Light breed	1974	-	-	-	-
							1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	8 125	1	(D)	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	4	3 625	4	38 102		1969	3	10	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	17	680	5	(D)	Other poultry	1974	15	(X)	6	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	1	(D)	1	(D)		1969	24	(X)	10	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms					
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		755	986	108 725	112 782	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes		13	2	294	12	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		609	663	58 877	43 916	1 426 323	1 512 481
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)		193	173	6 241	4 538	258 494	204 480
Other small grains for grain		382	525	9 426	13 887	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)		-	2	-	1	-	900
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		1	(NA)	6	(NA)	1 200	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)		452	548	14 140	16 426	41 536	56 285
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		53	43	1 944	1 240	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards		10	18	24	31	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale		4	10	8	42	(X)	(X)
Other crops		40	(NA)	1 040	1 246	(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)		716	923	96 532	100 607	6 780 843	10 573 263	1	90
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		278	387	10 898	10 081	124 052	165 061	2	61
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		14	35	285	248	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		3	-	122	-	9 140	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		9	(NA)	164	12	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		304	391	9 184	10 906	29 985	40 744	-	-

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	1974	258	7 068	(X)	-	-	10	240	8	27	2	6
	1969	371	10 282	(X)	-	-	31	583	28	102	3	6
Improved pasture	1974	26	857	(X)	-	-	5	150	5	22	1	20
	1969	53	2 150	(X)	-	-	16	610	15	95	1	5
Corn for all purposes	1974	726	107 715	(X)	3	151	637	98 517	585	12 641	339	6 376
	1969	925	110 936	(X)	-	-	778	98 307	742	14 379	399	7 139
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	12	286	(X)	-	-	2	80	2	20	-	-
	1969	2	12	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	1974	190	6 195	256 794	-	-	105	3 909	89	373	33	133
	1969	170	4 508	202 930	-	-	89	2 979	(NA)	295	(NA)	60
Oats (bushels)	1974	372	9 121	561 278	1	15	61	1 512	57	168	4	6
	1969	495	12 945	915 255	-	-	95	2 544	(NA)	281	(NA)	12
Barley (bushels)	1974	4	80	1 638	-	-	1	15	1	1	-	-
	1969	13	278	15 821	-	-	3	58	(NA)	6	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	1974	2	10	320	-	-	2	10	2	1	-	-
	1969	1	2	80	-	-	1	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	1	15	(X)	-	-	1	15	1	3	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	592	58 550	1 421 936	-	-	215	21 123	200	1 817	16	83
	1969	613	43 104	1 489 615	-	-	237	15 145	(NA)	1 169	(NA)	101
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	414	13 301	40 048	1	20	63	2 034	61	277	2	4
	1969	503	15 509	53 922	-	-	84	2 820	82	354	2	10
Field seed crops	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	1	6	1 200	-	-	1	6	1	3	-	-
	1969	7	37	5 114	-	-	4	36	(NA)	21	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	48	1 888	(X)	1	8	22	1 091	19	166	3	39
	1969	28	1 116	(X)	-	-	21	1 002	19	112	8	38
Land in orchards	1974	2	2	(X)	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	8	12	(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	4	8	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	8	40	(X)	1	6	1	2	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	34	1 023	(X)	17	366	21	620	21	250	4	78
1969	30	1 009	(X)	12	629	18	758	16	275	4	103
Other crops	1	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	762	5 228	950	2 762	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	9	10		
Commercial fertilizer	732	4 851	851	2 762	Diseases in crops and orchards	872	327		
Lime	54	129 592	172	851	acres on which used	6	3		
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	916	22 550	1 958	24 563	Weeds or grass in crops	442	674		
Insects on hay crops	4	3 926	172	1 958	acres on which used	108 615	103 466		
Insects on other crops	250	6 652	370	24 741	Weeds or brush in pasture	901	513		
Nematodes in crops	849	27	11	73	acres on which used	8	42		
	3	916	11	912	Weeds on all other land	216	978		
	3	4	11	24 741	acres on which used	1	2		
	3	253	177	73	Weeds on all other land	55	(NA)		
	3	849	1 587	73	acres on which used	538	(NA)		
	3	3	11	73	acres on which used	3	(NA)		
	3	3	11	73	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	7	11		
	3	3	11	73	of crops or thinning of fruit	269	782		
	3	3	11	73	acres on which used	2	3		
	3	3	11	73	Insect control on livestock and poultry	67	253		
	3	3	11	73	acres on which used	16	19		
	3	3	11	73	Other chemicals (see text)	115	(NA)		
	3	3	11	73	acres on which used	86	(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	23	885	12	633	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	2.7	38.5	1.1	52.7	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	2	(NA)		
Total land irrigated	885	38.5	633	52.7	Other sprinkler systems	22	(NA)		
Cropland irrigated	23	885	11	633	Land in irrigated farms	21	(NA)		
Harvested cropland irrigated	23	885	11	633	acres	863	(NA)		
Cropland pasture irrigated	567	23	632	11	Cropland	3 813	1 401		
Other cropland irrigated	2	318	(NA)	1	Harvested cropland	3 254	1 190		
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	318	2	1	1	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	2 791	919		
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	1 358	1.5	176	0.3	between 1970 and 1973	1	(X)		
Land irrigated by—					acres irrigated in most recent year	5	(X)		
Furrows or ditches	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	334	555		
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms	39.5	53.5		
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	106 136	157 634		
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Land drained	74 356	106 892		
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	221.3	192.5		
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	88	(NA)		
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	number	133	(NA)		
	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres	127	(NA)		

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000					
		287	144	211			
Farms by size of debt owed:		16 349	9 485	6 864			
Under \$5,000		27	9	30			
\$5,000 to \$9,999		17	9	19			
\$10,000 to \$29,999		103	41	89			
\$30,000 to \$49,999		41	16	38			
\$50,000 and over		99	69	35			

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—							323	144	117	180
150 days or more	144	188	516	486	2 723	2 558	3 415	2 723	573	119
25 to 149 days	117	433	692	1 885	573	119	2 094	516	692	886
Less than 25 days	180		886		119					
Total contract labor	13	22	(NA)	(NA)	29	39				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	3	(NA)	9	(NA)	9	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	97		84	50						45
2 workers	68		33	26						36
3 or 4 workers	71		11	23						50
5 to 9 workers	47		6	9						28
10 workers and over	40		10	9						21