

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	94	135	94	135		
\$40,000 to \$99,999	217	203	216	203		
\$20,000 to \$39,999	170		170			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	219	208	219	208		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	153	211	153	211		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	125	192	125	191		
Under \$2,500 (see text):						
\$2,000 to \$2,499	146	323	10	8		
\$1,500 to \$1,999	31	46	(X)	(X)		
\$1,000 to \$1,499	31	54	(X)	(X)		
\$500 to \$999	20	58	(X)	(X)		
Under \$1,000 (see text)	64	165	(X)	(X)		
Market value of agricultural products sold:						
\$1,000	39 714	20 776	39 476	20 375		
Average per farm	35 333	16 333	39 996	21 313		
Crops, including hay:						
\$1,000	954	1 064	885	(NA)		
\$1,000	26 469	9 643	26 319	9 304		
Nursery and greenhouse products:						
\$1,000	6		4	6		
\$1,000	75		74	88		
Forest products:						
\$1,000	14	20	13	16		
\$1,000	19	19	19	17		
Livestock, poultry, and their products:						
\$1,000	712	865	630	715		
\$1,000	13 150	11 115	13 065	10 966		
Poultry and poultry products:						
\$1,000	47	(NA)	33	52		
\$1,000	611	(NA)	608	310		
Specified products sold:						
Crops:						
\$1,000					885	(NA)
\$1,000					26 319	9 304
\$1,000					868	846
\$1,000					25 012	8 876
Tobacco						
\$1,000						
Cotton and cottonseed						1
\$1,000						1
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage					120	106
\$1,000					305	97
Other field crops					11	2
\$1,000					256	8
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons					11	15
\$1,000					737	258
Fruits, nuts, and berries					2	9
\$1,000					8	63
Livestock, poultry, and their products:						
\$1,000					630	715
\$1,000					13 065	10 966
Poultry and poultry products					33	52
\$1,000					608	310
Dairy products					68	90
\$1,000					1 836	1 479
Cattle and calves					423	(NA)
\$1,000					3 246	3 308
Hogs and pigs					7 244	5 869
\$1,000					111	332
Sheep, lambs, and wool					66	(NA)
\$1,000					66	5 869
Other livestock and livestock products					28	
\$1,000					66	

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:	382	(NA)	261	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹:					
\$1,000	215	(NA)	194	(NA)	
\$1,000	479	(NA)	416	(NA)	
Customwork and other agricultural services	134	196	124	181	
\$1,000	282	281	240	264	
Recreational services	1	7	1	5	
\$1,000	(2)	19	(2)	17	
Government farm programs	46	519	40	406	
\$1,000	31	1 010	27	895	
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	39	(NA)	34	(NA)	
\$1,000	137	(NA)	119	(NA)	
Other farm-related sources	24	(NA)	24	(NA)	
\$1,000	29	(NA)	29	(NA)	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	95	(NA)	85	(NA)	
\$1,000	176	(NA)	153	(NA)	
Total family income from off-farm sources²:					
\$1,000					683
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related:					
\$1,000					6 999
\$1,000					106
\$1,000					1 257
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips					480
\$1,000					4 827
Interest, dividends, or royalties					294
\$1,000					430
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.					88
\$1,000					288
Rent income of nonfarm property					70
\$1,000					196

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:									
\$1,000	1 120	1 272	986	956					
\$1,000	24 166	14 548	23 912	14 059					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999	58	153	11	48	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased:				
\$1,000 to \$1,999	86	148	41		\$1,000	905	1 066	848	893
\$2,000 to \$2,999	110	127	76	84	\$1,000	1 174	562	1 162	545
\$3,000 to \$4,999	137	161	132	148	\$1,000	928	1 009	845	841
\$5,000 to \$9,999	178	259	176	253	\$1,000	4 800	1 739	4 767	1 708
\$10,000 to \$19,999	195		195	215	Other agricultural chemicals purchased:				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	186		186	141	\$1,000	658	(NA)	626	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$59,999	66	424	65		\$1,000	1 180	501	1 171	489
\$60,000 and over	104		104	67	\$1,000	(NA)	158	71	137
					\$1,000	(NA)	43	45	40
Livestock and poultry purchased:					Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business:				
\$1,000	409	574	355	478	\$1,000	1 097	1 239	967	941
\$1,000	2 094	2 721	2 070	2 676	\$1,000	1 653	1 001	1 626	945
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased:					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	943	923
\$1,000	647	799	545	651	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	888	657
\$1,000	3 470	2 019	3 424	1 970	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	383	277
Commercially mixed formula feeds:					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	348	107
\$1,000	488	615	438	548	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	301	240
\$1,000	2 390	1 251	2 368	1 230	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	270	102
Feed ingredients:					Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil:				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	138	139	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	966	941
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	454	265	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	119	79
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	173	214	Hired farm labor:				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	555	416	\$1,000	363	530	337	480
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	71	79	\$1,000	650	564	631	542
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	47	59	\$1,000	25	774	25	29
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry:					\$1,000	309	509	309	130
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	406	(NA)	\$1,000	518		476	610
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	174	(NA)	\$1,000	394		388	337
					\$1,000	1 088	1 153	983	954
					\$1,000	8 442	4 932	8 190	4 718

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.....	1 080	1 211	952	924					
..... \$1,000.....	27 991	13 427	27 045	12 207					
Average per form dollars.....	25 918	11 087	28 409	13 211					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	5	61	4	252					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	166	420	116						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	178	257	124	224					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	241	234	223	223					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	148		145	117					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	187		186	82					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	86	239	86						
\$70,000 and over.....	69		68	26					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	973	1 091	872	856					
..... number.....	1 314	1 445	1 194	1 129					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	780	966	724	773					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	940	944	837	780					
..... number.....	1 474	1 303	1 364	1 114					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	533	562	497	472					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	956	1 068	863	841					
..... number.....	2 221	2 246	2 088	1 914					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	472	649	465	582					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	34		31	16					
..... number.....	37		33	18					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	4					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	438	346	434	334					
..... number.....	467	355	463	343					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	175	186	174	184					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	398	604	394	297					
..... number.....	417	731	413	304					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	170	298	169	183					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	283		252	375					
..... number.....	285		254	379					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	38		38	108					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	143	(NA)	132	(NA)					
..... number.....	148	(NA)	137	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	36	(NA)	27	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	258	274	240	259					
..... number.....	260	276	242	261					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	25	79	23	75					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	45	(NA)	44	57					
..... number.....	48	(NA)	47	58					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	(NA)	20	20					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	67	(NA)	59	52					
..... number.....	73	(NA)	65	53					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	24	(NA)	24	29					

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.....	743	(X)	644	(X)	712	(X)	630	(X)	13 065
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	704	(X)	610	(X)	686	(X)	609	(X)	10 556
..... 1969.....	840	(X)	681	(X)	844	(X)	703	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	534	20 420	455	19 453	477	11 126	423	10 898	3 246
..... 1969.....	559	20 315	461	19 320	547	15 977	473	15 498	3 308
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	65	180	40	112	108	284	73	197	52
5 to 9..... 1974.....	75	517	53	375	102	690	88	607	153
10 to 19..... 1974.....	121	1 669	105	1 460	108	1 449	103	1 391	383
20 to 49..... 1974.....	152	4 661	137	4 209	104	3 050	104	3 050	845
50 to 99..... 1974.....	65	4 556	64	4 460	36	2 385	36	2 385	646
100 to 199..... 1974.....	45	5 684	45	5 684	15	2 073	15	2 073	707
200 to 499..... 1974.....	10	(D)	10	(D)	4	1 195	4	1 195	460
500 and over..... 1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	359	7 812	316	7 553	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	351	6 655	292	6 318	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	269	5 515	244	5 304	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	3 806	207	3 493	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	97	2 297	79	2 249	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	103	2 849	97	2 825	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	68	(X)	1 836
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	90	(X)	1 479
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Cattle sold		Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	269	5 515	244	5 304		371	8 884	3 001	
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	40	100	34	89		70	187	58	
5 to 9.....	59	391	47	310		83	567	164	
10 to 19.....	76	1 047	71	985		87	1 204	383	
20 to 49.....	70	2 041	68	1 984		93	2 675	808	
50 to 99.....	18	1 054	18	1 054		26	1 874	654	
100 to 199.....	5	(D)	5	(D)		8	1 182	474	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)		4	1 195	460	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	97	2 297	79	2 249		137	2 014	245	
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	13	16	7	9		20	28	4	
3 or 4.....	15	48	4	13		19	70	7	
5 to 9.....	10	62	9	56		34	223	28	
10 to 19.....	20	264	20	264		27	368	51	
20 to 49.....	20	611	20	611		32	890	90	
50 to 99.....	18	(D)	18	(D)		3	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)		2	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	
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..	70	71 414	20	62 015	Turkeys.....1974..	4	25 027	3	25 090
.....1969..	83	45 086	32	34 273	.....1969..	3	18	1	90
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	70	71 229	19	61 955	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	4	25 017	3	25 090
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	2	185	1	60	.....1974..	2	(D)	2	(D)
.....1969..	3	23	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974..	3	(D)	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	4	499	1	265	.....1974..	2	10	—	—
.....1969..	23	97	1	—	Light breed.....1974..	2	12	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	—	—	—	—	.....1974..	2	12	—	—
.....1969..	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	14	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	—	—	—	—	.....1974..	8	(X)	2	(X)
.....1969..	—	—	—	—	.....1969..	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All forms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	870	920	93 400	81 520	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	3	5	260	46	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	753	739	49 352	39 232	1 339 518	1 330 533
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	478	483	15 327	10 693	625 952	431 026
Other small grains for grain.....	175	291	2 547	4 775	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	50	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	368	427	8 757	9 167	18 788	22 390
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	16	18	1 081	518	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	3	11	25	143	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	4	6	3	15	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	26	(NA)	1 720	272	(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).....	804	815	90 036	78 723	6 629 144	8 176 374	1	2	10	252
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	78	73	2 634	1 458	31 286	26 013	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	6	5	207	45	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	1	—	150	—	3 810	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	2	(NA)	110	46	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	204	201	4 802	4 477	10 791	12 374	—	—	—	—

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..	435	13 769	(X)	1	60	31	1 518	29	154	2	3
.....1969..	463	13 953	(X)	—	—	45	990	42	116	5	10
Improved pasture.....1974..	45	2 294	(X)	—	—	6	359	6	46	—	—
.....1969..	76	2 240	(X)	—	—	9	200	9	29	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	813	92 877	(X)	1	10	709	85 019	650	11 207	465	8 630
.....1969..	816	80 226	(X)	2	252	679	71 729	632	8 771	386	7 450
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	3	260	(X)	—	—	3	260	2	61	1	4
.....1969..	5	46	(X)	—	—	5	46	5	7	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	470	15 272	623 885	—	—	374	13 131	340	1 558	124	319
.....1969..	436	10 185	412 299	—	—	377	8 992	(NA)	1 060	(NA)	180
Oats (bushels).....1974..	154	2 363	127 631	—	—	101	1 763	98	196	3	4
.....1969..	262	4 357	265 018	—	—	189	3 242	(NA)	312	(NA)	23
Barley (bushels).....1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels).....1974..	14	66	1 222	—	—	3	22	2	1	1	1
.....1969..	19	243	5 186	—	—	4	17	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	729	48 949	1 330 836	—	—	365	27 882	326	2 257	66	451
.....1969..	623	37 525	1 284 564	—	—	333	20 028	(NA)	1 281	(NA)	191
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	337	8 498	18 280	—	—	52	2 106	52	348	1	2
.....1969..	371	8 622	21 334	—	—	35	1 296	35	179	—	—
Field seed crops.....1974..	7	85	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969..	8	96	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969..	1	45	(D)	—	—	1	45	(NA)	10	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	11	1 027	(X)	3	272	11	1 025	11	339	5	81
.....1969..	15	483	(X)	3	117	15	443	13	148	4	54
Land in orchards.....1974..	2	14	(X)	—	—	1	7	1	1	—	—
.....1969..	6	111	(X)	—	—	4	105	4	14	—	—

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	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1969	2	14	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nursery and greenhouse products	4	1	(X)	1	4	1	8	1	1	(Z)	
1974	6	25	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1969	6	25	(X)	3	24	4	24	4	23	-	
Other crops	13	1 629	(X)	1	25	12	1 534	9	308	11 164	

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	863	863	862	862	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
..... farms	863	863	862	862	Diseases in crops and orchards	11	13		
..... \$1,000	5 938	2 196	802	802	..... farms	944	1 289		
Commercial fertilizer	134 690	107 144	802	802	..... acres on which used	25	13		
..... farms	26 144	19 842	1 708	1 708	..... \$1,000	481	561		
..... acres on which used	4 767	1 708	1 708	1 708	Weeds or grass in crops	98 333	79 360		
..... \$1,000	71	137	137	137	..... farms	848	349		
Lime	3 941	5 309	5	5	..... acres on which used	5	29		
..... farms	8 553	12 797	83	432	Weeds or brush in pasture	(Z)	1		
..... acres on which used	45	40	(Z)	(Z)	..... farms	64	(NA)		
..... \$1,000	22	22	64	(NA)	Weeds on all other land	462	(NA)		
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			4	(NA)	..... farms	4	(NA)		
Insects on hay crops	22	22	6	8	..... acres on which used	318	1 002		
..... farms	902	651	5	5	..... \$1,000	5	5		
..... acres on which used	5	2	5	5	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
..... \$1,000	176	176	5	5	of crops or thinning of fruit				
Insects on other crops	34 886	26 527	60	169	..... farms	45	12		
..... farms	187	10	7	12	..... acres on which used	7	12		
..... acres on which used	208	590	7	12	Insect control on livestock and poultry	45	169		
..... \$1,000	1	4	10	12	..... farms	100	(NA)		
			4	(NA)	..... \$1,000	43	(NA)		
			4	(NA)	Other chemicals (see text)				

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	3	367	5	397	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	0.3	122.3	0.5	79.4	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	2	(NA)		
Total land irrigated	367	122.3	397	79.4	..... farms	150	(NA)		
Average per farm	3	367	5	397	..... acres	1	(NA)		
Cropland irrigated	3	367	5	397	Other sprinkler systems	215	(NA)		
Harvested cropland irrigated	3	307	5	397	..... farms	2 188	2 303		
..... farms	1	60	-	-	..... acres	1 884	1 805		
..... acres	60	-	-	-	Harvested cropland	1 645	1 422		
Other cropland irrigated	-	-	(NA)	-	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	between 1970 and 1973				
..... farms .....	-	-	-	-	..... farms	-	(X)		
..... acres .....	-	-	-	-	..... acres irrigated in most recent year	-	(X)		
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	272	0.7	265	0.7	Farms with artificial drainage	382	598		
Average per acre irrigated	1	2	(NA)	1	Proportion of farms	38.7	62.5		
Land irrigated by—					Land in farms with drainage	115 590	144 335		
Furrows or ditches	1	2	(NA)	1	Land drained	89 508	113 674		
..... farms	2	2	(NA)	2	Average per farm	234.3	190.0		
..... acres					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	64	(NA)		
					..... farms	110	(NA)		
					..... number	97	(NA)		
					..... acres				

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
..... farms	437	14 113	349	9 757	255	4 356
Farms by size of debt owed:						
Under \$5,000	52	87	44	71	81	58
\$5,000 to \$9,999	149	67	121	60	79	21
\$10,000 to \$29,999	67	82	60	53	21	16
\$30,000 to \$49,999						
\$50,000 and over						

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	70	50	137	82	402	542	337	70	78	245	
25 to 149 days	78	461	162	1 527	125	104	631	402	125	104	
Less than 25 days	245	29	1 369	(NA)	104	309	1 668	137	162	1 369	
Total contract labor	25	29	(NA)	(NA)	309	130					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	17	(NA)	380	(NA)	300	(NA)					
Farms											
Cash wages paid—\$1,000											
Number of workers											
Farms with—											
1 worker	106		44	41	71						
2 workers	53		18	19	31						
3 or 4 workers	76		4	13	56						
5 to 9 workers	62		2	4	54						
10 workers and over	40		2	1	33						