

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:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over	85	142	85	142	Crops		
\$40,000 to \$99,999	219		218		farms	659	(NA)
\$20,000 to \$39,999	158	213	158	213	\$1,000	22 797	7 717
\$10,000 to \$19,999	108	179	107	179	farms	644	706
\$5,000 to \$9,999	113	173	113	173	\$1,000	21 952	7 318
\$2,500 to \$4,999	78	106	78	104	farms	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text)	79	201	2	4	Tobacco	-	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	9	22	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	-	-
\$1,500 to \$1,999	23	35	(X)	(X)	farms	-	-
\$1,000 to \$1,499	17	41	(X)	(X)	Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Under \$1,000 (see text)	30	103	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	-	-
Market value of agricultural products sold					farms	98	114
\$1,000	37 620	21 544	37 453	21 290	\$1,000	261	116
Average per farm	44 786	21 246	49 216	26 122	Other field crops	3	4
Crops, including hay	698	836	659	(NA)	farms	559	88
\$1,000	22 868	7 827	22 797	7 717	\$1,000	2	3
farms	7		7	3	farms	3	(D)
\$1,000	210		210	(D)	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	5	8
Nursery and greenhouse products					\$1,000	21	10
farms					Livestock, poultry, and their products	581	672
\$1,000					\$1,000	14 434	13 547
Forest products	11	18	7	15	farms	47	96
\$1,000	13	28	13	27	\$1,000	371	276
Livestock, poultry, and their products					farms	25	61
farms	631	786	581	672	\$1,000	433	447
\$1,000	14 530	13 688	14 434	13 547	Cattle and calves	436	(NA)
Poultry and poultry products					\$1,000	6 698	6 839
farms	56	(NA)	47	96	Hogs and pigs	368	(NA)
\$1,000	375	(NA)	371	276	\$1,000	6 835	5 984
					farms	61	
					\$1,000	54	
					Other livestock and livestock products	19	
					farms	44	
					\$1,000		

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 sold ¹	179	(NA)	124	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	462
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	188	(NA)	179	(NA)	\$1,000	3 847
Customwork and other agricultural services	943	(NA)	921	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	57
farms	103	188	101	180	\$1,000	565
\$1,000	384	268	384	262	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	291
Recreational services	4	9	4	6	\$1,000	2 454
\$1,000	19	10	19	8	Interest, dividends, or royalties	245
Government farm programs	37	533	32	462	\$1,000	478
\$1,000	37	1 296	36	1 234	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	88
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	53	(NA)	48	(NA)	\$1,000	255
\$1,000	450	(NA)	429	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	46
Other farm-related sources	21	(NA)	20	(NA)	farms	96
\$1,000	53	(NA)	53	(NA)	\$1,000	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	83	(NA)	79	(NA)		
farms	468	(NA)	456	(NA)		
\$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	840	1 014	761	815	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	718	873	684	768
farms	23 128	15 593	22 931	15 280	\$1,000	1 070	547	1 064	536
\$1,000					farms	627	770	603	692
Farms with -					\$1,000	3 136	1 078	3 123	1 065
\$1 to \$999	41	82	5	36	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	533	(NA)	514	(NA)
\$1,000 to \$1,999	51	104	25	50	farms	1 129	541	1 122	535
\$2,000 to \$2,999	40	83	34	50	\$1,000	(NA)	179	90	166
\$3,000 to \$4,999	75	138	68	126	farms	(NA)	66	53	64
\$5,000 to \$9,999	140	186	137	183	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	836	1 002	757	812
\$10,000 to \$19,999	184		184	217	\$1,000	1 290	808	1 272	774
\$20,000 to \$39,999	160		160	125	farms	(NA)	(NA)	738	794
\$40,000 to \$59,999	66	421	66	78	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	668	464
\$60,000 and over	83		82		farms	(NA)	(NA)	379	383
Livestock and poultry purchased	366	505	335	436	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	334	174
farms	3 861	3 529	3 813	3 501	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	290	287
\$1,000					farms	(NA)	(NA)	167	68
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	554	743	498	623	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	756	811
farms	3 398	2 782	3 361	2 735	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	103	68
\$1,000					Hired farm labor	289	505	273	458
Commercially mixed formula feeds	474	616	438	544	\$1,000	780	613	769	598
farms	2 662	1 798	2 638	1 775	farms	28	656	28	26
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	166	127	\$1,000	19	395	19	10
farms	(NA)	(NA)	249	171	Machine hire and customwork	496		471	577
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	174	236	\$1,000	591		585	376
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	431	670	farms	826	956	760	814
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	52	87	\$1,000	7 855	5 300	7 627	5 150
farms	(NA)	(NA)	44	120	\$1,000				
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	415	(NA)	\$1,000				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	176	(NA)					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)							
farms	(NA)	(NA)							
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)							

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All forms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All forms		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	821	981	742	799					
\$1,000	24 586	12 252	23 962	11 507					
Average per form	29 946	12 488	32 294	14 401					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	1	28	-	188					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	99	296	75						
\$5,000 to \$9,999	122	202	84	175					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	147	238	136	222					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	140		138	106					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	172	217	169	93					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	59		59	15					
\$70,000 and over	81		81						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	739	908	680	745					
mfd in last 5 years	1 043	1 305	971	1 066					
Motor trucks, including pickups	716	827	660	690					
mfd in last 5 years	1 070	1 128	1 004	973					
Wheel tractors	757	910	691	764					
mfd in last 5 years	2 069	2 300	1 958	2 007					
Crawler tractors	391	609	381	543					
mfd in last 5 years	43		42	47					
mfd in last 5 years	45		44	52					
mfd in last 5 years	2		2	13					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	301	271	300	268					
mfd in last 5 years	315	278	314	275					
Corn heads for combines	127	163	127	162					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	279	510	278	234					
mfd in last 5 years	293	621	292	255					
Mower conditioners	130	247	130	174					
Pickup balers	221		212	329					
mfd in last 5 years	222		213	339					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	12		12	69					
mfd in last 5 years	133	(NA)	130	(NA)					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	136	(NA)	133	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years	41	(NA)	40	(NA)					
Pickup balers	262	312	248	285					
mfd in last 5 years	267	316	253	289					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	25	90	24	84					
mfd in last 5 years	33	(NA)	33	37					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	33	(NA)	33	38					
mfd in last 5 years	9	(NA)	9	15					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	84	(NA)	82	85					
mfd in last 5 years	87	(NA)	85	88					
mfd in last 5 years	25	(NA)	25	38					

Table 7. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales				
	All forms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All forms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Any livestock or poultry	638	(X)	578	(X)	631	(X)	581	(X)	14 434
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	605	(X)	552	(X)	613	(X)	566	(X)	13 587
Cattle and calves	764	(X)	643	(X)	758	(X)	661	(X)	(NA)
1969	493	35 078	447	34 192	473	21 943	436	21 696	6 698
1969	593	36 570	498	35 426	587	28 380	513	27 928	6 839
Farms with—									
1 to 4	34	83	28	68	76	212	56	156	38
5 to 9	27	188	17	116	67	467	56	397	92
10 to 19	84	1 245	65	957	125	1 717	120	1 661	413
20 to 49	148	4 620	139	4 336	100	3 023	100	3 023	771
50 to 99	111	7 645	110	7 585	54	3 494	53	3 429	910
100 to 199	56	7 538	55	7 371	24	3 087	24	3 087	1 030
200 to 499	25	7 276	25	7 276	23	6 439	23	6 439	2 302
500 and over	8	6 483	8	6 483	4	3 504	4	3 504	1 142
Cows and heifers that had calved	419	14 310	382	13 926	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	464	11 834	403	11 366	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	390	13 634	361	13 273	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	10 760	363	10 330	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	44	676	35	653	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	100	1 074	87	1 036	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	25	(X)	433
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	61	(X)	447
Inventory, 1974									
All forms		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	390	13 634	361	13 273	Cattle sold	356	17 613	6 104	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	18	38	17	37	1 to 4	77	188	52	
5 to 9	61	416	47	312	5 to 9	44	313	85	
10 to 19	105	1 508	95	1 373	10 to 19	90	1 187	351	
20 to 49	132	4 042	128	3 921	20 to 49	69	1 991	612	
50 to 99	49	3 221	49	3 221	50 to 99	32	2 144	783	
100 to 199	19	2 359	19	2 359	100 to 199	20	2 622	879	
200 to 499	5	(D)	5	(D)	200 to 499	20	5 664	2 199	
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	4	3 504	1 142	
Milk cows	44	676	35	653	Calves sold	180	4 083	594	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	13	15	10	12	1 or 2	25	40	6	
3 or 4	9	31	4	16	3 or 4	16	51	8	
5 to 9	5	26	4	21	5 to 9	37	260	45	
10 to 19	5	70	5	70	10 to 19	42	572	82	
20 to 49	8	232	8	232	20 to 49	41	1 320	177	
50 to 99	3	(D)	3	(D)	50 to 99	13	915	140	
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199	4	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	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	282	6 478	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	195	12 708	4 647
1969	390	8 991	1969	144	14 034	(NA)
Beef heifers	262	6 042	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	26	436	1 to 9	39	157	53
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	382	13 788	10 to 19	54	728	249
1969	429	15 069	20 to 49	38	1 069	374
			50 to 99	24	1 552	566
			100 to 199	21	2 711	944
			200 to 499	16	4 263	1 629
			500 and over	3	2 228	832

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	349	56 438	333	55 912	380	94 854	368	94 334	6 835
1969	489	76 196	453	75 606	511	117 306	482	116 237	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	7	22	5	17	2	6	2	6	1
5 to 9	15	111	8	60	9	60	6	42	4
10 to 24	32	568	31	558	17	271	12	197	15
25 to 49	49	1 707	47	1 639	29	1 083	28	1 045	74
50 to 99	78	5 486	75	5 256	77	5 430	75	5 300	372
100 to 199	74	10 116	73	9 954	86	11 498	86	11 498	764
200 to 499	71	20 319	71	20 319	112	34 883	111	34 623	2 476
500 and over	23	18 109	23	18 109	48	41 623	48	41 623	3 128
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	69	9 837	64	9 653	221
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	79	10 471	71	10 212	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	66	2 048	58	1 797	69	1 926	60	1 749	(NA)
1969	117	3 956	96	3 573	111	5 336	96	5 101	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	53	1 461	11 031
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	61	(X)	54
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	5	12	(NA)	(NA)	1	4	(NA)
Horses and ponies	109	444	98	421	17	126	16	124	32
1969	188	703	(NA)	(NA)	34	165	(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	242	7 337	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969	378	10 940	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	282	10 374	274	10 294
Other hogs and pigs	327	48 575	1969	410	14 429	394	14 312
1969	436	64 666	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	262	5 722	255	5 681
Lambs under 1 year old	33	585	1969	380	7 625	365	7 551
Ewes 1 year old or older	56	1 168	June 1 and November 30	220	4 652	214	4 613
Rams and wethers	34	44	1969	337	6 804	328	6 761

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	103	(X)	87	(X)	30	(X)	27	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	135	(X)	(NA)	(X)	62	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	98	49 459	83	48 656	27	35 697	24	35 435
1969	167	55 555	130	52 120	65	48 815	55	47 392
Hens and pullets of laying age	97	49 085	83	48 318	27	35 622	24	35 360
1969	161	43 442	126	40 052	60	22 783	50	21 360
Farms with—								
1 to 99	61	2 075	50	1 858	8	318	6	258
100 to 399	28	4 710	25	4 160	15	2 604	14	2 402
400 to 1,599	4	1 800	4	1 800	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	9	545	6	475	2	22	1	10
1969	5	590	5	590	2	350	2	350
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	56	375	47	371
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	96	276

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	83	48 318	24	35 360	Turkeys	1	1	1	(D)
..... 1969	126	40 052	50	21 360	Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	83	48 242	24	35 360	..... 1974	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	2	76	—	—	..... 1969	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	185	—	—	..... 1974	—	—	—	—
..... 1969	5	417	2	(D)	..... 1974	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	13	153	1	75	..... 1969	8	(X)	3	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old .....	—	—	—	—	..... 1974	15	(X)	6	(X)
..... 1969 .....	—	—	—	—	..... 1969	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	686	802	78 691	68 940	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	4	3	83	88	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	573	593	46 271	41 293	1 240 211	1 502 200
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	78	85	2 353	1 766	71 170	70 739
Other small grains for grain	248	342	5 583	6 381	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	8	(NA)	2	(NA)	128	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	391	417	9 263	8 603	24 064	26 076
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	6	7	29	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	6	5	34	20	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	4	(Z)	3	(X)	(X)
Other crops	10	(NA)	1 688	802	(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)	648	736	75 030	65 544	7 403 794	6 612 057	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	111	129	3 154	2 311	45 413	35 076	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	9	13	121	203	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1	1	25	27	625	2 200	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	3	(NA)	58	61	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	207	261	4 695	5 537	13 387	19 261	—	—

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	312	17 721	(X)	—	—	25	1 246	23	137	2	29
..... 1969	442	23 258	(X)	—	—	56	2 846	52	281	4	22
Improved pasture	91	4 049	(X)	—	—	11	471	10	31	1	11
..... 1969	120	9 658	(X)	—	—	25	1 641	25	137	—	—
Corn for all purposes	661	78 305	(X)	—	—	550	72 656	468	8 680	432	5 488
..... 1969	744	68 058	(X)	—	—	591	59 340	551	6 065	478	4 167
Sorghums for all purposes	4	83	(X)	—	—	1	40	—	—	1	6
..... 1969	3	88	(X)	—	—	1	27	1	1	1	2
Wheat (bushels)	78	2 353	71 170	—	—	41	1 309	40	146	1	(Z)
..... 1969	77	1 696	68 523	—	—	48	1 086	(NA)	121	(NA)	1
Oats (bushels)	242	5 560	241 422	—	—	33	864	30	72	4	17
..... 1969	319	6 131	326 155	—	—	70	1 281	(NA)	107	(NA)	17
Barley (bushels)	1	10	300	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
..... 1969	1	2	9	—	—	—	10	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
..... 1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	559	46 099	1 236 060	—	—	69	6 596	42	488	27	170
..... 1969	545	40 727	1 483 657	—	—	52	4 057	(NA)	277	(NA)	54
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
..... 1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	365	9 046	23 510	—	—	32	1 920	32	242	2	18
..... 1969	366	7 947	24 721	—	—	26	1 265	22	83	6	47
Field seed crops	1	5	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... 1969	4	65	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
..... 1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
..... 1969	8	2	128	—	—	2	1	2	1	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	14	12	2 729	—	—	5	11	(NA)	6	(NA)	—
..... 1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	7	(X)	—	—	1	4	1	1	—	—
..... 1969	4	24	(X)	—	—	4	24	4	8	—	—
Land in orchards	6	34	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
..... 1969	5	20	(X)	—	—	2	14	2	11	—	—

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)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	3	3	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	7	17	(X)	1	3	2	1	2	(Z)	-	-	-
1969	3	8	(X)	1	2	2	3	2	1	-	-	-
Other crops	2	(D)	(X)	-	-	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)	(D)

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	632	4 245	719	1 600	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer	604	86 867	636	72 277	Diseases in crops and orchards	7	262	11	540
Lime	90	15 945	166	11 612	acres on which used	4	5	5	5
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	5 554	3 123	8 436	1 065	Weeds or grass in crops	387	85 048	472	66 570
Insects on hay crops	21	619	4	60	acres on which used	769	331	331	331
Insects on other crops	194	39 787	297	37 183	Weeds or brush in pasture	12	42	42	42
Nematodes in crops	1	160	3	327	acres on which used	194	723	723	723
	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	Weeds on all other land	1	2	2	2
					acres on which used	51	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	2	2	2	2
					of crops or thinning of fruit	3	8	8	8
					acres on which used	207	255	255	255
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	2	1	1	1
					Other chemicals (see text)	52	180	180	180
						11	13	13	13
						68	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
						50	(NA)	(NA)	(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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	1	0.1	1	0.1	Land irrigated by—Continued	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	3	3.0	2	2.0	Other sprinkler systems	1	3	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	3	3.0	2	2.0	Land in irrigated farms	10	16	16	16
Cropland irrigated	1	1	1	1	Cropland	3	10	10	10
Harvested cropland irrigated	3	3	2	2	Harvested cropland	3	10	10	10
Cropland pasture irrigated	-	-	-	-	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	-	-	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	-	-	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	-	(X)	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	3	1.0	15	7.5	Farms with artificial drainage	233	301	301	301
Average per acre irrigated	1.0	1.0	7.5	7.5	Proportion of farms	30.6	36.9	36.9	36.9
Land irrigated by—	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	92 691	95 141	95 141	95 141
Furrows or ditches	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	Land drained	59 745	59 718	59 718	59 718
	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	256.4	198.3	198.3	198.3
	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	227	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	-	-	(NA)	(NA)		549	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	-	-	(NA)	(NA)		581	(NA)	(NA)	(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		\$1,000		\$1,000	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		290	11 958	211	7 490	193	4 468
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000		28		14		55	
\$5,000 to \$9,999		32		26		34	
\$10,000 to \$29,999		115		91		68	
\$30,000 to \$49,999		51		39		14	
\$50,000 and over		64		41		22	

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—								273	60	74	188
150 days or more	60	64	113	97	569		769	569	136	64	
25 to 149 days	74	426	180	1 032	136	598	Number of workers	1 139	113	180	
Less than 25 days	188		846		64		Farms with—				
Total contract labor	28	26	(NA)	(NA)	19	10	1 worker	100	35	34	
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	4	(NA)	5	(NA)	6	(NA)	2 workers	46	16	20	
							3 or 4 workers	52	3	10	
							5 to 9 workers	50	6	8	
							10 workers and over	25	-	2	