

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	66	83	66	83			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	222	205	222	205			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	229		229				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	130	237	130	237			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	92	171	92	171			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	57	127	57	127			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	89	151	8	2			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	8	29	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	10	33	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	36	30	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	35	59	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	34 137	16 904	34 051	16 723			
Average per farm dollars	38 573	17 354	42 352	20 270			
Crops, including hay	767	867	752	(NA)			
\$1,000	22 946	7 468	22 927	7 377			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
\$1,000							
Forest products	5	10	5	9			
\$1,000	1	1	1	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	706	805	642	721			
\$1,000	11 190	9 434	11 123	9 345			
Poultry and poultry products	46	(NA)	39	91			
\$1,000	157	(NA)	154	168			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000							
Grains							
\$1,000							
Tobacco							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
\$1,000							
Other field crops							
\$1,000							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
\$1,000							
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
\$1,000							
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000							
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000							
Dairy products							
\$1,000							
Cattle and calves							
\$1,000							
Hogs and pigs							
\$1,000							
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
\$1,000							
Other livestock and livestock products							
\$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		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	150	(NA)	93	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	207	(NA)	191	(NA)	\$1,000		3 356
\$1,000	664	(NA)	643	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related		
Customwork and other agricultural services	105	204	104	180	\$1,000		1 077
\$1,000	461	388	457	299	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips		
Recreational services	10	17	9	17	\$1,000		267
\$1,000	8	29	5	29	Interest, dividends, or royalties		
Government farm programs	47	648	45	600	\$1,000		213
\$1,000	25	1 767	24	1 740	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	76	(NA)	64	(NA)	\$1,000		384
\$1,000	127	(NA)	114	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property		
Other farm-related sources	27	(NA)	23	(NA)	\$1,000		107
\$1,000	43	(NA)	43	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	83	(NA)	79	(NA)			
\$1,000	231	(NA)	224	(NA)			

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	882	974	804	825	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	547	657	528	631
\$1,000	21 306	13 519	21 157	13 285	\$1,000	576	319	575	316
Farms with -					Commercial fertilizer purchased	705	820	690	738
\$1 to \$999	24	64	5	20	\$1,000	3 138	1 167	3 134	1 146
\$1,000 to \$1,999	53	61	18		Other agricultural chemicals purchased				
\$2,000 to \$2,999	40	90	33	60	\$1,000	215	(NA)	204	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	109	124	96	114	\$1,000	105	42	103	42
\$5,000 to \$9,999	136	213	132	209	Lime	(NA)	38	4	34
\$10,000 to \$19,999	191		191	236	\$1,000	(NA)	7	6	7
\$20,000 to \$39,999	176		176	136	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business				
\$40,000 to \$59,999	73	422	73		\$1,000	866	963	793	820
\$60,000 and over	80		80	50	\$1,000	1 741	966	1 711	932
Livestock and poultry purchased	384	549	341	492	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	755	794
\$1,000	3 045	3 328	3 010	3 302	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	786	503
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	592	737	535	649	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	587	464
\$1,000	3 419	1 805	3 383	1 763	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	626	241
Commercially mixed formula feeds	439	534	395	474	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	338	335
\$1,000	1 488	880	1 463	853	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	171	101
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	175	249	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	793	820
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	312	247	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	128	88
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	283	278	Hired farm labor				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 430	560	\$1,000	322	571	317	524
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	118	162	\$1,000	658	580	657	566
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	178	103	Contract labor				
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	472	(NA)	\$1,000	43	653	42	45
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	144	(NA)	\$1,000	95	531	95	30
					Machine hire and customwork				
					\$1,000	460	442	442	578
					\$1,000	805	802	802	490
					\$1,000	851	800	800	823
					\$1,000	7 724	4 781	7 541	4 699

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.....	829	954	760	818					
..... \$1,000.....	25 645	12 224	24 948	11 641					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	30 935	12 813	32 827	14 230					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	3	32	3	162					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	50	226	47						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	105	246	78	218					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	164	237	128	228					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	126		124	112					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	238	213	237	71					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	78		78						
\$70,000 and over.....	65		65	27					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	734	862	690	751					
..... number.....	1 037	1 145	984	1 007					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	611	686	575	631					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	775	878	712	774					
..... number.....	1 839	1 791	1 768	1 644					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	602	572	573	524					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	758	860	698	766					
..... number.....	1 834	1 941	1 752	1 751					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	374	447	360	415					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	30		30	41					
..... number.....	38		38	49					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		2	3					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	472	523	470	503					
..... number.....	612	625	609	596					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	64	169	64	158					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	9	17	9	9					
..... number.....	11	19	11	11					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	9	3	8					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	19		19	8					
..... number.....	19		19	8					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	1					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	92	(NA)	90	(NA)					
..... number.....	96	(NA)	94	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	24	(NA)	24	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	284	262	279	257					
..... number.....	289	268	284	263					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	96	93	96	91					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	86	(NA)	84	62					
..... number.....	89	(NA)	87	64					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	42	(NA)	42	40					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	145	(NA)	145	187					
..... number.....	153	(NA)	153	190					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22	(NA)	22	68					

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.....	697	(X)	631	(X)	706	(X)	642	(X)	11 123
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	657	(X)	607	(X)	686	(X)	637	(X)	9 430
.....1969.....	777	(X)	699	(X)	793	(X)	717	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	639	55 571	590	54 716	669	35 749	622	35 464	7 319
.....1969.....	734	61 507	675	60 589	753	40 047	692	39 533	6 666
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	12	36	8	27	61	148	42	95	22
5 to 9.....1974.....	16	110	11	73	79	530	60	416	84
10 to 19.....1974.....	74	1 013	53	734	110	1 591	102	1 493	279
20 to 49.....1974.....	176	5 466	159	5 049	197	6 017	196	5 997	1 064
50 to 99.....1974.....	168	11 736	166	11 623	143	9 534	143	9 534	1 955
100 to 199.....1974.....	136	17 796	136	17 796	46	6 006	46	6 006	1 339
200 to 499.....1974.....	47	13 352	47	13 352	29	8 567	29	8 567	1 751
500 and over.....1974.....	10	6 062	10	6 062	4	3 356	4	3 356	825
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	549	26 691	516	26 410	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	628	25 557	587	25 174	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	503	24 429	471	24 160	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	23 437	540	23 065	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	97	2 262	89	2 250	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	154	2 120	148	2 109	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	52	(X)	1 495
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	80	(X)	936
Inventory, 1974									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		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.....	503	24 429	471	24 160	Cattle sold.....	491	22 081	5 493	
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	18	53	7	21	1 to 4.....	58	147	36	
5 to 9.....	40	266	29	192	5 to 9.....	69	456	106	
10 to 19.....	91	1 229	82	1 101	10 to 19.....	101	1 391	318	
20 to 49.....	183	5 654	182	5 619	20 to 49.....	132	3 927	880	
50 to 99.....	114	7 695	114	7 695	50 to 99.....	82	5 461	1 371	
100 to 199.....	42	5 571	42	5 571	100 to 199.....	33	4 417	1 177	
200 to 499.....	15	3 961	15	3 961	200 to 499.....	12	3 126	805	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	4	3 156	800	
Milk cows.....	97	2 262	89	2 250	Calves sold.....	331	13 383	1 827	
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	44	55	37	47	1 or 2.....	19	25	3	
3 or 4.....	5	16	4	12	3 or 4.....	12	40	4	
5 to 9.....	5	33	5	33	5 to 9.....	40	268	38	
10 to 19.....	5	74	5	74	10 to 19.....	80	1 072	138	
20 to 49.....	21	694	21	694	20 to 49.....	101	2 989	367	
50 to 99.....	15	1 015	15	1 015	50 to 99.....	53	3 441	480	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	13	1 872	240	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	13	3 676	558	
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	94	16 959	17	(D)	Turkeys	1	1	-	-
1969	171	36 207	37	21 135	1969	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	92	16 633	17	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed	-	-	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	5	326	-	-	Light breed	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1	1	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	5	64	-	-	1969	-	-	-	-
1969	8	536	1	16	Other poultry	7	(X)	-	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	25	114	-	-	1969	20	(X)	4	(X)
1969	3	123	-	-					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	52	61	1 894	1 401	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	377	561	22 451	38 750	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	6	12	325	456	6 750	11 989
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	748	842	231 767	183 322	6 157 823	5 724 344
Other small grains for grain	90	231	3 363	9 910	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	5	(NA)	1	(NA)	54	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	15	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	476	501	22 154	16 576	55 109	40 556
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	3	32	21	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	5	5	23	20	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	-	3	-	1	(X)	(X)
Other crops	5	(NA)	15	644	(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)	22	9	845	187	63 465	10 000	4	1	200	24
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	28	50	960	1 176	9 688	10 718	9	2	499	60
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	4	2	89	30	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	226	380	11 732	21 515	465 948	882 736	26	11	1 813	550
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	259	(NA)	10 650	16 991	(X)	(X)	12	(NA)	296	192
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	311	370	10 447	10 297	31 236	29 727	18	12	658	386

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	294	32 156	(X)	-	-	5	58	5	3	-	-
1969	431	55 517	(X)	-	-	19	611	16	31	6	9
Improved pasture	131	43 197	(X)	1	30	1	70	1	2	-	-
1969	116	18 867	(X)	-	-	2	100	2	4	-	-
Corn for all purposes	52	1 894	(X)	11	699	46	1 836	46	243	14	59
1969	59	1 393	(X)	3	84	44	1 090	44	126	12	34
Sorghums for all purposes	371	22 382	(X)	31	2 109	219	14 942	202	928	75	286
1969	548	38 506	(X)	13	742	452	30 247	427	1 587	106	491
Wheat (bushels)	738	231 597	6 154 036	4	164	596	199 703	578	11 243	227	3 350
1969	764	179 581	5 646 910	1	58	644	156 540	(NA)	9 374	(NA)	2 131
Oats (bushels)	60	1 485	54 238	-	-	42	1 021	38	55	12	14
1969	71	2 387	82 627	-	-	46	1 130	(NA)	54	(NA)	17
Barley (bushels)	38	1 606	52 895	-	-	30	1 220	27	61	16	26
1969	161	6 287	231 475	2	50	124	4 856	(NA)	298	(NA)	63
Rye (bushels)	7	134	1 422	-	-	3	24	3	2	-	-
1969	28	873	17 012	1	40	15	420	(NA)	28	(NA)	3
Other small grains for grain	4	138	(X)	-	-	1	84	1	8	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	6	325	6 750	2	140	1	20	1	1	1	1
1969	12	456	11 989	4	79	6	149	(NA)	9	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	465	21 987	54 759	20	807	149	6 900	138	385	31	73
1969	475	16 189	39 944	12	406	115	3 249	114	225	8	16
Field seed crops	3	13	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	27	570	(X)	-	-	8	142	8	11	-	-
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	3	1	46	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
1969	17	1	109	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	6	31	(X)	3	27	3	27	3	5	-	-
1969	1	2	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards	4	14	(X)	1	5	1	10	1	1	-	-
1969	5	20	(X)	1	15	1	15	1	1	-	-

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)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	3	1	(X)	1	1	1	2	1	(2)	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	2	2	(X)	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	703	754	754	754	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	4	1	4	1
\$1,000	3 238	1 188	1 188	1 188	Diseases in crops and orchards	14	15	14	15
Commercial fertilizer	690	705	705	705	acres on which used	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
acres on which used	225 915	198 840	198 840	198 840	Weeds or grass in crops	5 754	3 276	5 754	3 276
\$1,000	3 134	1 146	1 146	1 146	acres on which used	37	12	37	12
Lime	4	34	34	34	Weeds or brush in pasture	26	70	26	70
acres on which used	417	745	745	745	acres on which used	2 319	4 581	2 319	4 581
\$1,000	843	1 444	1 444	1 444	Weeds on all other land	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	6	7	7	7	acres on which used	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	129	9	9	9	\$1,000	275	(NA)	275	(NA)
acres on which used	4 966	204	204	204	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	1	9	1	9
\$1,000	22	(2)	(2)	(2)	of crops or thinning of fruit	41	157	41	157
Insects on other crops	28	16	16	16	acres on which used	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
acres on which used	3 814	2 121	2 121	2 121	\$1,000	52	158	52	158
\$1,000	20	4	4	4	Insect control on livestock and poultry	6	7	6	7
Nematodes in crops	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	35	(NA)	35	(NA)
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	42	22	22	22	Land irrigated by— Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	5.2	2.6	2.6	2.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	22	(NA)	22	(NA)
Total land irrigated	3 981	1 459	1 459	1 459	acres	3 040	(NA)	3 040	(NA)
Average per farm	94.8	66.3	66.3	66.3	Other sprinkler systems	17	(NA)	17	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	42	22	22	22	acres	771	(NA)	771	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	3 951	1 459	1 459	1 459	Land in irrigated farms	48 497	23 603	48 497	23 603
acres	42	22	22	22	Cropland	29 844	14 000	29 844	14 000
Harvested cropland	3 951	1 459	1 459	1 459	Harvested cropland	26 464	10 189	26 464	10 189
acres	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	2	(X)	2	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	38	(X)	38	(X)
acres	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	12	15	12	15
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	1	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	1.5	1.8	1.5	1.8
acres	30	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	9 511	13 325	9 511	13 325
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	4 599	1 417	1 417	1 417	Land drained	1 874	2 630	1 874	2 630
Average per acre irrigated	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	Average per farm	156.2	175.3	156.2	175.3
acres	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
Land irrigated by—	7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	234	(NA)	234	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	257	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	number	722	(NA)	722	(NA)
acres	—	—	—	—	acres	1 248	(NA)	1 248	(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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	316	208	226	—	—	—
\$1,000	—	13 893	8 017	5 876	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Under \$5,000	—	58	31	59	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	26	23	27	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	95	74	81	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	49	28	28	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	88	52	31	—	—	—

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—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Farms	317	66	137	181
150 days or more	66	69	94	83	367	566	Cash wages paid	657	367	215	75
25 to 149 days	137	491	230	1 147	215	75	Number of workers	799	94	230	475
Less than 25 days	181	—	475	—	75	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	42	45	(NA)	(NA)	95	30	1 worker	141	46	84	90
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	17	(NA)	64	(NA)	44	(NA)	2 workers	74	16	32	29
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers	49	3	16	25
\$5,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers	48	1	5	33
\$10,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over	5	—	—	4
\$15,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					
\$20,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					
\$25,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					
\$30,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					
\$35,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					
\$40,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					
\$45,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					
\$50,000	—	—	—	—	—	—					