

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	23	35	23	35			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	105		105				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	113	101	113	101			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	139	162	139	162			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	111	154	111	154			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	83	139	83	139			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	136	197	9	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	20	41	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	38	42	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	18	37	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	60	77	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	16 369	9 455	16 223	9 217			
Average per farm	23 056	11 999	27 826	15 413			
Crops, including hay	565	623	502	(NA)			
\$1,000	9 349	3 239	9 290	3 138			
Nursery and greenhouse products	2		2				
\$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)			
Forest products	8	23	8	20			
\$1,000	(D)	7	(D)	7			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	548	648	466	525			
\$1,000	6 922	6 210	6 834	6 073			
Poultry and poultry products	26	(NA)	23	51			
\$1,000	1 048	(NA)	1 047	155			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000					502		(NA)
Grains					9 290		3 138
\$1,000					491		493
Tobacco					8 705		2 719
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage					151		239
\$1,000					573		389
Other field crops							
\$1,000							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
\$1,000					3		1
Fruits, nuts, and berries					10		(D)
\$1,000					1		3
\$1,000					1		8
Livestock, poultry, and their products					466		525
\$1,000					6 834		6 073
Poultry and poultry products					23		51
\$1,000					1 047		155
Dairy products					29		59
\$1,000					484		490
Cattle and calves					448		(NA)
\$1,000					3 951		4 253
Hogs and pigs					119		(NA)
\$1,000					1 320		1 175
Sheep, lambs, and wool					21		
\$1,000					11		
Other livestock and livestock products					14		
\$1,000					12		

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	188	(NA)	106	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	221	(NA)	190	(NA)			
\$1,000	405	(NA)	380	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services	72	137	70	128			
\$1,000	138	128	137	117			
Recreational services	3	4	3	2			
\$1,000	4	4	4	3			
Government farm programs	112	452	107	385			
\$1,000	130	863	127	816			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	75	(NA)	51	(NA)			
\$1,000	115	(NA)	93	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	21	(NA)	20	(NA)			
\$1,000	19	(NA)	19	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	61	(NA)	58	(NA)			
\$1,000	109	(NA)	108	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources ²							
\$1,000					342		2 560
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related					57		394
\$1,000							
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips					214		1 678
\$1,000							
Interest, dividends, or royalties					148		210
\$1,000							
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.					77		227
\$1,000							
Rent income of nonfarm property					24		51
\$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	710	788	583	598					
\$1,000	11 581	7 439	11 360	7 175					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999	55	96	8	30					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	66	91	19						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	38	49	21	32					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	74	132	63	119					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	163	214	158	120					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	154		154						
\$20,000 to \$39,999	103		103						
\$40,000 to \$59,999	31	206	31	25					
\$60,000 and over	26		26						
Livestock and poultry purchased	271	367	223	323					
\$1,000	1 273	1 379	1 240	1 350					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	517	589	439	473					
\$1,000	2 085	954	2 043	915					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	422	444	372	389					
\$1,000	1 372	608	1 356	594					
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	161	139					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	247	115					
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	166	112					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	352	131					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	81	119					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	88	76					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	355	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	85	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	503	518	463	445					
\$1,000	328	175	325	167					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	527	606	472	506					
\$1,000	1 678	644	1 662	630					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	343	(NA)	335	(NA)					
\$1,000	375	132	375	129					
Lime	(NA)	111	50	100					
\$1,000	(NA)	33	27	31					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	683	783	580	596					
\$1,000	879	557	849	517					
Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	568	587					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	511	357					
Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	288	233					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	215	83					
LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	109	163					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	57	33					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	580	582					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	66	44					
Hired farm labor	188	340	178	303					
\$1,000	401	284	401	277					
Contract labor	26	407	23	46					
\$1,000	111	230	110	38					
Machine hire and customwork	265		248	321					
\$1,000	228		226	179					
All other production expenses	687	737	583	596					
\$1,000	4 221	3 083	4 045	2 971					

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					Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment—farms—	692	771	568	588	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled—farms—	320	344	316	327
..... \$1,000—	16 017	7 521	14 967	6 938	..... number—	337	360	333	343
Average per farm—dollars—	23 146	9 755	26 351	11 799	..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	81	106	81	106
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines—farms—	82	158	82	113
\$1 to \$999—	2	49	1	183	..... number—	83	177	83	116
\$1,000 to \$4,999—	83	293	55		..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	17	41	17	40
\$5,000 to \$9,999—	113	163	66	150	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers—farms—	31		30	52
\$10,000 to \$19,999—	166	139	123	130	..... number—	32		31	53
\$20,000 to \$29,999—	133		129	76	..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	1		1	1
\$30,000 to \$49,999—	128	127	127	43	Mower conditioners—farms—	116	(NA)	106	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999—	40		40	6	..... number—	121	(NA)	110	(NA)
\$70,000 and over—	27		27		..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	35	(NA)	31	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers—farms—	302	306	289	285
Automobiles—farms—	611	681	500	530	..... number—	317	313	303	292
..... number—	755	920	638	711	..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	76	104	76	103
..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	399	443	325	377	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled—farms—	101	(NA)	101	60
Motor trucks, including pickups—farms—	651	675	544	543	..... number—	104	(NA)	104	62
..... number—	1 255	1 165	1 137	1 017	..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	33	(NA)	33	35
..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	350	315	338	278	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type—farms—	64	(NA)	64	77
Wheel tractors—farms—	610	678	515	542	..... number—	67	(NA)	67	79
..... number—	1 344	1 363	1 202	1 139	..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	8	(NA)	8	16
..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	289	334	238	314					
Crawler tractors—farms—	24		22	30					
..... number—	26		24	33					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number—	—		—	5					

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—1974—	556	(X)	467	(X)	548	(X)	466	(X)	6 834
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep—1974—	550	(X)	463	(X)	546	(X)	465	(X)	5 292
..... 1969—	614	(X)	500	(X)	636	(X)	520	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves—1974—	531	42 011	446	40 349	525	19 443	448	18 904	3 951
..... 1969—	573	43 523	474	41 857	591	26 549	491	25 700	4 253
Farms with—									
1 to 4—1974—	7	21	4	12	62	158	28	82	14
5 to 9—1974—	46	363	15	110	74	518	52	352	70
10 to 19—1974—	50	726	35	503	129	1 786	109	1 511	280
20 to 49—1974—	160	5 269	128	4 354	143	4 509	142	4 487	831
50 to 99—1974—	132	9 235	128	8 973	77	5 241	77	5 241	1 081
100 to 199—1974—	85	11 152	85	11 152	32	4 274	32	4 274	935
200 to 499—1974—	48	12 895	48	12 895	7	(D)	7	(D)	(D)
500 and over—1974—	3	2 350	3	2 350	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved—1974—	492	21 600	419	20 807	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969—	506	19 185	437	18 505	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows—1974—	469	20 778	397	19 996	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969—	(NA)	17 931	406	17 313	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows—1974—	63	822	56	811	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969—	124	1 254	105	1 192	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold—1974—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	484
..... 1969—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	59	(X)	490
Inventory, 1974									
All forms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		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—469	20 778	397	19 996	Cattle sold—369	12 538	3 088			
Farms with—				Farms with—					
1 to 4—39	137	13	36	1 to 4—62	138	30			
5 to 9—37	257	25	178	5 to 9—67	451	101			
10 to 19—80	1 148	55	795	10 to 19—68	922	204			
20 to 49—173	5 500	164	5 251	20 to 49—98	2 997	623			
50 to 99—94	6 454	94	6 454	50 to 99—50	3 504	860			
100 to 199—37	4 548	37	4 548	100 to 199—18	2 330	636			
200 to 499—9	2 734	9	2 734	200 to 499—5	(D)	(D)			
500 and over—	—	—	—	500 and over—1	(D)	(D)			
Milk cows—63	822	56	811	Calves sold—245	6 366	863			
Farms with—				Farms with—					
1 or 2—36	48	29	37	1 or 2—14	21	3			
3 or 4—2	8	2	8	3 or 4—18	63	6			
5 to 9—6	43	6	43	5 to 9—38	264	33			
10 to 19—8	125	8	125	10 to 19—75	932	127			
20 to 49—7	198	7	198	20 to 49—69	2 164	297			
50 to 99—3	(D)	3	(D)	50 to 99—24	1 490	201			
100 to 199—	—	—	—	100 to 199—5	(D)	(D)			
200 to 499—1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499—2	(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..	45	(D)	12	(D)	Turkeys	1974..	-	-
	1969..	82	26 543	30	20 144		1969..	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	1974..	44	(D)	12	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	1974..	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974..	1	29	-	-	Heavy breed	1974..	-	-
						Light breed	1974..	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974..	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1974..	-	-
	1969..	3	15 037	-	-		1969..	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974..	9	22	-	-	Other poultry	1974..	3	(X) 1 (X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974..	-	-	-	-		1969..	9	(X) - (X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	110	239	5 986	10 653	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	387	356	32 012	18 619	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	351	356	24 095	21 216	505 646	381 605
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	452	536	42 924	34 331	1 089 060	894 847
Other small grains for grain	62	91	895	1 947	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	9	(NA)	38	(NA)	1 460	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	75	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	490	487	25 615	25 124	43 573	54 781
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	5	2	24	24	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	7	8	44	63	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	4	1	12	(X)	(X)
Other crops	31	(NA)	915	745	(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)	80	207	4 323	9 181	143 290	398 734	2	2	140	61
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	41	43	1 522	1 239	8 923	10 358	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	5	2	109	40	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	361	315	29 826	17 096	1 055 522	847 723	6	1	156	51
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	57	(NA)	2 058	1 039	(X)	(X)	2	(NA)	61	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	260	348	9 842	13 168	23 683	38 150	1	-	70	-

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	1974..	291	32 538	(X)	1	230	49	3 486	47	311	3	38
	1969..	319	33 468	(X)	-	-	74	3 733	71	682	3	13
Improved pasture	1974..	131	26 622	(X)	-	-	24	1 737	24	100	-	-
	1969..	133	27 482	(X)	-	-	24	2 560	22	258	2	5
Corn for all purposes	1974..	104	5 954	(X)	2	140	89	5 159	84	599	35	123
	1969..	224	10 460	(X)	2	61	189	8 885	188	1 032	28	170
Sorghums for all purposes	1974..	373	31 884	(X)	7	217	259	24 797	242	2 271	92	540
	1969..	331	18 135	(X)	1	51	271	15 137	271	1 777	32	177
Wheat (bushels)	1974..	436	42 741	1 085 555	3	84	326	34 963	316	3 096	49	310
	1969..	458	32 642	859 980	-	-	375	27 398	(NA)	2 011	(NA)	192
Oats (bushels)	1974..	52	764	21 553	-	-	31	414	28	39	6	3
	1969..	34	606	20 568	-	-	25	462	(NA)	40	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels)	1974..	7	98	2 880	-	-	5	78	4	4	1	2
	1969..	57	1 269	40 840	-	-	45	1 017	(NA)	74	(NA)	12
Rye (bushels)	1974..	1	5	100	-	-	1	5	1	1	-	-
	1969..	3	25	575	-	-	1	12	(NA)	1	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974..	2	22	(X)	-	-	1	14	1	1	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	343	23 987	504 813	5	379	40	3 468	36	303	4	33
	1969..	328	20 576	372 479	1	28	51	2 706	(NA)	148	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	426	24 098	41 478	3	158	99	3 920	95	434	5	9
	1969..	419	23 884	52 104	-	-	83	2 532	81	312	2	7
Field seed crops	1974..	27	881	(X)	-	-	8	313	5	20	3	10
	1969..	32	734	(X)	-	-	10	142	7	13	3	7
Cotton (bales)	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974..	2	3	60	-	-	1	1	1	(2)	-	-
	1969..	14	1	181	-	-	4	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974..	4	23	(X)	1	14	2	22	2	4	-	-
	1969..	1	20	(X)	-	-	1	20	1	1	-	-
Land in orchards	1974..	4	28	(X)	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969..	5	41	(X)	-	-	1	20	1	2	-	-

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.....	3	10	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	2	1	(X)	2	1	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—	—
1969.....	2	11	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	3	33	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—	—
1974.....	3	33	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—	—

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	490	523	472	759	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	6	5	—	—
\$1,000.....	2	037	472	759	Diseases in crops and orchards	1	322	8	304
Commercial fertilizer	79	096	64	626	acres on which used.....	1	8	1	1
\$1,000.....	8	330	6	936	Weeds or grass in crops	209	217	201	56
Lime	1	662	630	100	acres on which used.....	32	395	17	588
\$1,000.....	50	100	4	006	Weeds or brush in pasture	201	201	201	68
acres on which used.....	2	730	10	359	acres on which used.....	5	742	5	246
\$1,000.....	27	31	3	962	Weeds on all other land	16	16	16	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	158	6	50	48	acres on which used.....	306	1	1	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	6	324	(2)	156	\$1,000.....	1	3	197	3
acres on which used.....	31	31	8	152	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	2	2	2	197
\$1,000.....	50	48	3	962	of crops or thinning of fruit	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
acres on which used.....	8	152	53	11	Insect control on livestock and poultry	50	50	50	153
\$1,000.....	2	4	154	248	acres on which used.....	3	3	3	10
acres on which used.....	1	1	49	(NA)	Other chemicals (see text)	49	(NA)	49	(NA)
\$1,000.....	1	1	33	(NA)	\$1,000.....	33	(NA)	33	(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	12	2	2	2	Land irrigated by— Continued	6	(NA)	—	—
Proportion of farms	2.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1	016	4	(NA)
Total land irrigated	1	231	139	69.5	Other sprinkler systems	53	(NA)	53	(NA)
Average per farm	102.6	69.5	2	2	Land in irrigated farms	7	070	1	106
Cropland irrigated	12	2	2	2	Cropland.....	4	724	660	660
Harvested cropland irrigated	1	231	139	69.5	Harvested cropland	3	582	503	503
acres	12	2	2	2	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	(X)
Cropland pasture irrigated	1	001	139	69.5	between 1970 and 1973	—	—	—	(X)
acres	1	001	139	69.5	acres irrigated in most recent year.....	—	—	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	43	64	43	64
acres	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms	7.4	10.7	7.4	10.7
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	30	602	42	813
acres	—	—	—	—	Land drained	7	039	9	198
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	906	100	100	100	Average per farm	163.7	143.7	163.7	143.7
Average per acre irrigated	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
Land irrigated by—	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	329	(NA)	329	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	32	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	number.....	1	489	1	489
acres	32	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres.....	1	227	1	227

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)	—	262	200	174	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	—	10	313	7	294	3	019
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	36	21	50	—	—	—
Under \$5,000	—	48	36	40	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	84	66	51	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	28	33	22	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	66	44	11	—	—	—
\$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)		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—	35	27	60	37	300	277	178	35	26	140
150 days or more	26	288	42	837	26	277	401	300	26	75
25 to 149 days	140	—	590	—	75	—	692	60	42	590
Less than 25 days	23	46	(NA)	(NA)	110	38	93	23	19	75
Total contract labor	7	(NA)	21	(NA)	13	(NA)	25	8	6	12
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	7	(NA)	21	(NA)	13	(NA)	29	1	—	29
1 worker	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	3	—	14
2 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	1	10
3 or 4 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 to 9 workers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 workers and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—