

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

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	92	126	91	126	Crops	1 570	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999	546	735	546	735	\$1,000	11 377	3 687
\$20,000 to \$39,999	971		971		farms	1 219	1 286
					\$1,000	7 909	2 147
\$10,000 to \$19,999	712	1 110	712	1 110	Tobacco	4	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	412	656	412	656	farms	26	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999	282	382	282	380	\$1,000	-	-
Under \$2,500 (see text)	368	567	17	21	Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
\$2,000 to \$2,499	80	80	(X)	(X)	farms	836	902
\$1,500 to \$1,999	70	96	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	3 047	1 413
\$1,000 to \$1,499	95	116	(X)	(X)	Other field crops	2	15
Under \$1,000 (see text)	123	275	(X)	(X)	farms	2	12
					\$1,000	35	40
Market value of agricultural products sold					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	369	87
\$1,000	98 826	55 238	98 237	54 591	farms	5	15
Average per farm	29 213	15 446	32 411	18 028	\$1,000	24	16
Crops, including hay	1 762	2 027	1 570	(NA)	Livestock, poultry, and their products	2 750	2 908
\$1,000	11 615	4 037	11 377	3 687	\$1,000	86 610	50 850
Nursery and greenhouse products	17		14	4	farms	350	544
\$1,000	245		241	47	Poultry and poultry products	19 737	8 251
Forest products	35	36	28	34	farms	1 999	2 348
\$1,000	9	7	9	7	\$1,000	45 143	26 300
Livestock, poultry, and their products	2 985	3 180	2 750	2 908	Cattle and calves	2 545	(NA)
\$1,000	86 957	51 193	86 610	50 850	\$1,000	11 866	9 632
Poultry and poultry products	390	(NA)	350	544	Hogs and pigs	1 288	(NA)
\$1,000	19 761	(NA)	19 737	8 251	farms	9 289	6 666
					\$1,000	42	
					Sheep, lambs, and wool	30	
					farms	30	
					\$1,000	40	
					Other livestock and livestock products	39	
					farms	546	
					\$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	533	(NA)	291	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	1 215
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	524	(NA)	458	(NA)	\$1,000	7 533
\$1,000	701	(NA)	638	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	199
farms	234	388	217	366	farms	1 323
\$1,000	307	288	287	275	\$1,000	
Customwork and other agricultural services	11	32	10	20	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	642
farms	5	46	5	25	farms	5 196
\$1,000	145	1 233	137	969	Interest, dividends, or royalties	528
Recreational services	149	1 173	146	994	farms	537
farms	157	(NA)	111	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	209
\$1,000	162	(NA)	131	(NA)	farms	404
Government farm programs	64	(NA)	56	(NA)	\$1,000	
farms	79	(NA)	70	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	43
\$1,000	173	(NA)	152	(NA)	farms	43
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	163	(NA)	155	(NA)	\$1,000	73
farms						
\$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	3 368	3 576	3 031	3 028	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	2 842	3 079	2 684	2 769
\$1,000	73 055	39 242	72 344	38 383	\$1,000	2 115	899	2 083	865
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	2 101	2 111	2 005	1 957
\$1 to \$999	170	237	32	94	farms	3 304	1 129	3 274	1 106
\$1,000 to \$1,999	190	273	101		\$1,000				
\$2,000 to \$2,999	183	296	131	213	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	1 698	(NA)	1 630	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	356	510	313	468	farms	897	368	888	356
\$5,000 to \$9,999	659	987	645	981	\$1,000	(NA)	145	92	136
\$10,000 to \$19,999	829		829	907	farms	(NA)	49	63	48
\$20,000 to \$39,999	686	1 273	686	283	\$1,000				
\$40,000 to \$59,999	146		146		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	3 244	3 553	2 922	3 028
\$60,000 and over	149		148	82	farms	4 316	2 578	4 238	2 461
Livestock and poultry purchased	1 480	1 827	1 299	1 629	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2 902	2 985
farms	8 200	4 781	8 081	4 694	farms	(NA)	(NA)	2 759	1 785
\$1,000					\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 302	894
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	2 626	2 913	2 393	2 669	farms	(NA)	(NA)	678	243
farms	25 281	11 036	25 106	10 943	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	426	292
\$1,000					farms	(NA)	(NA)	371	133
\$1,000					\$1,000				
Commercially mixed formula feeds	2 048	2 216	1 897	2 092	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	2 916	3 025
farms	18 235	7 128	18 161	7 078	farms	(NA)	(NA)	429	300
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	974	1 091	Hired farm labor	986	1 785	937	1 624
farms	(NA)	(NA)	3 160	1 631	farms	2 089	1 566	2 052	1 498
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	840	1 178	\$1,000	100	2 361	94	124
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	3 462	1 952	farms	148	933	145	66
farms	(NA)	(NA)	333	560	Contract labor	1 706		1 597	2 080
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	323	282	farms	1 174		1 155	825
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000	3 269	3 418	3 029	3 023
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)			farms	25 530	15 951	24 268	15 568
farms	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)							
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	1 935	(NA)					
farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 053	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)							

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.....	2 127	43 789	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	526	10 326	3 707
1969.....	2 404	44 435	1969.....	364	8 682	(NA)
Beef heifers.....	528	8 637	Farms with—			
Milk heifers.....	1 742	35 152	1 to 9.....	243	1 193	389
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves.....	1 920	39 077	10 to 19.....	143	1 869	645
1969.....	2 120	29 563	20 to 49.....	106	2 956	1 066
			50 to 99.....	17	1 080	388
			100 to 199.....	12	1 601	602
			200 to 499.....	5	1 627	617
			500 and over.....	—	—	—

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.....	1 333	89 691	1 241	87 979	1 359	203 874	1 288	201 606	9 289
1969.....	1 795	89 353	1 705	87 525	1 825	202 906	1 742	199 925	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	120	345	85	266	42	117	30	83	7
5 to 9.....	146	1 014	123	857	62	444	54	384	24
10 to 24.....	316	4 951	296	4 618	164	2 706	139	2 311	138
25 to 49.....	243	8 430	237	8 206	241	8 733	224	8 114	432
50 to 99.....	258	17 168	251	16 696	293	20 951	285	20 351	1 041
100 to 199.....	165	21 798	165	21 798	288	39 290	288	39 290	1 918
200 to 499.....	69	19 449	68	19 002	178	50 943	178	50 943	2 063
500 and over.....	16	16 536	16	16 536	91	80 690	90	80 130	3 665
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	721	105 071	686	103 950	2 254
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	949	109 285	898	107 494	(NA)
Sheep and lambs.....	67	2 252	54	1 605	48	1 591	37	1 149	(NA)
1969.....	80	3 425	65	3 144	77	2 471	70	2 257	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	42	1 046	19 037
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	42	(X)	30
Goats.....	(NA)	(NA)	1	4	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	10	29	(NA)	(NA)	3	9	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	255	962	188	707	27	117	18	50	13
1969.....	313	1 181	(NA)	(NA)	38	217	(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.....	1 100	17 765	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969.....	1 552	20 936	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	1 223	26 338	1 152	25 901
Other hogs and pigs.....	1 076	70 214	1969.....	1 708	27 258	1 634	26 822
1969.....	1 458	66 589	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	1 102	13 843	1 059	13 621
Lambs under 1 year old.....	42	601	1969.....	1 543	14 214	1 488	13 995
Ewes 1 year old or older.....	51	938	June 1 and November 30.....	1 005	12 495	952	12 280
Rams and wethers.....	38	66	1969.....	1 418	13 044	1 362	12 827

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.....	623	(X)	540	(X)	276	(X)	252	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	652	(X)	(NA)	(X)	368	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	514	451 095	438	446 072	178	596 554	155	594 142
1969.....	681	514 053	611	505 792	335	601 730	312	597 832
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	485	415 726	420	412 027	165	307 000	145	304 808
1969.....	639	365 486	577	357 896	305	283 530	284	279 989
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	289	9 558	231	8 059	49	2 121	34	1 749
100 to 399.....	151	28 405	145	27 505	79	14 549	75	14 029
400 to 1,599.....	17	10 550	16	9 250	8	4 934	7	3 634
1,600 to 3,199.....	2	4 600	2	4 600	8	20 003	8	20 003
3,200 to 9,999.....	9	64 020	9	64 020	10	81 513	10	81 513
10,000 to 19,999.....	10	131 593	10	131 593	8	105 040	8	105 040
20,000 to 49,999.....	7	167 000	7	167 000	3	78 840	3	78 840
50,000 to 99,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	149	335 912	131	334 177	63	1 358 048	56	1 356 798
1969.....	31	209 750	28	209 300	34	1 210 370	32	1 210 300
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000).....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	390	19 761	350	19 737
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	544	8 251

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	420	412 027	145	304 808	Turkeys	1974	10	344 341	27	3 315 439
	1969	577	357 896	284	279 989		1969	15	268 008	25	1 613 516
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	410	372 315	139	259 664	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	10	344 341	27	3 315 439
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	19	39 712	7	45 144	Heavy breed	1974	8	234 357	24	2 568 300
						Light breed	1974	3	109 984	8	747 139
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	9	26 895	5	284 500	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	19	130 109	11	303 300		1969	2	6	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	81	7 150	13	4 834	Other poultry	1974	47	(X)	21	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	8	179 609	1	(D)		1969	52	(X)	13	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms									
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested				Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		2 809	2 854	164 548	132 125	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes		28	79	589	844	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		399	425	13 891	12 873	196 052	205 809				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-				
Wheat (bushels)		269	109	9 118	1 146	244 316	34 812				
Other small grains for grain		2 557	2 876	105 843	122 422	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)		-	-	-	-	-	-				
Tobacco (pounds)		4	5	26	18	51 300	36 011				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		30	(NA)	30	(NA)	3 062	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		1	(NA)	2	(NA)	180	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry)		2 856	2 869	124 087	122 377	321 158	333 089				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		46	51	1 016	534	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards		12	20	31	44	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale		8	21	6	26	(X)	(X)				
Other crops		110	(NA)	1 760	1 351	(X)	(X)				

		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)		2 176	2 094	93 828	59 714	4 621 109	3 350 157	20	14	1 894	622
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		2 012	2 329	66 864	67 989	597 696	575 741	12	5	473	100
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		57	83	1 183	1 264	(X)	(X)	2	-	80	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		-	3	-	54	-	1 433	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		27	(NA)	585	773	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	10	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		2 537	2 426	96 739	91 138	271 202	275 325	6	1	172	20

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	1 368	67 532	(X)	-	-	40	1 114	40	103	-	-
	1969	1 653	80 573	(X)	1	10	83	1 710	83	233	-	-
Improved pasture	1974	299	13 651	(X)	-	-	18	519	17	42	1	10
	1969	267	8 842	(X)	-	-	22	464	22	61	-	-
Corn for all purposes	1974	2 636	161 875	(X)	28	2 447	1 724	115 749	1 702	11 217	400	2 052
	1969	2 661	128 967	(X)	14	722	1 580	80 967	1 555	7 332	316	1 151
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	27	585	(X)	1	10	8	430	8	23	-	-
	1969	77	827	(X)	-	-	28	314	28	40	1	(Z)
Wheat (bushels)	1974	253	8 998	242 480	1	80	88	4 302	85	298	22	51
	1969	101	1 114	33 784	-	-	20	269	(NA)	31	(NA)	(Z)
Oats (bushels)	1974	2 408	98 395	4 945 261	3	42	368	15 807	361	1 174	14	33
	1969	2 592	112 629	6 010 955	1	30	289	11 757	(NA)	1 018	(NA)	13
Barley (bushels)	1974	43	1 425	57 832	-	-	20	855	20	78	2	10
	1969	31	918	37 576	1	30	10	331	(NA)	28	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	1974	84	2 439	58 709	-	-	11	241	10	15	1	3
	1969	94	1 836	39 795	-	-	4	103	(NA)	8	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	49	1 588	(X)	-	-	11	538	8	18	4	9
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	386	13 663	193 484	4	67	90	3 585	90	242	1	2
	1969	367	11 984	194 492	3	65	55	1 925	(NA)	129	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	2 642	120 389	315 228	7	275	381	16 579	381	1 887	3	6
	1969	2 535	115 265	320 052	1	20	370	13 345	369	1 621	2	5
Field seed crops	1974	60	699	(X)	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	73	887	(X)	-	-	2	8	2	6	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	4	26	51 300	-	-	2	19	2	9	-	-
	1969	4	16	32 411	-	-	2	12	(NA)	4	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	18	12	833	2	(Z)	6	9	6	1	2	(Z)
	1969	88	37	2 755	2	1	10	5	(NA)	3	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	39	1 008	(X)	8	302	12	440	12	65	1	5
	1969	43	522	(X)	7	113	17	412	17	56	-	-
Land in orchards	1974	5	25	(X)	1	1	1	1	1	(Z)	1	(Z)
	1969	6	29	(X)	1	(Z)	3	26	3	12	-	-

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	1974.....	6	4	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969.....	18	24	(X)	1	(Z)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974.....	14	2	(X)	1	(Z)	6	1	5	2	1	(Z)
	1969.....	4	5	(X)	—	—	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	—	—
Other crops	1974.....	34	1 054	(X)	7	401	17	718	17	58	—	—

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	2 279	2 231	2 231	2 231	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	10	10	10	10
farms.....	4 163	1 461	1 461	1 461	Diseases in crops and orchards	407	348	407	348
\$1,000.....	2 005	1 714	1 714	1 714	farms.....	2	1	2	1
Commercial fertilizer	161 096	111 918	111 918	111 918	acres on which used.....	1 096	1 290	1 096	1 290
farms.....	17 423	11 860	11 860	11 860	\$1,000.....	95 307	83 268	95 307	83 268
acres on which used.....	3 274	1 106	1 106	1 106	farms.....	524	233	524	233
tons.....	92	136	136	136	acres on which used.....	25	59	25	59
\$1,000.....	3 516	3 616	3 616	3 616	farms.....	611	719	611	719
Lime	9 262	10 828	10 828	10 828	acres on which used.....	2	2	2	2
farms.....	63	48	48	48	\$1,000.....	667	(NA)	667	(NA)
acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—	farms.....	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
\$1,000.....	153	26	26	26	acres on which used.....	271	977	271	977
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	5 841	990	990	990	farms.....	1	3	1	3
Insects on hay crops	32	3	3	3	acres on which used.....	341	707	341	707
farms.....	432	159	159	159	\$1,000.....	28	34	28	34
acres on which used.....	32 752	7 713	7 713	7 713	farms.....	297	(NA)	297	(NA)
\$1,000.....	181	22	22	22	acres.....	50	(NA)	50	(NA)
farms.....	4	6	6	6	\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—
acres on which used.....	118	257	257	257	farms.....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	(Z)	1	1	1	acres.....	—	—	—	—
Nematodes in crops	—	—	—	—	farms.....	—	—	—	—
farms.....	—	—	—	—	acres.....	—	—	—	—
acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—	farms.....	—	—	—	—
\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	acres.....	—	—	—	—

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	34	1 008	17	1 008	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	1.1	59.2	0.5	59.2	Self-propelled sprinkler systems.....	23	(NA)	23	(NA)
Total land irrigated	3 597	1 008	1 008	1 008	acres.....	3 203	(NA)	3 203	(NA)
Average per farm	105.8	59.2	59.2	59.2	Other sprinkler systems	12	(NA)	12	(NA)
farms.....	34	17	17	17	acres.....	394	(NA)	394	(NA)
acres.....	3 597	1 008	1 008	1 008	Land in irrigated farms.....	13 095	7 033	13 095	7 033
Harvested cropland irrigated	34	17	17	17	Cropland	10 545	5 869	10 545	5 869
farms.....	3 539	998	998	998	Harvested cropland	7 943	4 355	7 943	4 355
acres.....	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	(X)	—	(X)
farms.....	—	10	10	10	between 1970 and 1973	—	(X)	—	(X)
acres.....	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year.....	—	(X)	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	441	590	441	590
farms.....	58	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	14.5	19.4	14.5	19.4
acres.....	—	—	—	—	acres.....	117 868	150 530	117 868	150 530
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Land drained	27 238	35 622	27 238	35 622
farms.....	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	61.8	60.3	61.8	60.3
acres.....	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	2 254	524	524	524	tanks.....	236	(NA)	236	(NA)
Average per acre irrigated	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	number.....	618	(NA)	618	(NA)
acres.....	—	—	—	—	acres.....	275	(NA)	275	(NA)
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—					
Furrows or ditches	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
farms.....	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					
acres.....	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)					

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	1 175	939	759
\$1,000.....	36 210	22 670	13 540
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	144	118	189
\$5,000 to \$9,999	154	145	150
\$10,000 to \$29,999	461	410	293
\$30,000 to \$49,999	194	157	68
\$50,000 and over	222	109	59

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	204	467	292	1 429	1 498	Farms	937	273	286	538
150 days or more	286	—	596	—	341	—	Cash wages paid	2 052	1 429	341	282
25 to 149 days	538	1 491	2 318	4 155	282	—	Number of workers	3 381	467	596	2 318
Less than 25 days	94	124	(NA)	(NA)	145	66	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	—	—	—	—	—	—	1 worker	409	175	148	227
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	43	(NA)	170	(NA)	81	(NA)	2 workers	162	50	72	67
	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers	168	40	45	104
	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers	137	7	20	84
	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over	61	1	1	56