

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.....	240	285	240	285			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	291		291				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	227	278	227	278			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	134	261	134	261			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	73	167	73	167			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	64	82	64	82			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	67	149	5	4			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	18	19	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	8	43	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	16	18	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	25	69	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
Average per farm..... dollars.....	128 790	72 808	128 716	72 645			
Crops, including hay..... farms.....	830	949	813	(NA)			
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms.....	38 191	12 967	38 174	12 899			
Forest products..... farms.....	5		5	3			
Forest products..... \$1,000.....	63		63	25			
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....	2		2				
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... \$1,000.....	1		1				
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....	852	1 006	807	902			
Poultry and poultry products..... \$1,000.....	90 535	59 841	90 478	59 721			
Other livestock and livestock products..... farms.....	55	(NA)	53	96			
Other livestock and livestock products..... \$1,000.....	32	(NA)	31	152			
Specified products sold:							
Crops..... farms.....			813	(NA)			
Crops..... \$1,000.....			38 174	12 899			
Grains..... farms.....			681	776			
Grains..... \$1,000.....			28 907	9 000			
Tobacco..... farms.....							
Tobacco..... \$1,000.....							
Cotton and cottonseed..... farms.....							
Cotton and cottonseed..... \$1,000.....							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms.....			531	660			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... \$1,000.....			7 861	3 598			
Other field crops..... farms.....			17	23			
Other field crops..... \$1,000.....			1 406	299			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms.....			1	2			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... \$1,000.....			(2)	2			
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms.....				3			
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... \$1,000.....				1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms.....			807	902			
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... \$1,000.....			90 478	59 721			
Poultry and poultry products..... farms.....			53	96			
Poultry and poultry products..... \$1,000.....			31	152			
Dairy products..... farms.....			30	71			
Dairy products..... \$1,000.....			351	228			
Cattle and calves..... farms.....			696	(NA)			
Cattle and calves..... \$1,000.....			82 396	54 030			
Hogs and pigs..... farms.....			321	(NA)			
Hogs and pigs..... \$1,000.....			7 247	5 311			
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms.....			47				
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... \$1,000.....			170				
Other livestock and livestock products..... farms.....			27				
Other livestock and livestock products..... \$1,000.....			282				

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	125	(NA)	86	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ² farms.....	476
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ farms.....	313	(NA)	301	(NA)	Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ \$1,000.....	3 202
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ \$1,000.....	1 838	(NA)	1 812	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related..... farms.....	66
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms.....	164	194	163	192	Customwork and other agricultural services..... \$1,000.....	827
Customwork and other agricultural services..... \$1,000.....	847	519	846	519	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms.....	289
Recreational services..... farms.....		7		3	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... \$1,000.....	1 676
Recreational services..... \$1,000.....		3		1	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms.....	234
Government farm programs..... farms.....	69	633	64	606	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... \$1,000.....	481
Government farm programs..... \$1,000.....	100	2 977	99	2 950	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms.....	57
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms.....	121	(NA)	115	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... \$1,000.....	153
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... \$1,000.....	821	(NA)	797	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms.....	34
Other farm-related sources..... farms.....	29	(NA)	29	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... \$1,000.....	64
Other farm-related sources..... \$1,000.....	70	(NA)	70	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ farms.....	107	(NA)	99	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ \$1,000.....	407	(NA)	384	(NA)		

¹ See text. ² 1974 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 farms.....	1 094	1 222	1 034	1 077	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms.....	881	972	871	931
Total farm production expenses..... \$1,000.....	109 654	61 418	109 560	61 248	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... \$1,000.....	1 655	718	1 654	716
Farms with.....					Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms.....	812	890	809	873
\$1 to \$999.....	38	90	8	31	Commercial fertilizer purchased..... \$1,000.....	4 754	1 710	4 753	1 706
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	28	63	16		Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms.....	606	(NA)	596	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	33	63	22	49	Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... \$1,000.....	953	320	953	319
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	65	121	59	113	Lime..... farms.....	(NA)	15	3	14
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	147	232	146	231	Lime..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	6	3	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	199		199	252	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms.....	1 069	1 190	1 013	1 062
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	231		231	187	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... \$1,000.....	3 149	1 640	3 136	1 615
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	108		108		Gasoline..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	970	1 036
\$60,000 and over.....	245		245	214	Gasoline..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 395	935
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	535	726	517	649	Diesel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	682	546
Livestock and poultry purchased..... \$1,000.....	45 548	31 596	45 531	31 572	Diesel oil..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	992	342
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms.....	750	898	711	803	LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	485	420
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... \$1,000.....	26 911	11 103	26 883	11 058	LP gas, butane, and propane..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	468	187
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms.....	600	742	568	682	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 010	1 057
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... \$1,000.....	4 945	2 751	4 929	2 731	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	280	151
Feed ingredients..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	181	142	Hired farm labor..... farms.....	381	614	379	586
Feed ingredients..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 504	540	Hired farm labor..... \$1,000.....	2 904	1 872	2 904	1 869
Whole grains..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	314	392	Contract labor..... farms.....	35	818	34	41
Whole grains..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	18 764	7 069	Contract labor..... \$1,000.....	72	993	72	50
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	148	186	Machine hire and customwork..... farms.....	592		583	772
Hay, green chop, and silage..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 685	719	Machine hire and customwork..... \$1,000.....	1 555		1 552	934
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	650	(NA)	All other production expenses..... farms.....	1 074	1 168	1 034	1 073
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... \$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	714	(NA)	All other production expenses..... \$1,000.....	22 153	11 466	21 409	11 408

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.....	1 058	1 148	1 005	1 029					
.....\$1,000.....	38 622	18 709	37 689	18 346					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	36 504	16 296	37 501	17 828					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	5	51	3	183					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	76	237	66						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	115	255	95	247					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	197	262	184	259					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	175		173	153					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	237	343	236	114					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	111		111	73					
\$70,000 and over.....	142		137						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	937	1 032	894	930					
.....number.....	1 396	1 505	1 330	1 363					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	888	926	858	857					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	979	1 043	932	954					
.....number.....	2 245	1 923	2 193	1 820					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	956	833	950	796					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	948	1 025	909	954					
.....number.....	2 827	2 916	2 751	2 759					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	596	692	581	677					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	20		19	33					
.....number.....	21		20	39					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	6					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	313	274	312	274					
.....number.....	318	281	317	281					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	145	158	145	158					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	299	581	298	278					
.....number.....	311	659	310	288					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	168	276	168	184					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	165		159	350					
.....number.....	182		171	361					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	36		36	90					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	116	(NA)	104	(NA)					
.....number.....	121	(NA)	107	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	36	(NA)	36	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	262	312	255	302					
.....number.....	275	339	268	329					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	89	116	89	116					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	186	(NA)	186	133					
.....number.....	189	(NA)	189	155					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	99	(NA)	99	92					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	233	(NA)	226	234					
.....number.....	260	(NA)	253	256					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	106	(NA)	106	129					

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.....	830	(X)	791	(X)	852	(X)	807	(X) 90 478
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	801	(X)	765	(X)	832	(X)	791	(X) 89 814
.....1969.....	918	(X)	844	(X)	989	(X)	891	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	704	178 503	680	178 103	722	220 444	696	220 171 82 396
.....1969.....	800	174 484	741	173 715	841	199 554	782	199 100 54 030
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....1974.....	14	33	12	28	36	93	32	81 16
5 to 9.....1974.....	16	106	14	93	34	241	26	187 35
10 to 19.....1974.....	46	612	31	416	75	1 037	62	855 181
20 to 49.....1974.....	102	3 530	98	3 394	154	5 158	153	5 133 1 100
50 to 99.....1974.....	127	9 291	126	9 241	169	11 869	169	11 869 2 738
100 to 199.....1974.....	176	23 496	176	23 496	99	13 408	99	13 408 3 393
200 to 499.....1974.....	153	44 794	153	44 794	91	27 706	91	27 706 9 040
500 and over.....1974.....	70	96 641	70	96 641	64	160 932	64	160 932 65 893
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	545	43 733	526	43 553	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	614	39 099	578	38 819	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	529	43 022	512	42 847	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	38 337	551	38 086	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	57	711	53	706	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	124	762	113	733	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X) 351
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	71	(X) 228
Inventory, 1974								
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.....	529	43 022	512	42 847	Cattle sold.....	549	198 510	79 058
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	15	39	11	25	1 to 4.....	49	107	25
5 to 9.....	23	164	19	132	5 to 9.....	38	270	66
10 to 19.....	56	704	48	600	10 to 19.....	55	748	180
20 to 49.....	121	3 861	120	3 836	20 to 49.....	100	3 236	832
50 to 99.....	168	11 539	168	11 539	50 to 99.....	102	6 991	2 057
100 to 199.....	105	13 804	105	13 804	100 to 199.....	67	9 279	2 723
200 to 499.....	34	8 432	34	8 432	200 to 499.....	79	23 549	8 487
500 and over.....	7	4 479	7	4 479	500 and over.....	59	154 330	64 688
Milk cows.....	57	711	53	706	Calves sold.....	324	21 661	3 338
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	34	44	30	39	1 or 2.....	16	21	3
3 or 4.....	5	16	5	16	3 or 4.....	19	64	8
5 to 9.....	6	37	6	37	5 to 9.....	23	174	23
10 to 19.....	5	72	5	72	10 to 19.....	54	780	124
20 to 49.....	4	123	4	123	20 to 49.....	84	2 661	422
50 to 99.....	-	-	-	-	50 to 99.....	81	5 261	824
100 to 199.....	3	419	3	419	100 to 199.....	30	3 773	634
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	13	3 857	507
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	4	5 070	793

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	103	6 793	17	1 943	Turkeys	1974	1	8	—	—
	1969	178	16 122	31	5 460		1969	1	6	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	103	6 521	17	1 807	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	2	272	1	136	Heavy breed	1974	—	—	—	—
						Light breed	1974	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	10	116	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	8	—	—
	1969	9	647	1	40		1969	1	6	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	22	131	1	13	Other poultry	1974	8	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	—	—	—	—		1969	21	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms							
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes		809	865	160 398	115 214	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes		113	156	5 259	6 279	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		9	29	417	732	7 072	26 446		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)		170	183	10 249	11 079	361 247	347 722		
Other small grains for grain		44	42	1 223	1 246	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales)		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)		809	862	96 037	91 126	329 338	342 502		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		1	3	2	7	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards		—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale		—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops		32	(NA)	1 845	1 579	(X)	(X)	(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)		769	818	142 905	102 542	15 090 439	11 843 047	686	752	131 643	96 396
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		323	274	17 279	11 906	263 906	207 756	242	234	13 925	10 191
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		3	8	105	453	(X)	(X)	1	5	60	213
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		60	79	3 320	3 625	113 018	160 955	14	24	606	830
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		53	(NA)	1 824	2 622	(X)	(X)	9	(NA)	213	567
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		750	796	83 518	81 974	306 821	327 662	272	247	23 967	14 976

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	300	59 141	(X)	19	2 051	28	2 688	25	199	4	185
	1969	338	52 351	(X)	44	1 738	36	2 003	31	234	8	70
Improved pasture	1974	114	49 623	(X)	8	2 329	9	956	8	54	1	8
	1969	118	43 666	(X)	4	130	16	1 021	14	63	2	22
Corn for all purposes	1974	801	160 289	(X)	708	145 628	768	153 811	478	8 154	675	11 390
	1969	852	114 901	(X)	780	106 800	818	110 360	505	4 913	747	9 965
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	107	5 144	(X)	22	819	60	3 211	20	69	52	153
	1969	154	6 247	(X)	44	1 397	90	3 911	47	97	65	190
Wheat (bushels)	1974	169	10 235	360 846	17	511	94	6 581	45	143	55	190
	1969	178	10 935	342 241	20	677	83	6 181	(NA)	192	(NA)	163
Oats (bushels)	1974	36	1 012	45 604	5	107	8	250	7	17	2	2
	1969	36	1 053	41 894	1	160	14	264	(NA)	12	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	1974	2	97	1 500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	1	53	200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rye (bushels)	1974	8	114	2 441	2	65	1	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
	1969	7	109	2 470	1	18	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	(2)
Other small grains for grain	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	9	417	7 072	7	272	3	134	3	6	—	—
	1969	29	732	26 446	20	539	13	325	(NA)	19	(NA)	10
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	794	95 775	328 577	288	25 788	50	7 116	45	596	8	29
	1969	819	90 371	340 541	250	15 182	52	4 016	46	271	8	19
Field seed crops	1974	10	153	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	3	37	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	1	2	(X)	1	2	1	2	1	(2)	—	—
	1969	3	7	(X)	2	3	2	6	2	1	—	—
Land in orchards	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
						Total		Dry		Liquid		
				Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	5	57	(X)	4	56	4	54	4	5	1	60
	1969	3	13	(X)	2	13	3	13	3	8	—	—
Other crops	1974	17	1 636	(X)	17	1 636	17	1 636	16	111	5	30

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					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
farms	834		909		Diseases in crops and orchards	4		4	
\$1,000	5 706		2 025		acres on which used	309		307	
Commercial fertilizer	809		855		farms	1		1	
acres on which used	176 665		130 091		Weeds or grass in crops	366		405	
farms	21 423		16 569		acres on which used	78 963		46 924	
\$1,000	4 753		1 706		farms	404		114	
farms	3		14		Weeds or brush in pasture	54		69	
acres on which used	207		629		acres on which used	6 949		5 203	
farms	379		603		farms	28		8	
\$1,000	3		6		Weeds on all other land	89		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	1 293		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	150		22		farms	4		(NA)	
acres on which used	17 874		2 600		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
farms	69		7		of crops or thinning of fruit	4		6	
\$1,000	360		389		acres on which used	212		230	
farms	79 435		51 158		farms	1		(Z)	
acres on which used	364		131		Insect control on livestock and poultry	123		278	
farms	3		2		farms	37		47	
\$1,000	221		298		Other chemicals (see text)	56		(NA)	
acres on which used	1		1		farms	20		(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	743		807		Land irrigated by—				
Proportion of farms	71.9		74.9		Continued				
Total land irrigated	178 529		128 969		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	48		(NA)	
Average per farm	240.3		159.8		acres	10 258		(NA)	
farms	743		807		Other sprinkler systems	94		(NA)	
acres	176 200		128 839		acres	13 424		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	743		804		Land in irrigated farms	593 705		538 251	
acres	174 072		126 286		Cropland	311 769		288 596	
farms	19		44		Harvested cropland	247 288		196 849	
acres	2 051		1 738		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
farms	4		(NA)		between 1970 and 1973	6		(X)	
acres	77		815		acres irrigated in most recent year	413		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	8		4		Farms with artificial drainage	40		104	
farms	2 329		130		Proportion of farms	3.9		9.6	
acres	228 044		163 630		Land in farms with drainage	45 689		82 211	
Average per acre irrigated	1.3		1.3		Land drained	10 049		18 690	
acres					Average per farm	251.2		179.7	
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches	657		(NA)		farms	233		(NA)	
acres	140 549		(NA)		number	1 114		(NA)	
					acres	1 348		(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 with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		491	334	345			
		41 758	19 821	21 937			
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000		46	31	34			
\$5,000 to \$9,999		48	36	41			
\$10,000 to \$29,999		126	91	108			
\$30,000 to \$49,999		70	52	49			
\$50,000 and over		201	124	113			

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	194	162	380	289	2 500		379	194	149	164	
25 to 149 days	149	508	300	1 201	326		2 904	2 500	326	77	
Less than 25 days	164		460		77		1 140	380	300	460	
Total contract labor	34	41	(NA)	(NA)	72	50					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	15	(NA)	70	(NA)	44	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker							172	126	82	80	
2 workers							65	32	29	22	
3 or 4 workers							73	21	26	31	
5 to 9 workers							50	12	12	25	
10 workers and over							19	3	—	6	