

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.....	91	108	91	108			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	177		177				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	166	183	166	183			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	129	192	129	192			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	64	135	64	135			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	39	68	39	68			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	28	93	3	3			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	5	13	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	9	17	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	5	17	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	9	46	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000.....	39 361	22 531	39 327	22 433			
Average per farm..... dollars	56 716	28 923	58 785	32 559			
Crops, including hay..... farms	632	714	618	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	15 969	5 364	15 953	5 308			
Nursery and greenhouse products..... farms							
\$1,000.....							
Forest products..... farms	4	3	4	3			
\$1,000.....	2	(Z)	2	(Z)			
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms	595	686	579	634			
\$1,000.....	23 390	17 167	23 372	17 125			
Poultry and poultry products..... farms	71	(NA)	68	138			
\$1,000.....	280	(NA)	279	316			
Specified products sold:							
Crops..... farms					618	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					15 953	5 308	
Grains..... farms					615	651	
\$1,000.....					15 252	4 980	
Tobacco..... farms					-	-	
\$1,000.....					-	-	
Cotton and cottonseed..... farms					-	-	
\$1,000.....					-	-	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms					150	205	
\$1,000.....					700	313	
Other field crops..... farms					-	6	
\$1,000.....					-	12	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms					1	1	
\$1,000.....					1	(Z)	
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms					-	6	
\$1,000.....					-	3	
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... farms					579	634	
\$1,000.....					23 372	17 125	
Poultry and poultry products..... farms					68	138	
\$1,000.....					279	316	
Dairy products..... farms					49	93	
\$1,000.....					1 156	679	
Cattle and calves..... farms					553	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					17 321	13 199	
Hogs and pigs..... farms					280	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					4 578	2 931	
Sheep, lambs, and wool..... farms					24		
\$1,000.....					34		
Other livestock and livestock products..... farms					10		
\$1,000.....					4		

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	67	(NA)	49	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources²..... farms		315
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹..... farms	191	(NA)	185	(NA)	\$1,000.....		1 464
\$1,000.....	431	(NA)	420	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related..... farms		40
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms	86	138	85	133	\$1,000.....		332
\$1,000.....	196	170	195	136	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms		159
Recreational services..... farms	-	3	-	3	\$1,000.....		773
\$1,000.....	-	3	-	3	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms		151
Government farm programs..... farms	83	536	81	498	\$1,000.....		203
\$1,000.....	132	1 784	129	1 741	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms		59
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms	46	(NA)	43	(NA)	\$1,000.....		140
\$1,000.....	88	(NA)	81	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms		10
Other farm-related sources..... farms	14	(NA)	13	(NA)	\$1,000.....		16
\$1,000.....	14	(NA)	14	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹..... farms	71	(NA)	67	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	100	(NA)	96	(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..... farms	694	779	669	689	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased..... farms	629	710	615	660
\$1,000.....	29 160	19 265	29 126	19 152	\$1,000.....	576	310	574	305
Farms with.....					Commercial fertilizer purchased..... farms	588	654	580	616
\$1 to \$999.....	18	52	3	12	\$1,000.....	2 317	934	2 313	930
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	15	33	10	27	Other agricultural chemicals purchased..... farms	425	(NA)	421	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	17	35	15	83	\$1,000.....	548	241	548	240
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	54	91	52	83	Lime..... farms	(NA)	7	6	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	111	176	110	175	\$1,000.....	(NA)	1	6	1
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	167	167	167	195	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business..... farms	686	775	661	689
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	154	154	154	108	\$1,000.....	1 485	863	1 479	846
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	55	55	55	89	Gasoline..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	623	664
\$60,000 and over.....	103	103	103	89	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	683	510
Livestock and poultry purchased..... farms	370	504	366	460	Diesel oil..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	454	317
\$1,000.....	9 532	8 093	9 531	8 084	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	477	155
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased..... farms	514	630	503	576	LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	299	318
\$1,000.....	5 701	3 366	5 692	3 354	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	191	108
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms	426	509	418	478	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	661	688
\$1,000.....	2 505	1 105	2 502	1 100	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	127	73
Feed ingredients..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	167	148	Hired farm labor..... farms	210	348	209	335
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	610	392	\$1,000.....	578	409	578	406
Whole grains..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	227	308	Contract labor..... farms	21	581	21	25
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 423	1 772	\$1,000.....	37	418	37	13
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	74	115	Machine hire and customwork..... farms	403		395	525
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	158	91	\$1,000.....	468		466	395
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	435	(NA)	All other production expenses..... farms	688	754	668	689
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	176	(NA)	\$1,000.....	7 918	4 631	7 733	4 578

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.....	657	767	634	683					
..... \$1,000.....	20 797	10 229	20 564	9 980					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	31 655	13 336	32 436	14 612					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	4	28	4	137					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	53	177	49	172					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	97	181	88	172					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	114	201	106	195					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	107	180	105	101					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	160		160	50					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	62		62						
\$70,000 and over.....	60		60	28					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	589	682	572	619					
..... number.....	852	892	830	820					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	476	514	464	482					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	584	661	567	619					
..... number.....	1 151	1 080	1 132	1 025					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	429	433	428	419					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	584	702	565	635					
..... number.....	1 555	1 682	1 523	1 552					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	303	448	297	435					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	20		20	26					
..... number.....	28		28	30					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	6					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	395	383	393	376					
..... number.....	422	391	420	384					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	116	105	116	102					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	136	192	136	101					
..... number.....	137	228	137	107					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	71	67	71	54					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	67		65	112					
..... number.....	68		66	119					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13		13	13					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	82	(NA)	80	(NA)					
..... number.....	85	(NA)	83	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	(NA)	16	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	181	197	178	189					
..... number.....	186	201	183	193					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	32	53	32	53					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	46	(NA)	46	28					
..... number.....	46	(NA)	46	31					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	21	(NA)	21	7					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	158	(NA)	156	157					
..... number.....	164	(NA)	162	168					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	66	(NA)	66	89					

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.....	579	(X)	562	(X)	595	(X)	579	(X) 23 372
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	573	(X)	557	(X)	590	(X)	575	(X) 21 933
..... 1969.....	662	(X)	614	(X)	681	(X)	632	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	550	54 503	535	54 168	566	51 325	553	51 202 17 321
..... 1969.....	620	57 932	582	57 379	639	50 958	603	50 710 13 199
Farms with—								
1 to 4..... 1974.....	14	38	12	33	30	76	25	62 14
5 to 9..... 1974.....	13	97	10	71	44	309	40	277 61
10 to 19..... 1974.....	37	527	35	500	107	1 513	106	1 498 342
20 to 49..... 1974.....	145	4 754	139	4 617	200	6 218	197	6 156 1 444
50 to 99..... 1974.....	176	12 786	174	12 646	87	6 008	87	6 008 1 654
100 to 199..... 1974.....	101	13 496	101	13 496	48	6 466	48	6 466 1 869
200 to 499..... 1974.....	58	16 156	58	16 156	35	10 356	35	10 356 3 910
500 and over..... 1974.....	6	6 649	6	6 649	15	20 379	15	20 379 8 026
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	454	19 834	442	19 679	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	503	16 020	474	15 813	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	427	18 027	418	17 890	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	14 097	440	13 923	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	74	1 807	71	1 789	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	132	1 923	123	1 890	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	49	(X) 1 156
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	93	(X) 679
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.....	427	18 027	418	17 890	Cattle sold.....	471	46 092	16 587
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	11	30	11	30	1 to 4.....	32	83	20
5 to 9.....	31	211	29	199	5 to 9.....	53	356	89
10 to 19.....	77	1 065	72	1 007	10 to 19.....	98	1 377	351
20 to 49.....	181	5 707	179	5 640	20 to 49.....	139	4 312	1 198
50 to 99.....	91	6 066	91	6 066	50 to 99.....	63	4 445	1 449
100 to 199.....	33	4 208	33	4 208	100 to 199.....	37	5 032	1 596
200 to 499.....	3	740	3	740	200 to 499.....	34	10 108	3 858
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	15	20 379	8 026
Milk cows.....	74	1 807	71	1 789	Calves sold.....	214	5 110	734
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	29	35	29	35	1 or 2.....	16	25	4
3 or 4.....	2	8	2	8	3 or 4.....	12	44	7
5 to 9.....	10	61	7	43	5 to 9.....	34	231	31
10 to 19.....	7	87	7	87	10 to 19.....	42	594	87
20 to 49.....	11	328	11	328	20 to 49.....	90	2 787	403
50 to 99.....	12	798	12	798	50 to 99.....	16	923	139
100 to 199.....	3	490	3	490	100 to 199.....	4	506	63
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	-	-	-
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..	106	9 997	23	3 689	Turkeys.....1974..	2	18	2	(D)
.....1969..	184	23 084	53	7 995	.....1969..	-	-	3	56 500
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	104	9 792	23	3 689	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	2	18	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	3	205	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974..	2	18	2	(D)
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	Light breed.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	2	65	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	3	299	1	2 882	.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	13	36	1	125	.....1969..	-	-	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	1	100	-	-	Other poultry.....1974..	5	(X)	1	(X)
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	.....1969..	12	(X)	1	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All forms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	275	324	36 723	31 024	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	543	585	77 322	61 682	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	33	9	2 135	377	62 098	13 140
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	561	635	44 886	40 308	1 437 485	1 330 054
Other small grains for grain.....	123	77	2 643	1 242	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	435	478	14 490	14 284	30 785	36 068
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	1	3	3	9	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	2	3	3	2	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	15	(NA)	145	126	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
							1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	240	289	31 990	27 479	2 970 209	2 756 440	178	181	25 894	21 477
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	101	89	4 558	3 280	61 331	55 806	44	50	1 955	2 031
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	7	4	169	70	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	522	540	67 880	52 889	2 302 289	3 496 660	55	74	2 291	2 987
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	231	(NA)	9 246	8 220	(X)	(X)	7	(NA)	205	322
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	356	394	8 591	9 881	22 692	27 689	18	31	471	626

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..	268	40 763	(X)	1	152	10	453	5	17	5	9
.....1969..	308	26 987	(X)	7	236	20	655	11	24	9	19
Improved pasture.....1974..	109	28 784	(X)	-	-	8	564	6	36	2	5
.....1969..	143	21 908	(X)	1	8	14	559	11	41	3	6
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	274	36 717	(X)	188	27 849	252	34 639	76	1 336	223	3 319
.....1969..	308	30 829	(X)	186	23 508	262	28 883	79	915	232	3 737
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	534	77 126	(X)	59	2 496	397	59 597	74	865	351	2 528
.....1969..	560	61 109	(X)	82	3 309	476	50 955	105	807	397	2 889
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	554	44 759	1 434 785	3	123	422	35 560	196	1 069	265	1 092
.....1969..	597	39 480	1 303 873	7	309	399	26 711	(NA)	935	(NA)	648
Oats (bushels).....1974..	116	2 500	106 410	-	-	70	1 725	38	48	32	48
.....1969..	66	990	42 269	-	-	33	548	(NA)	20	(NA)	13
Barley (bushels).....1974..	5	86	1 855	-	-	3	41	3	1	-	-
.....1969..	2	15	656	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974..	1	4	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	6	70	1 685	-	-	1	6	(NA)	-	(NA)	(Z)
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	1	50	(X)	-	-	1	50	-	-	1	2
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	33	2 135	62 098	20	1 012	7	508	1	1	6	21
.....1969..	9	377	13 140	4	124	2	90	(NA)	-	(NA)	9
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	429	14 386	30 613	21	538	34	1 253	18	56	16	43
.....1969..	451	13 944	35 502	37	847	31	742	16	38	16	32
Field seed crops.....1974..	15	145	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	3	31	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	7	2	214	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	1	3	(X)	1	3	1	3	1	(Z)	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974..	1	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	3	2	(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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	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	farms	594	farms	626	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
	\$1,000	2 861		1 170	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms	1	farms	5
Commercial fertilizer	farms	580	farms	595	acres on which used	acres	332	acres	423
	acres on which used	134 477		109 384		\$1,000	1		1
	tons	10 503		10 154	Weeds or grass in crops	farms	297	farms	379
	\$1,000	2 313		930	acres on which used	acres	57 147	acres	48 564
Lime	farms	6	farms	7		\$1,000	285	farms	138
	acres on which used	539		189	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms	71	farms	110
	tons	1 266		482	acres on which used	acres	9 733	acres	7 358
	\$1,000	6		1		\$1,000	40		12
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	52	farms	18	Weeds on all other land	farms	51	farms	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	acres on which used	1 680		321	acres on which used	acres	712	acres	(NA)
	\$1,000	8		1		\$1,000	3		(NA)
Insects on other crops	farms	175	farms	185	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	farms	7	farms	7
	acres on which used	33 161		23 419	of crops or thinning of fruit	acres on which used	992	acres on which used	194
	\$1,000	162		67		\$1,000	4		1
Nematodes in crops	farms	4	farms	1	Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms	98	farms	185
	acres on which used	978		112		\$1,000	11		15
	\$1,000	5		1	Other chemicals (see text)	farms	61	farms	(NA)
						\$1,000	23		(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	farms	207	farms	213	Land irrigated by—				
Proportion of farms	percent	30.9	percent	30.9	Continued				
Total land irrigated	acres	32 168	acres	28 417	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms	5	farms	(NA)
Average per farm	acres	155.4	acres	133.4		acres	769		(NA)
Cropland irrigated	farms	207	farms	213	Other sprinkler systems	farms	32	farms	(NA)
	acres	32 168		28 409		acres	3 215		(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	206	farms	212	Land in irrigated farms	acres	133 023	acres	125 871
	acres	32 012		28 149	Cropland	acres	91 420	acres	86 984
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	1	farms	7	Harvested cropland	acres	71 971	acres	56 143
	acres	152		236	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	farms	3	farms	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	farms	1	farms	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	acres irrigated in most recent year	195	acres	(X)
	acres	4		24	Farms with artificial drainage	farms	16	farms	31
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	—	farms	1	Proportion of farms	percent	2.4	percent	4.4
	acres	—		8	Land in farms with drainage	acres	9 526	acres	21 353
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	45 895	acre-feet	34 897	Land drained	acres	1 821	acres	4 363
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	1.4	acre-feet	1.2	Average per farm	acres	113.8	acres	140.7
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	farms	318	farms	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	farms	165	farms	(NA)	tanks	number	950	number	(NA)
	acres	22 875		(NA)		acres	1 171	acres	(NA)

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) <th rowspan="2">Farms</th> <th colspan="2">Total operator debt</th> <th colspan="2">Secured by real estate</th> <th colspan="2">Not secured by real estate</th>	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000					
		269	195	204			
		13 493	5 694	7 799			
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000		27	20	26			
\$5,000 to \$9,999		30	35	24			
\$10,000 to \$29,999		73	74	80			
\$30,000 to \$49,999		56	38	29			
\$50,000 and over		83	28	45			

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—							209	63	64	122
150 days or more	63	45	99	62	444	406	578	444	84	50
25 to 149 days	64	314	93	657	84		502	99	93	310
Less than 25 days	122		310		50					
Total contract labor	21	25	(NA)	(NA)	37	13				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	9	(NA)	26	(NA)	30	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	109	41	47	64						
2 workers	36	15	10	17						
3 or 4 workers	37	5	5	23						
5 to 9 workers	22	2	2	14						
10 workers and over	5	—	—	4						