

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	19	22	19	22			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	18		18				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	10	14	9	14			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	17	20	16	20			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	10	6	10	6			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	8	6	8	4			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	25	31	3	6			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	3		(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	4	2	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	4	9	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	14	20	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	6 353	3 268	6 288	3 215			
Average per farm	59 378	33 011	75 764	44 655			
Crops, including hay	47	34	37	(NA)			
\$1,000	599	169	579	156			
Nursery and greenhouse products	3		2				
\$1,000	(D)		(D)				
Forest products	2	4	1	4			
\$1,000	(D)	2	(D)	2			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	97	90	79	68			
\$1,000	5 585	3 097	5 540	3 057			
Poultry and poultry products	11	(NA)	3	5			
\$1,000	3	(NA)	2	3			
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	40	(NA)	20	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	32	(NA)	28	(NA)			
\$1,000	173	(NA)	171	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services	11	20	11	12			
\$1,000	47	53	47	32			
Recreational services	2	2	2	2			
\$1,000	(D)	1	(D)	1			
Government farm programs	6	27	6	26			
\$1,000	2	27	2	27			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	18	(NA)	14	(NA)			
\$1,000	93	(NA)	91	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	4	(NA)	4	(NA)			
\$1,000	(D)	(NA)	(D)	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	13	(NA)	11	(NA)			
\$1,000	47	(NA)	47	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources ²							
\$1,000							
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related							
\$1,000							
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips							
\$1,000							
Interest, dividends, or royalties							
\$1,000							
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.							
\$1,000							
Rent income of nonfarm property							
\$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	107	99	83	72					
\$1,000	5 411	2 887	5 330	2 811					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999	8	7	1						
\$1,000 to \$1,999	4	12	1						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	7	5		3					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	7	7	4	3					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	17	13	16					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	22		22	19					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	15		14	13					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	4	51	4						
\$60,000 and over	24		24	18					
Livestock and poultry purchased	65	58	45	44					
\$1,000	442	227	430	221					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	84	83	69	66					
\$1,000	1 194	596	1 176	582					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	65	51	56	40					
\$1,000	591	252	580	242					
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	21	15					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	52					
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	33	30					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	290	163					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	16	22					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	235	125					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	62	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	133	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	39	28	31	20					
\$1,000	51	15	49	15					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	41	51	35	40					
\$1,000	94	47	93	46					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	51	(NA)	47	(NA)					
\$1,000	38	12	38	12					
Lime	(NA)								
\$1,000	(NA)								
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	105	97	83	72					
\$1,000	256	142	250	136					
Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	83	72					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	179	96					
Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	56	37					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	32	21					
LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	18	18					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	14	9					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	83	71					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	25	10					
Hired farm labor	68	61	56	53					
\$1,000	851	509	828	491					
Contract labor	11	56	11	17					
\$1,000	35	122	35	10					
Machine hire and customwork	51		45	45					
\$1,000	112		110	110					
All other production expenses	104	85	82	69					
\$1,000	2 339	1 217	2 187	1 188					

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					Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment					Grain and bean combines, self-propelled				
.....farms	105	93	83	69	.....farms	6	2	6	1
.....\$1,000	3 729	2 095	3 414	1 854	.....number	6	3	6	1
Average per farm	35 510	22 529	41 127	26 865	.....mfd in last 5 years, number	-	-	-	-
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines				
\$1 to \$999	1	-	1	5	.....farms	1	-	1	-
\$1,000 to \$4,999	15	18	6	-	.....number	1	-	1	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	22	10	21	.....mfd in last 5 years, number	-	-	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	18	25	14	16	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers				
\$20,000 to \$29,999	8	-	7	8	.....farms	-	-	-	-
\$30,000 to \$49,999	28	28	28	7	.....number	-	-	-	-
\$50,000 to \$69,999	6	-	6	12	.....mfd in last 5 years, number	-	-	-	-
\$70,000 and over	13	-	11	-	Mower conditioners				
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Mower conditioners				
Automobiles	81	65	74	57	.....farms	16	(NA)	13	(NA)
.....number	166	114	127	100	.....number	17	(NA)	14	(NA)
.....mfd in last 5 years, number	99	62	73	53	.....mfd in last 5 years, number	3	(NA)	2	(NA)
Motor trucks, including pickups	97	88	78	64	Pickup balers				
.....number	297	262	261	220	.....farms	65	47	58	45
.....mfd in last 5 years, number	76	90	66	67	.....number	84	60	76	58
Wheel tractors	91	87	76	66	.....mfd in last 5 years, number	23	20	21	19
.....number	275	281	253	194	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled				
.....mfd in last 5 years, number	43	52	40	40	.....farms	52	(NA)	46	44
Crawler tractors	38	-	35	31	.....number	61	(NA)	55	50
.....number	52	-	47	49	.....mfd in last 5 years, number	22	(NA)	19	27
.....mfd in last 5 years, number	-	-	-	6	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type				
					.....farms	9	(NA)	8	6
					.....number	11	(NA)	10	7
					.....mfd in last 5 years, number	6	(NA)	5	2

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	99	(X)	78	(X)	97	(X)	79	(X)	5 540
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	95	(X)	78	(X)	96	(X)	79	(X)	4 024
Cattle and calves	80	(X)	66	(X)	78	(X)	65	(X)	(NA)
.....1974	90	27 834	76	27 474	88	13 978	77	13 815	3 834
.....1969	75	24 565	64	24 338	74	10 304	63	10 131	1 924
Farms with—									
1 to 4	9	30	3	8	9	23	4	8	2
5 to 9	3	25	-	-	9	54	6	38	15
10 to 19	6	78	4	58	5	71	3	42	17
20 to 49	9	271	7	218	19	652	19	652	130
50 to 99	10	671	10	671	16	986	16	986	190
100 to 199	24	3 224	24	3 224	15	2 085	14	1 982	478
200 to 499	16	4 619	15	4 379	9	2 955	9	2 955	706
500 and over	13	18 916	13	18 916	6	7 152	6	7 152	2 295
Cows and heifers that had calved	78	13 591	68	13 406	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974	69	12 674	62	12 568	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969	67	12 263	57	12 083	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	(NA)	11 210	48	11 105	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974	22	1 328	19	1 323	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969	29	1 464	28	1 463	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows									
.....1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	1 506
.....1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)	973
Dairy products sold									
.....1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)			
.....1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)			
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	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows	67	12 263	57	12 083	71	10 940	3 542		
Farms with—									
1 to 4	9	16	3	4	6	11	3		
5 to 9	5	36	4	28	6	41	18		
10 to 19	2	29	1	14	8	121	38		
20 to 49	9	337	8	304	19	590	155		
50 to 99	12	871	12	871	12	759	160		
100 to 199	17	2 236	16	2 124	9	1 385	420		
200 to 499	7	2 316	7	2 316	7	2 140	562		
500 and over	6	6 422	6	6 422	4	5 893	2 186		
Milk cows	22	1 328	19	1 323	35	2 875	292		
Farms with—									
1 or 2	8	11	5	6	4	5	(2)		
3 or 4	1	4	1	4	-	-	-		
5 to 9	1	5	1	5	2	13	1		
10 to 19	-	-	-	-	1	13	1		
20 to 49	-	-	-	-	17	599	55		
50 to 99	6	493	6	493	5	330	41		
100 to 199	6	815	6	815	2	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	2	(D)	(D)		
500 and over	-	-	-	-	2	(D)	(D)		

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	64	7 490	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	8	2 191	902
1974	64	7 490	1969	7	1 403	(NA)
1969	60	6 398	Farms with—			
Beef heifers	53	6 361	1 to 9	1	2	1
Milk heifers	15	1 129	10 to 19	1	17	5
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	68	6 578	20 to 49	—	—	—
1974	68	6 578	50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
1969	62	5 372	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)
			200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
			500 and over	1	(D)	(D)

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	15	369	10	328	14	542	9	506	40
1969	18	433	14	282	13	688	10	673	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	6	19	4	13	1	4	—	—	—
5 to 9	1	9	1	9	5	27	3	17	1
10 to 24	4	53	1	18	2	22	—	—	—
25 to 49	2	74	2	74	3	86	3	86	6
50 to 99	1	87	1	87	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
100 to 199	1	127	1	127	—	—	—	—	—
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	7	48	2	12	(Z)
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	2	200	2	200	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	21	7 397	15	7 351	25	5 253	16	5 193	(NA)
1969	17	7 350	16	7 346	16	4 547	16	4 547	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	6 722	168 221
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	(X)	150
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	51	307	39	266	7	28	4	20	8
1969	56	361	(NA)	(NA)	19	50	(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 ..	7	45	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969	9	63	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..	13	71	8	66
Other hogs and pigs	10	283	1969	13	144	9	126
1969	13	219	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	9	40	7	38
Lambs under 1 year old	8	1 360	1969	11	67	8	64
Ewes 1 year old or older	13	5 639	1974	8	31	5	28
Rams and wethers	12	352	1969	11	77	8	62

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	21	(X)	13	(X)	5	(X)	2	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	(NA)	(X)	4	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	21	742	13	555	4	120	2	94
1969	21	1 666	12	1 141	6	482	4	458
Hens and pullets of laying age	20	688	13	539	2	94	2	94
1969	19	1 630	12	1 129	4	458	4	458
Farms with—								
1 to 99	19	476	12	327	2	94	2	94
100 to 399	1	212	1	212	—	—	—	—
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3	52	1	12	1	50	—	—
1969	1	200	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	11	3	3	2
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	5	3

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	13	539	2	94	Turkeys	1	2	—	—
1969	12	1 129	4	458	1969	—	—	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	13	522	2	94	1974	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	3	17	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1	10	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1969	1	7	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1	2	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	3	6	—	—	1974	1	(X)	1	(X)
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	2	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes	3	—	13	—	(X)	—	(X)	—	(X)	
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	(X)	—	(X)	
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	9	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Wheat (bushels)	9	—	185	8	6 965	—	298	—	—	
Other small grains for grain	15	19	870	795	(X)	—	(X)	—	—	
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	20	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	—	(NA)	
Hay crops (tons, dry)	84	75	17 650	15 791	56 542	—	43 968	—	—	
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	3	—	81	—	(X)	—	(X)	—	(X)	
Land in orchards	2	3	2	8	(X)	—	(X)	—	(X)	
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	—	(X)	—	(X)	
Other crops	3	(NA)	56	—	(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)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	—	11	—	(X)	(X)	2	—	11	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	58	48	11 105	9 695	41 070	32 376	58	48	11 105	9 695

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	46	8 972	(X)	32	5 636	2	69	2	11	—	—
1969	46	7 448	(X)	44	5 890	15	806	15	88	—	—
Improved pasture	22	23 615	(X)	17	20 293	7	562	7	99	—	—
1969	23	20 766	(X)	19	17 657	6	569	6	73	—	—
Corn for all purposes	2	11	(X)	2	11	2	11	2	2	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	7	183	6 925	7	183	1	100	1	10	—	—
1969	1	4	132	1	4	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels)	5	287	19 775	5	287	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	10	256	16 470	10	256	4	182	(NA)	44	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	9	453	23 954	9	453	1	12	1	2	—	—
1969	11	473	24 536	11	473	4	201	(NA)	24	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	1	103	(X)	1	103	1	103	1	21	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	69	17 252	55 600	69	17 252	21	5 261	21	440	—	—
1969	66	15 473	42 999	66	15 473	19	3 466	19	318	—	—
Field seed crops	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(Z)	20	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—
1969	1	1	120	1	1	1	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	80	(X)	1	80	1	80	1	45	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	5	(X)	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—

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.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products.....1974.....	2	55	(X)	1	55	1	55	1	50	—	—
.....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.....	60	—	53	—	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	2	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	131	—	57	—	.....farms.....	123	—	—	—
.....farms.....	35	—	31	—	.....acres on which used.....	(Z)	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer.....	6	253	5	235	.....\$1,000.....	10	7	—	—
.....acres on which used.....	680	—	548	—	.....farms.....	864	579	1	—
.....\$1,000.....	93	—	46	—	.....acres on which used.....	5	1	—	—
.....farms.....	—	—	—	—	.....\$1,000.....	9	12	—	—
.....acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—	.....farms.....	758	1 990	—	—
.....tons.....	—	—	—	—	.....acres on which used.....	7	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	.....farms.....	14	(NA)	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	.....acres on which used.....	297	(NA)	—	—
.....farms.....	29	—	37	—	.....\$1,000.....	1	(NA)	—	—
.....acres on which used.....	3 751	—	4 839	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	21	—	5	—	.....farms.....	—	—	—	—
.....farms.....	1	—	2	—	.....acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—
Insects on other crops.....	80	—	209	—	.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—
.....acres on which used.....	2	—	2	—	.....farms.....	10	19	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	.....acres on which used.....	2	2	—	—
.....farms.....	—	—	—	—	.....\$1,000.....	2	(NA)	—	—
Nematodes in crops.....	—	—	—	—	.....farms.....	2	(NA)	—	—
.....acres on which used.....	—	—	—	—	.....\$1,000.....	(Z)	(NA)	—	—
.....\$1,000.....	—	—	—	—	.....farms.....	—	—	—	—

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.....	75	—	70	—	Land irrigated by— Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms.....	90.4	—	97.2	—	.....farms.....	1	(NA)	—	—
Total land irrigated.....	44 314	—	39 797	—	.....acres.....	200	(NA)	—	—
Average per farm.....	590.9	—	568.5	—	.....farms.....	5	(NA)	—	—
Cropland irrigated.....	24 021	—	22 140	—	.....acres.....	377	(NA)	—	—
.....farms.....	71	—	67	—	Land in irrigated farms.....	154 536	153 287	—	—
.....acres.....	18 336	—	16 232	—	.....acres.....	27 497	23 970	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated.....	32	—	44	—	.....acres.....	18 336	16 232	—	—
.....farms.....	5 636	—	5 890	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
.....acres.....	2	—	(NA)	—	.....farms.....	1	(X)	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated.....	49	—	18	—	.....acres irrigated in most recent year.....	200	(X)	—	—
.....farms.....	17	—	19	—	Farms with artificial drainage.....	3	9	—	—
.....acres.....	20 293	—	17 657	—	.....farms.....	3.6	12.5	—	—
Other cropland irrigated.....	191 510	—	147 619	—	.....acres.....	1 666	3 277	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture.....	4.3	—	3.7	—	.....acres.....	271	894	—	—
.....acres.....	—	—	—	—	.....Average per farm.....	90.3	99.3	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied.....	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
.....acre-feet.....	—	—	—	—	.....farms.....	12	(NA)	—	—
Average per acre irrigated.....	—	—	—	—	.....number.....	26	(NA)	—	—
.....acre-feet.....	—	—	—	—	.....acres.....	187	(NA)	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—					
.....farms.....	53	—	(NA)	—					
Furrows or ditches.....	19 513	—	(NA)	—					
.....acres.....	—	—	—	—					

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text).....	Farms	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
.....farms.....	36	31	14	
.....\$1,000.....	3 523	2 824	699	
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000.....	—	—	2	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	1	1	1	
\$10,000 to \$29,999.....	9	7	4	
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	4	4	2	
\$50,000 and over.....	22	19	5	

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—							56	40	26	15
150 days or more.....	40	39	180	116	702	491	828	702	116	10
25 to 149 days.....	26	34	154	157	116	10	410	180	154	76
Less than 25 days.....	15	—	76	—	10	—				
Total contract labor.....	11	17	(NA)	(NA)	35	10				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor.....	5	(NA)	17	(NA)	27	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker.....	14	—	14	—	7	—				
2 workers.....	13	—	10	—	7	—				
3 or 4 workers.....	8	—	10	—	4	—				
5 to 9 workers.....	13	—	2	—	5	—				
10 workers and over.....	8	—	4	—	3	—				