

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.....	68	157	68	157	Crops.....	395	(NA)	
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	329		329		Grains.....	1,000	3 076	
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	371	453	371	453	\$1,000.....	166	1 157	
					\$1,000.....	1 309	306	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	136	328	136	328	Tobacco.....	\$1,000.....	-	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	95	174	95	174	\$1,000.....	-	-	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	58	88	58	88	Cotton and cottonseed.....	\$1,000.....	-	
					\$1,000.....	-	-	
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	326	433	11	22	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....	\$1,000.....	307	
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	43	35	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	1 696	704	
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	46	57	(X)	(X)	Other field crops.....	\$1,000.....	3	
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	62	96	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	(D)	95	
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	175	245	(X)	(X)	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....	\$1,000.....	17	
					\$1,000.....	46	2	
Market value of agricultural products sold.....	\$1,000	44 113	29 954	43 794	\$1,000.....	2	2	
Average per farm.....	dollars	31 897	18 342	41 006	\$1,000.....	(D)	1	
Crops, including hay.....	farms	582	634	395	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	farms	979	1 159
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	\$1,000	3 252	1 356	3 076	\$1,000.....	40 516	28 382	
Forest products.....	farms	52	62	40	\$1,000.....	37	47	
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	\$1,000	1 163	1 353	979	\$1,000.....	1 421	1 800	
Poultry and poultry products.....	farms	49	(NA)	37	\$1,000.....	860	1 051	
	\$1,000	1 424	(NA)	1 421	\$1,000.....	33 872	23 216	
					\$1,000.....	956	(NA)	
					\$1,000.....	4 909	3 051	
					\$1,000.....	42	(NA)	
					\$1,000.....	80	315	
					\$1,000.....	6		
					\$1,000.....	4		
					Other livestock and livestock products.....	farms	34	
					\$1,000.....	230		

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	324	(NA)	79	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms	293	(NA)	228	(NA)
Customwork and other agricultural services.....	\$1,000	355	(NA)	308	(NA)
Recreational services.....	farms	64	117	59	97
Government farm programs.....	\$1,000	161	180	148	160
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....	farms	9	19	6	12
Other farm-related sources.....	\$1,000	8	36	29	7
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms	144	324	126	236
	\$1,000	60	143	57	102
Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms	567			567
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....	\$1,000	3 122			3 122
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....	farms	66			66
Interest, dividends, or royalties.....	\$1,000	487			487
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....	farms	310			310
Rent income of nonfarm property.....	\$1,000	1 929			1 929
	farms	305			305
	\$1,000	431			431
	farms	88			88
	\$1,000	236			236
	farms	40			40
	\$1,000	38			38

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	1 380	1 633	1 068	1 222	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	farms	964	1 003	857	863
Farms with.....	\$1,000	35 086	21 867	34 575	21 255	Commercial fertilizer purchased.....	\$1,000	767	333	754	320
\$1 to \$999.....		132	200	10	48	Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....	farms	830	969	777	846
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....		130	151	21		\$1,000.....	1 469	576	1 461	563	
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....		70	96	32	37	Lime.....	farms	572	(NA)	544	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....		102	150	69	114	\$1,000.....	424	220	423	216	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....		111	283	101	270	\$1,000.....	(NA)	296	162	277	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		234		234	413	\$1,000.....	(NA)	94	104	92	
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....		331		331	267	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....	farms	1 375	1 633	1 067	1 222
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....		149	753	149	73	\$1,000.....	1 658	1 032	1 565	950	
\$60,000 and over.....		121		121		\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 059	1 213	
Livestock and poultry purchased.....	farms	655	692	483	530	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 034	743	
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	\$1,000	2 761	1 494	2 696	1 437	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	570	377	
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	farms	1 188	1 370	951	1 141	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	333	87	
Feed ingredients.....	\$1,000	12 074	6 473	11 965	6 402	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	88	77	
Whole grains.....	farms	1 002	1 103	855	966	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	36	16	
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	\$1,000	10 221	5 120	10 160	5 081	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....	farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 067	1 221
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	farms	(NA)	(NA)	817	(NA)	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	163	104	
	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	488	(NA)	Hired farm labor.....	farms	645	930	583	825
						\$1,000.....	2 030	1 920	2 021	1 881	
						Contract labor.....	farms	28	723	26	40
						\$1,000.....	46	255	45	30	
						Machine hire and customwork.....	farms	500	456	599	599
						\$1,000.....	278	270	207	207	
						All other production expenses.....	farms	1 334	1 516	1 066	1 216
						\$1,000.....	13 578	9 564	12 888	9 249	

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.....	1 342	1 626	1 045	1 219	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	192	174	189	157
..... farms.....	37 218	21 464	34 463	19 625	..... number.....	64	145	194	159
..... \$1,000.....	27 733	13 200	32 979	16 099	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	40	91	40	89
Average per farm.....					Corn heads for combines.....	58	131	54	43
Farms by value group:					..... farms.....	64	145	60	44
\$1 to \$999.....	3	35	-	174	..... number.....	21	72	21	22
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	128	430	47	273	mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	192	348	77	273	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	137		136	91
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	246	407	183	379	..... farms.....	142		141	93
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	244		216	199	..... number.....	57		57	48
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	342	406	335	152	mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	114		114	42	Mower conditioners.....	576	(NA)	534	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	73		73		..... farms.....	594	(NA)	552	(NA)
					..... number.....	265	(NA)	254	(NA)
					mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	1 190	1 421	946	1 097	Pickup balers.....	999	1 139	871	991
..... farms.....	1 524	1 747	1 238	1 369	..... farms.....	1 056	1 195	922	1 040
..... number.....	789	1 056	635	844	..... number.....	314	587	307	537
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 054	1 061	851	861	mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	1 410	1 390	1 190	1 156	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	449	(NA)	424	404
..... farms.....	450	604	382	490	..... farms.....	468	(NA)	443	412
..... number.....	1 250	1 497	985	1 157	..... number.....	200	(NA)	199	337
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3 525	3 838	3 094	3 189	mfd in last 5 years, number.....				
Crawler tractors.....	758	1 268	700	1 116	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	637	(NA)	618	519
..... farms.....	120		110	110	..... farms.....	743	(NA)	723	560
..... number.....	130		120	123	..... number.....	300	(NA)	299	335
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12		12	29	mfd in last 5 years, number.....				

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.....	1 203	(X)	983	(X)	1 163	(X)	979	(X)	40 516
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	1 154	(X)	952	(X)	1 120	(X)	960	(X)	4 993
.....1969.....	1 311	(X)	1 114	(X)	1 294	(X)	1 135	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	1 134	80 927	946	78 122	1 097	35 110	956	34 262	4 909
.....1969.....	1 299	75 513	1 110	72 630	1 287	36 917	1 133	37 688	3 051
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	36	83	7	16	131	342	54	153	42
5 to 9.....1974.....	50	329	10	75	89	583	53	352	82
10 to 19.....1974.....	100	1 459	34	509	202	2 983	180	2 698	344
20 to 49.....1974.....	284	9 627	235	8 343	480	15 072	474	14 929	1 553
50 to 99.....1974.....	410	29 147	406	28 897	168	10 676	168	10 676	1 330
100 to 199.....1974.....	209	26 826	209	26 826	18	2 326	18	2 326	662
200 to 499.....1974.....	39	9 643	39	9 643	9	3 128	9	3 128	895
500 and over.....1974.....	6	3 813	6	3 813	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	1 038	46 883	919	45 622	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	1 185	46 451	1 081	45 493	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	215	2 969	124	1 925	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	3 924	143	3 098	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	937	43 914	882	43 697	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	1 072	42 527	1 034	42 395	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	860	(X)	33 872
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1 051	(X)	23 216
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.....	215	2 969	124	1 925	Cattle sold.....	837	11 468		3 978
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	87	161	66	113	1 to 4.....	248	685		216
5 to 9.....	37	250	15	102	5 to 9.....	265	1 745		554
10 to 19.....	53	683	18	234	10 to 19.....	217	2 849		886
20 to 49.....	22	611	11	349	20 to 49.....	83	2 293		753
50 to 99.....	10	612	8	475	50 to 99.....	13	799		316
100 to 199.....	6	652	6	652	100 to 199.....	4	507		474
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	7	2 590		778
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-		-
Milk cows.....	937	43 914	882	43 697	Calves sold.....	855	22 794		931
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	37	56	17	26	1 or 2.....	19	26		2
3 or 4.....	21	67	8	24	3 or 4.....	18	57		3
5 to 9.....	31	199	11	75	5 to 9.....	59	418		24
10 to 19.....	46	698	44	678	10 to 19.....	238	3 474		138
20 to 49.....	444	15 616	444	15 616	20 to 49.....	437	12 961		481
50 to 99.....	303	19 632	303	19 632	50 to 99.....	76	4 767		171
100 to 199.....	49	6 220	49	6 220	100 to 199.....	7	(D)		(D)
200 to 499.....	6	1 426	6	1 426	200 to 499.....	1	(D)		(D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-		(D)

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	96	116 501	14	120 969	Turkeys	1974	17	5 871	3	17 800
	1969	110	179 208	30	77 870		1969	6	7 354	4	49 881
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	95	116 292	14	120 969	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	16	(D)	3	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	7	209	-	-	Heavy breed	1974	8	(D)	3	(D)
	1969	-	-	-	-	Light breed	1974	9	29	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	3	30	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)
	1969	8	22 755	2	(D)		1969	5	5 160	3	4 290
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	33	104	-	-	Other poultry	1974	24	(X)	8	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	3	214	1	200		1969	29	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms					
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		753	704	39 124	21 761	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes		77	46	1 203	580	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		2	-	32	-	350	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)		38	47	615	814	19 340	25 863
Other small grains for grain		666	904	18 322	22 549	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		11	(NA)	20	(NA)	2 646	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels)		-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hoy crops (tons, dry)		1 218	1 336	117 719	114 164	238 468	230 159
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		34	23	208	38	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards		7	14	23	63	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale		13	5	18	8	(X)	(X)
Other crops		38	(NA)	275	647	(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)		251	142	11 569	3 802	904 681	296 463	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		643	649	27 086	17 130	350 806	222 167	1	1
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		10	61	146	559	(X)	-	-	60
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		-	2	30	-	-	1 800	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		71	(NA)	1 115	536	(X)	(X)	(NA)	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		566	619	38 321	44 028	92 061	104 415	1	-

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	759	55 669	(X)	-	-	20	440	17	44	3	4
	1969	883	66 078	(X)	1	16	36	712	35	109	1	1
Improved pasture	1974	188	24 581	(X)	-	-	10	270	10	31	-	-
	1969	133	8 056	(X)	-	-	7	137	6	16	1	1
Corn for all purposes	1974	714	38 801	(X)	1	60	596	33 546	592	5 479	95	540
	1969	683	21 491	(X)	1	20	548	17 979	547	3 295	77	184
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	71	1 115	(X)	-	-	29	358	29	56	-	-
	1969	44	566	(X)	-	-	35	414	35	66	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	35	591	18 518	-	-	19	434	19	67	2	8
	1969	39	734	24 552	-	-	24	575	(NA)	84	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels)	1974	607	17 254	951 448	-	-	340	9 586	338	1 152	2	2
	1969	785	20 547	1 137 399	-	-	475	12 881	(NA)	1 754	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels)	1974	12	246	10 364	-	-	-	115	7	15	-	-
	1969	17	310	12 474	-	-	11	197	(NA)	23	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	1974	4	31	1 116	-	-	3	25	3	3	-	-
	1969	2	9	315	-	-	1	3	(NA)	1	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	10	247	(X)	-	-	7	217	7	29	-	-
	1969	2	32	350	-	-	1	4	1	1	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	981	109 484	226 697	1	148	154	9 438	152	1 241	8	13
	1969	1 072	105 551	217 517	-	-	135	5 919	134	811	5	9
Field seed crops	1974	16	245	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	34	566	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	19	2 264	-	-	5	17	5	15	-	-
	1969	13	251	52 336	-	-	10	250	(NA)	165	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	20	193	(X)	-	-	14	186	14	38	-	-
	1969	10	28	(X)	-	-	8	24	8	5	-	-
Land in orchards	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	2	48	(X)	-	-	2	48	2	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	2	8	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	1	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	10	7	(X)	4	1	5	3	5	2	2	(Z)
1969	4	9	(X)	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1
1974	2	9	(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					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
lime					Diseases in crops and orchards	1	—	—	—
farms	817	955	—	—	acres on which used	86	—	—	—
\$1,000	1 883	779	—	—	Weeds or grass in crops	(Z)	—	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	777	766	—	—	farms	354	391	—	—
acres on which used	54 759	39 421	—	—	acres on which used	25 797	18 189	—	—
tons	8 758	6 614	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	208	81	—	—
\$1,000	1 461	563	—	—	acres on which used	7	12	—	—
Lime	162	277	—	—	Weeds on all other land	278	217	—	—
acres on which used	6 111	7 060	—	—	farms	1	(Z)	—	—
tons	11 496	15 330	—	—	acres on which used	9	(NA)	—	—
\$1,000	104	92	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	83	(NA)	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on hay crops	52	52	—	—	of crops or thinning of fruit	6	7	—	—
acres on which used	2 367	1 980	—	—	acres on which used	161	159	—	—
\$1,000	11	7	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry	2	1	—	—
Insects on other crops	101	50	—	—	farms	105	334	—	—
acres on which used	7 658	1 679	—	—	\$1,000	8	21	—	—
\$1,000	62	10	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	92	(NA)	—	—
Nematodes in crops	2	2	—	—	farms	23	(NA)	—	—
acres on which used	90	64	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
\$1,000	1	(Z)	—	—					

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	6	3	—	—	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	0.6	0.2	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Total land irrigated	212	37	—	—	Other sprinkler systems	4	(NA)	—	(NA)
Average per farm	35.3	12.3	—	—	Land in irrigated farms	880	761	—	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	6	3	—	—	Cropland	719	588	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	212	37	—	—	Harvested cropland	474	463	—	—
acres	6	2	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Cropland pasture irrigated	212	21	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	4	(X)	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	16	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	65	(X)	—	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	(NA)	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	148	182	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	211	11	—	—	Proportion of farms	13.9	14.8	—	—
Average per acre irrigated	1.0	0.3	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	60 960	62 578	—	—
Land irrigated by—					Land drained	12 265	13 205	—	—
Furrows or ditches	2	(NA)	—	—	Average per farm	82.9	72.5	—	—
acres	208	(NA)	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					trunks	206	(NA)	—	(NA)
					farms	348	(NA)	—	(NA)
					number	161	(NA)	—	(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) <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					
		582	433	422	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:		30 846	19 362	11 484	—	—	—
Under \$5,000		62	49	84	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999		67	54	58	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999		137	105	135	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999		82	70	74	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over		234	155	71	—	—	—

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—							583	274	214	299
150 days or more	274	325	472	489	1 549	1 881	2 021	1 549	330	141
25 to 149 days	214	661	582	2 073	330	141	2 319	472	582	1 265
Less than 25 days	299	—	1 265	—	141	—				
Total contract labor	26	40	(NA)	(NA)	45	30				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	13	(NA)	30	(NA)	22	(NA)				
Farms with—							195	164	106	110
1 worker							119	66	46	58
2 workers							141	33	36	64
3 or 4 workers							86	10	18	44
5 to 9 workers							42	1	8	23
10 workers and over										