



**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	23	41	23	41			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	60	52	60	52			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	45	38	45	38			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	54	77	54	77			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	67	119	67	119			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	72		72				
Under \$2,500 (see text)	301		8	2			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	28		(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	31		(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	69		(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	173	378	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	11 255	6 361	10 982	6 062			
Average per farm dollars	18 095	7 757	33 379	18 426			
Crops, including hay	393	429	227	(NA)			
\$1,000	1 977	1 083	1 823	937			
Nursery and greenhouse products	3		3				
\$1,000	118		118				
Forest products	44	57	34	42			
\$1,000	86	68	82	60			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	407	483	233	244			
\$1,000	9 075	5 210	8 960	5 066			
Poultry and poultry products	93		87	94			
\$1,000	6 881	(NA)	6 880	3 791			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000					227		(NA)
Grains					1 823		937
\$1,000					126		100
Tobacco					345		97
\$1,000					129		150
Cotton and cottonseed					1 050		653
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
\$1,000					47		31
Other field crops					147		61
\$1,000					7		13
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons					12		5
\$1,000					3		8
Fruits, nuts, and berries					2		5
\$1,000					20		19
\$1,000					267		116
Livestock, poultry, and their products					233		244
\$1,000					8 960		5 066
Poultry and poultry products					87		94
\$1,000					6 880		3 791
Dairy products					52		83
\$1,000					1 704		911
Cattle and calves					185		(NA)
\$1,000					291		342
Hogs and pigs					16		(NA)
\$1,000					82		21
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
\$1,000							
Other livestock and livestock products					6		
\$1,000					2		

**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 <sup>1</sup>	267	(NA)	64	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	\$1,000	208
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	148	(NA)	79	(NA)	\$1,000		1 684
\$1,000	175	(NA)	103	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	\$1,000	42
Customwork and other agricultural services	36	66	32	41	\$1,000		341
\$1,000	63	37	61	28	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	\$1,000	148
Recreational services	3	11	1	3	\$1,000		1 155
\$1,000	50	3	(Z)	1	Interest, dividends, or royalties	\$1,000	56
Government farm programs	73	173	37	79	\$1,000		62
\$1,000	13	50	9	30	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	\$1,000	34
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	55	(NA)	26	(NA)	\$1,000		66
\$1,000	35	(NA)	27	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	\$1,000	13
Other farm-related sources	8	(NA)	4	(NA)	\$1,000		59
\$1,000	13	(NA)	7	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	36	(NA)	27	(NA)			
\$1,000	66	(NA)	44	(NA)			

<sup>1</sup>See text. <sup>2</sup>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	619	820	329	329	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	218	344	146	202
\$1,000	9 277	5 187	8 950	4 789	\$1,000	58	32	53	26
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	478	610	242	264
\$1 to \$999	225	397	35	80	\$1,000	547	238	472	182
\$1,000 to \$1,999	100	119	39		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	250	(NA)	166	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	52	96	33	56	\$1,000	100	56	94	47
\$3,000 to \$4,999	45	59	31	45	Lime	(NA)	150	55	74
\$5,000 to \$9,999	58	30	52	29	\$1,000	(NA)	17	11	13
\$10,000 to \$19,999	34		34	47	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	579	775	316	327
\$20,000 to \$39,999	31	119	31	41	\$1,000	414	249	380	185
\$40,000 to \$59,999	24		24		Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	252	313
\$60,000 and over	50		50	31	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	130	94
Livestock and poultry purchased	224	316	141	175	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	164	113
\$1,000	1 196	948	1 146	894	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	58	18
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	407	446	205	224	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	68	119
\$1,000	5 380	2 479	5 312	2 435	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	90	37
Commercially mixed formula feeds	286	239	182	168	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	315	327
\$1,000	5 113	2 359	5 080	2 345	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	102	36
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	74	55	Hired farm labor	149	336	114	216
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	135	46	\$1,000	213	222	207	193
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	71	44	Contract labor	17	300	6	20
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	43	39	\$1,000	6	87	4	17
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	19	21	Machine hire and customwork	232		149	175
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	54	6	\$1,000	75		61	56
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	143	(NA)	\$1,000	512	607	327	329
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	56	(NA)	\$1,000	1 289	876	1 165	754

**Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....farms.....	558	761	285	311
.....\$1,000.....	6 034	3 525	4 180	2 462
Average per farm.....dollars.....	10 813	4 632	14 668	7 917
<b>Farms by value group:</b>				
\$1 to \$999.....	7	89	2	183
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	187	509	83	71
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	191	102	65	20
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	94	23	64	14
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	35		30	13
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	27	38	24	10
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	12		12	
\$70,000 and over.....	5		5	
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>				
Automobiles.....farms.....	388	568	194	236
.....number.....	509	832	273	387
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	169	375	116	165
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	468	519	251	234
.....number.....	646	611	407	310
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	146	244	100	130
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	494	611	260	267
.....number.....	752	825	482	419
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	133	263	106	139
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	10		7	11
.....number.....	11		8	11
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	1

  

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip.—Con.</b>				
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	27	26	22	16
.....number.....	27	27	22	17
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	14	2	8
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	18	44	16	8
.....number.....	18	45	16	9
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	26	2	6
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	36		26	22
.....number.....	36		26	22
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	10
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	60	(NA)	42	(NA)
.....number.....	60	(NA)	42	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	(NA)	11	(NA)
Pickup balers.....farms.....	80	107	61	65
.....number.....	80	108	61	66
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	16	44	14	32
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	26	(NA)	18	29
.....number.....	26	(NA)	18	30
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	3	18
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	36	(NA)	34	30
.....number.....	38	(NA)	36	30
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	12	19

**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.....	468	(X)	248	(X)	407	(X)	233	(X) 8 960
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	429	(X)	219	(X)	350	(X)	187	(X) 374
.....1969.....	558	(X)	229	(X)	414	(X)	191	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	417	12 593	211	9 015	346	3 145	185	2 293 291
.....1969.....	530	9 916	222	6 791	392	3 727	186	2 576 342
<b>Farms with—</b>								
1 to 4.....1974.....	32	80	17	44	135	358	55	148 20
5 to 9.....1974.....	89	588	32	205	111	711	48	311 39
10 to 19.....1974.....	120	1 678	44	598	64	847	47	630 76
20 to 49.....1974.....	107	3 137	62	1 871	32	865	31	840 105
50 to 99.....1974.....	47	3 298	34	2 485	2	(D)	2	(D) (D)
100 to 199.....1974.....	17	2 232	17	2 232	2	(D)	2	(D) (D)
200 to 499.....1974.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	-	-	-	- (D)
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	- (D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	363	4 823	188	4 794	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	391	4 518	196	3 517	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	294	4 496	131	2 580	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	2 407	111	1 571	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	123	2 327	81	2 214	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969.....	202	2 111	124	1 946	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	52	(X) 1 704
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	83	(X) 911

  

	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms		Number Dollars (1,000)	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	294	4 496	131	2 580	132	1 283	227	
<b>Farms with—</b>								
1 to 4.....	66	178	27	72	51	127	24	
5 to 9.....	81	550	28	198	42	278	52	
10 to 19.....	71	936	30	382	22	274	44	
20 to 49.....	60	1 662	32	870	15	(D)	(D)	
50 to 99.....	12	720	10	608	-	-	-	
100 to 199.....	4	450	4	450	2	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	123	2 327	81	2 214	122	1 010	64	
<b>Farms with—</b>								
1 or 2.....	49	76	24	38	27	43	4	
3 or 4.....	15	52	1	3	21	71	5	
5 to 9.....	15	94	13	80	39	246	19	
10 to 19.....	8	88	7	76	25	305	14	
20 to 49.....	19	622	19	622	9	289	22	
50 to 99.....	14	870	14	870	1	56	1	
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	-	-	-	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	
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.....	26	113 416	16	128 940	Turkeys.....1974.....	—	—	1	(D)
.....1969.....	31	117 483	12	98 905	.....1969.....	—	—	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	16	25 759	5	38 848	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	—	—	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	11	87 657	11	90 092	.....1969.....	—	—	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	7	79 524	11	421 026	Heavy breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	7	47 700	8	210 500	Light breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	16	12 559	11	9 109	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	5	61 026	1	(D)	.....1969.....	—	(X)	—	(X)
					Other poultry.....1974.....	—	(X)	—	(X)
					.....1969.....	—	(X)	—	(X)

**Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes.....	301	364	4 707	4 270	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes.....	21	11	367	90	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	120	134	1 689	1 463	23 923	24 535	23 923	24 535		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	10	6	10	6	4 412	5 600	4 412	5 600		
Wheat (bushels).....	73	101	683	508	24 114	18 169	24 114	18 169		
Other small grains for grain.....	81	112	1 177	1 149	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales).....	—	2	—	3	—	2	—	2		
Tobacco (pounds).....	146	192	621	634	1 091 197	1 126 587	1 091 197	1 126 587		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	44	(NA)	22	(NA)	2 676	(NA)	2 676	(NA)		
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	18	(NA)	3	(NA)	309	(NA)	309	(NA)		
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	264	316	3 282	3 570	5 509	5 441	5 509	5 441		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	8	17	21	21	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Land in orchards.....	36	48	619	453	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Berries for sale.....	4	6	29	2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Other crops.....	10	(NA)	41	324	(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).....	128	158	2 004	1 867	124 489	77 930	1	—	4	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	62	58	1 967	1 505	30 439	17 175	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	2	3	11	47	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	6	3	39	48	1 254	805	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	5	(NA)	252	26	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	20	14	175	96	362	147	—	—	—	—

**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.....	177	5 950	(X)	1	3	58	1 487	57	379	4	14
.....1969.....	163	5 924	(X)	—	—	100	2 603	99	583	7	43
Improved pasture.....1974.....	68	2 186	(X)	—	—	25	1 064	25	260	2	22
.....1969.....	62	2 071	(X)	—	—	30	1 246	28	250	3	24
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	156	3 982	(X)	1	4	114	3 291	111	853	52	219
.....1969.....	182	3 419	(X)	—	—	117	2 465	116	539	25	164
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	11	291	(X)	—	—	8	276	8	68	—	—
.....1969.....	5	74	(X)	—	—	3	27	3	5	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	51	580	20 868	1	3	35	506	35	138	3	11
.....1969.....	51	349	13 386	—	—	35	268	(NA)	66	(NA)	10
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	27	292	10 877	—	—	21	162	21	31	—	—
.....1969.....	46	385	17 325	—	—	38	340	(NA)	69	(NA)	6
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	20	356	15 736	1	2	14	310	14	68	4	12
.....1969.....	26	400	16 754	—	—	23	355	(NA)	73	(NA)	8
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	9	49	750	—	—	6	40	6	7	1	(Z)
.....1969.....	14	88	1 397	—	—	10	59	(NA)	9	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	9	355	(X)	—	—	6	346	6	55	5	20
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	69	1 325	19 139	—	—	25	556	24	86	1	1
.....1969.....	64	775	14 993	—	—	32	484	(NA)	67	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	1	1	2 000	—	—	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—
.....1969.....	2	2	800	—	—	2	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	140	2 219	4 093	1	5	55	971	54	236	9	28
.....1969.....	136	2 159	3 823	—	—	59	745	57	170	7	40
Field seed crops.....1974.....	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	16	247	(X)	—	—	6	108	6	28	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	129	600	1 065 022	1	3	129	600	(NA)	129	(NA)	1
.....1969.....	150	557	1 016 026	7	32	150	557	(NA)	409	(NA)	4
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	26	19	2 164	1	1	11	15	11	10	—	—
.....1969.....	40	5	503	1	(Z)	8	2	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	4	5	(X)	—	—	3	5	3	2	—	—
.....1969.....	9	12	(X)	—	—	7	4	7	2	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	25	581	(X)	—	—	15	494	15	78	—	—
.....1969.....	20	310	(X)	—	—	15	298	15	60	—	—

**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	29	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969 .....	1	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	3	3	(X)	2	1	3	3	3	4	-	-
1969 .....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops .....	2	2	(X)	-	-	1	1	3	1	-	-
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 .....	245		272		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
\$1,000 .....	565		229		Diseases in crops and orchards .....	8		10	
Commercial fertilizer .....	242		259		acres on which used .....	403		118	
acres on which used .....	10 141		9 641		\$1,000 .....	20		6	
\$1,000 .....	2 976		2 660		Weeds or grass in crops .....	54		53	
Lime .....	472		182		acres on which used .....	2 372		1 789	
acres on which used .....	35		74		\$1,000 .....	24		8	
\$1,000 .....	626		1 317		Weeds or brush in pasture .....	3		4	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	1 115		1 885		acres on which used .....	38		220	
Insects on hay crops .....	5		4		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(Z)	
acres on which used .....	43		18		Weeds on all other land .....	6		(NA)	
\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(Z)		acres on which used .....	61		(NA)	
Insects on other crops .....	92		114		\$1,000 .....	1		(NA)	
acres on which used .....	1 153		764		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000 .....	23		14		of crops or thinning of fruit .....	9		23	
Nematodes in crops .....	4		6		acres on which used .....	156		118	
acres on which used .....	14		14		\$1,000 .....	2		2	
\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(Z)		Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	20		56	
					\$1,000 .....	5		3	
					Other chemicals (see text) .....	34		(NA)	
					\$1,000 .....	7		(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 .....	3		7		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	0.9		2.1		Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated .....	24		32		acres .....	-		(NA)	
Average per farm .....	8.0		4.5		Other sprinkler systems .....	3		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated .....	3		7		acres .....	24		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	24		32		Land in irrigated farms .....	30		919	
acres .....	3		7		Cropland .....	24		456	
Harvested cropland .....	21		32		Harvested cropland .....	21		240	
acres .....	1		32		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	3		-		between 1970 and 1973 .....	-		(X)	
acres .....	-		-		acres irrigated in most recent year .....	-		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated .....	-		(NA)		Farms with artificial drainage .....	15		11	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	-		-		Proportion of farms .....	4.6		3.3	
acres .....	-		-		Land in farms with drainage .....	2 274		2 510	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	13		8		Land drained .....	271		111	
Average per acre irrigated .....	0.5		0.3		Average per farm .....	18.1		10.0	
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches .....	-		(NA)		tanks .....	23		(NA)	
acres .....	-		(NA)		number .....	46		(NA)	
					acres .....	87		(NA)	

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

	Farms	\$1,000	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
			Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....			77		59		36	
			2 239		1 603		636	
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000 .....			18		10		17	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....			6		10		4	
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....			27		23		7	
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....			10		5		3	
\$50,000 and over .....			16		11		5	

**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 .....	16	16	24	22	95		114	16	26	90	
25 to 149 days .....	26	206	53	955	45		207	95	45	67	
Less than 25 days .....	90		(NA)	(NA)	67		825	24	53	748	
Total contract labor .....	6	20	(NA)	(NA)	4	17					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	1	(NA)	2	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker .....	22						22	12	9	12	
2 workers .....	18						18	3	12	10	
3 or 4 workers .....	21						21	-	4	16	
5 to 9 workers .....	28						28	1	1	28	
10 workers and over .....	25						25	-	-	24	