

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 | 68 | 53 | 68 | 53 | | | |
| \$40,000 to \$99,999 | 157 | | 157 | | | | |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 204 | 151 | 204 | 151 | | | |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 247 | 233 | 247 | 233 | | | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 201 | 268 | 201 | 268 | | | |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 123 | 246 | 123 | 246 | | | |
| Under \$2,500 (see text) | 187 | 516 | 2 | 16 | | | |
| \$2,000 to \$2,499 | 30 | 78 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999 | 39 | 70 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499 | 43 | 106 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| Under \$1,000 (see text) | 75 | 262 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| Market value of agricultural products sold | | | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 32 605 | 15 061 | 32 374 | 14 537 | | | |
| Average per farm | 27 469 | 10 266 | 32 310 | 15 032 | | | |
| Crops, including hay | | | | | | | |
| farms | 1 123 | 1 363 | 971 | (NA) | | | |
| \$1,000 | 27 137 | 12 380 | 26 949 | 11 695 | | | |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | | | | | | | |
| farms | 11 | | 8 | 11 | | | |
| \$1,000 | 303 | | 302 | 237 | | | |
| Forest products | | | | | | | |
| farms | 42 | 76 | 40 | 62 | | | |
| \$1,000 | 404 | 281 | 403 | 275 | | | |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | | | | | | | |
| farms | 411 | 498 | 355 | 382 | | | |
| \$1,000 | 4 762 | 2 400 | 4 720 | 2 331 | | | |
| Poultry and poultry products | | | | | | | |
| farms | 57 | (NA) | 48 | 38 | | | |
| \$1,000 | 579 | (NA) | 577 | 255 | | | |
| Specified products sold: | | | | | | | |
| Crops | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | 971 | | (NA) |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 26 949 | | 11 695 |
| Grains | | | | | 894 | | 792 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 14 378 | | 4 725 |
| Tobacco | | | | | 585 | | 704 |
| farms | | | | | 11 317 | | 6 229 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Cotton and cottonseed | | | | | 1 | | (2) |
| farms | | | | | 17 | | 32 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 33 | | 69 |
| Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage | | | | | 103 | | 104 |
| farms | | | | | 1 014 | | 620 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 20 | | 34 |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons | | | | | 198 | | 49 |
| farms | | | | | 5 | | 10 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 8 | | 2 |
| Fruits, nuts, and berries | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | 355 | | 382 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 4 720 | | 2 331 |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | | | | | 48 | | 38 |
| farms | | | | | 577 | | 255 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 7 | | 9 |
| Poultry and poultry products | | | | | 568 | | 345 |
| farms | | | | | 108 | | (NA) |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 651 | | 374 |
| Cattle and calves | | | | | 295 | | (NA) |
| farms | | | | | 2 822 | | 1 357 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | - | | - |
| Hogs and pigs | | | | | - | | - |
| farms | | | | | 9 | | |
| \$1,000 | | | | | 102 | | |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | |
| Other livestock and livestock products | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | |
| \$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 sold¹ | 238 | (NA) | 116 | (NA) | | | |
| Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹ | | | | | | | |
| farms | 275 | (NA) | 237 | (NA) | | | |
| \$1,000 | 684 | (NA) | 622 | (NA) | | | |
| Customwork and other agricultural services | | | | | | | |
| farms | 85 | 114 | 79 | 92 | | | |
| \$1,000 | 256 | 191 | 234 | 184 | | | |
| Recreational services | | | | | | | |
| farms | 3 | 5 | 2 | 4 | | | |
| \$1,000 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 4 | | | |
| Government farm programs | | | | | | | |
| farms | 51 | 551 | 50 | 401 | | | |
| \$1,000 | 52 | 807 | 52 | 685 | | | |
| Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments | | | | | | | |
| farms | 170 | (NA) | 139 | (NA) | | | |
| \$1,000 | 351 | (NA) | 320 | (NA) | | | |
| Other farm-related sources | | | | | | | |
| farms | 12 | (NA) | 10 | (NA) | | | |
| \$1,000 | 16 | (NA) | 16 | (NA) | | | |
| Expenses for farm-related income sources¹ | | | | | | | |
| farms | 104 | (NA) | 90 | (NA) | | | |
| \$1,000 | 216 | (NA) | 203 | (NA) | | | |
| Total family income from off-farm sources² | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | 463 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | 2 960 |
| Nonfarm business, excluding farm related | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | 60 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | 493 |
| Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | 322 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | 1 971 |
| Interest, dividends, or royalties | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | 130 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | 181 |
| Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | 82 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | 153 |
| Rent income of nonfarm property | | | | | | | |
| farms | | | | | | | 47 |
| \$1,000 | | | | | | | 163 |

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 | 1 187 | 1 467 | 1 002 | 967 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 19 545 | 11 495 | 19 349 | 10 941 | | | | | |
| Farms with - | | | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$999 | 141 | 321 | 21 | 73 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 to \$1,999 | 146 | 174 | 97 | | | | | | |
| \$2,000 to \$2,999 | 92 | 147 | 83 | 101 | | | | | |
| \$3,000 to \$4,999 | 123 | 228 | 117 | 202 | | | | | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 232 | 281 | 231 | 275 | | | | | |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 192 | | 192 | 191 | | | | | |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 146 | 316 | 146 | 90 | | | | | |
| \$40,000 to \$59,999 | 41 | | 41 | | | | | | |
| \$60,000 and over | 74 | | 74 | 35 | | | | | |
| Livestock and poultry purchased | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 237 | 315 | 170 | 223 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 458 | 257 | 444 | 246 | | | | | |
| Feed for livestock and poultry purchased | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 428 | 482 | 325 | 361 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 1 901 | 826 | 1 861 | 790 | | | | | |
| Commercially mixed formula feeds | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 363 | 366 | 281 | 310 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 1 507 | 512 | 1 481 | 493 | | | | | |
| Feed ingredients | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 69 | 66 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 158 | 110 | | | | | |
| Whole grains | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 88 | 100 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 203 | 171 | | | | | |
| Hay, green chop, and silage | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 19 | 39 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 19 | 16 | | | | | |
| Animal health costs for livestock and poultry | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 122 | (NA) | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 52 | (NA) | | | | | |
| Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 859 | 1 041 | 761 | 759 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 899 | 404 | 890 | 387 | | | | | |
| Commercial fertilizer purchased | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 1 066 | 1 320 | 916 | 923 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 3 816 | 1 764 | 3 771 | 1 688 | | | | | |
| Other agricultural chemicals purchased | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 635 | (NA) | 596 | (NA) | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 852 | 439 | 849 | 425 | | | | | |
| Lime | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | 370 | 149 | 318 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | 129 | 114 | 123 | | | | | |
| Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 1 153 | 1 436 | 978 | 965 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 1 851 | 1 238 | 1 824 | 1 155 | | | | | |
| Gasoline | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 903 | 943 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 805 | 530 | | | | | |
| Diesel oil | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 387 | 327 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 338 | 170 | | | | | |
| LP gas, butane, and propane | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 177 | 423 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 281 | 174 | | | | | |
| Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | (NA) | (NA) | 978 | 962 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 400 | 280 | | | | | |
| Hired farm labor | | | | | | | | | |
| farms | 554 | 1 025 | 522 | 799 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 2 331 | 1 924 | 2 321 | 1 837 | | | | | |
| Contract labor | | | | | | | | | |

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..... | 1 043 | 1 406 | 872 | 947 | | | | | |
| \$1,000..... | 19 906 | 10 327 | 18 628 | 8 609 | | | | | |
| Average per farm..... dollars..... | 19 085 | 7 344 | 21 362 | 9 090 | | | | | |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$999..... | 18 | 186 | 7 | 473 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 to \$4,999..... | 260 | 680 | 201 | 187 | | | | | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999..... | 201 | 230 | 128 | 160 | | | | | |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... | 209 | 171 | 189 | 75 | | | | | |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999..... | 144 | | 138 | 35 | | | | | |
| \$30,000 to \$49,999..... | 125 | 139 | 124 | 17 | | | | | |
| \$50,000 to \$69,999..... | 52 | | 52 | | | | | | |
| \$70,000 and over..... | 34 | | 33 | | | | | | |
| Selected Machinery and Equipment | | | | | | | | | |
| Automobiles..... farms..... | 795 | 999 | 681 | 707 | | | | | |
| number..... | 1 096 | 1 224 | 961 | 883 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 612 | 750 | 571 | 585 | | | | | |
| Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms..... | 844 | 954 | 732 | 736 | | | | | |
| number..... | 1 369 | 1 324 | 1 248 | 1 084 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 592 | 740 | 567 | 634 | | | | | |
| Wheel tractors..... farms..... | 939 | 1 254 | 801 | 874 | | | | | |
| number..... | 2 094 | 2 458 | 1 922 | 1 921 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 497 | 894 | 489 | 776 | | | | | |
| Crawler tractors..... farms..... | 38 | | 35 | 42 | | | | | |
| number..... | 47 | | 43 | 44 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 8 | | 6 | 18 | | | | | |
| Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con. | | | | | | | | | |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..... | 235 | 223 | 234 | 206 | | | | | |
| number..... | 261 | 254 | 260 | 236 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 87 | 143 | 87 | 136 | | | | | |
| Corn heads for combines..... farms..... | 218 | 214 | 217 | 177 | | | | | |
| number..... | 233 | 250 | 232 | 200 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 76 | 133 | 76 | 119 | | | | | |
| Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms..... | 36 | | 36 | 27 | | | | | |
| number..... | 39 | | 39 | 35 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 15 | | 15 | 10 | | | | | |
| Mower conditioners..... farms..... | 78 | (NA) | 73 | (NA) | | | | | |
| number..... | 89 | (NA) | 84 | (NA) | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 34 | (NA) | 31 | (NA) | | | | | |
| Pickup balers..... farms..... | 33 | 30 | 29 | 27 | | | | | |
| number..... | 33 | 31 | 29 | 28 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 4 | 15 | 3 | 12 | | | | | |
| Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..... | 15 | (NA) | 13 | 4 | | | | | |
| number..... | 15 | (NA) | 13 | 4 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 1 | (NA) | - | 2 | | | | | |
| Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms..... | 16 | (NA) | 15 | 7 | | | | | |
| number..... | 18 | (NA) | 17 | 7 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 5 | (NA) | 4 | 4 | | | | | |

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..... | 472 | (X) | 399 | (X) | 411 | (X) | 355 | (X) | 4 720 |
| Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974..... | 418 | (X) | 359 | (X) | 390 | (X) | 340 | (X) | 3 473 |
| 1969..... | 531 | (X) | 396 | (X) | 475 | (X) | 369 | (X) | (NA) |
| Cattle and calves..... 1974..... | 187 | 7 628 | 166 | 7 464 | 121 | 2 778 | 108 | 2 718 | 651 |
| 1969..... | 189 | 5 767 | 144 | 5 523 | 149 | 2 099 | 119 | 1 993 | 374 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 4..... 1974..... | 48 | 111 | 39 | 91 | 49 | 134 | 41 | 116 | 23 |
| 5 to 9..... 1974..... | 40 | 270 | 39 | 265 | 26 | 166 | 22 | 139 | 25 |
| 10 to 19..... 1974..... | 48 | 623 | 39 | 524 | 20 | 260 | 19 | 245 | 53 |
| 20 to 49..... 1974..... | 29 | 853 | 27 | 813 | 18 | 538 | 18 | 538 | 97 |
| 50 to 99..... 1974..... | 11 | 711 | 11 | 711 | 3 | 178 | 3 | 178 | 14 |
| 100 to 199..... 1974..... | 7 | 971 | 7 | 971 | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | (D) |
| 200 to 499..... 1974..... | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | (D) |
| 500 and over..... 1974..... | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | (D) |
| Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974..... | 146 | 3 394 | 135 | 3 327 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| 1969..... | 143 | 2 681 | 113 | 2 611 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Beef cows..... 1974..... | 120 | 2 924 | 112 | 2 861 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| 1969..... | (NA) | 2 210 | 92 | 2 161 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Milk cows..... 1974..... | 35 | 470 | 32 | 466 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| 1969..... | 52 | 471 | 36 | 450 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Dairy products sold..... 1974..... | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 7 | (X) | 568 |
| 1969..... | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 9 | (X) | 345 |
| 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..... | 120 | 2 924 | 112 | 2 861 | Cattle sold..... | 85 | 1 930 | 571 | |
| Farms with— | | | | | Farms with— | | | | |
| 1 to 4..... | 46 | 114 | 46 | 114 | 1 to 4..... | 33 | 80 | 21 | |
| 5 to 9..... | 28 | 187 | 24 | 164 | 5 to 9..... | 20 | 130 | 33 | |
| 10 to 19..... | 22 | 249 | 18 | 209 | 10 to 19..... | 23 | 274 | 74 | |
| 20 to 49..... | 18 | 472 | 18 | 472 | 20 to 49..... | 4 | 131 | 32 | |
| 50 to 99..... | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 50 to 99..... | - | - | - | |
| 100 to 199..... | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 100 to 199..... | 3 | (D) | (D) | |
| 200 to 499..... | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 200 to 499..... | 1 | (D) | (D) | |
| 500 and over..... | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 500 and over..... | 1 | (D) | (D) | |
| Milk cows..... | 35 | 470 | 32 | 466 | Calves sold..... | 64 | 788 | 80 | |
| Farms with— | | | | | Farms with— | | | | |
| 1 or 2..... | 22 | 36 | 19 | 32 | 1 or 2..... | 19 | 29 | 4 | |
| 3 or 4..... | 5 | 16 | 5 | 16 | 3 or 4..... | 9 | 31 | 3 | |
| 5 to 9..... | 2 | 10 | 2 | 10 | 5 to 9..... | 15 | 91 | 8 | |
| 10 to 19..... | - | - | - | - | 10 to 19..... | 11 | 132 | 12 | |
| 20 to 49..... | 3 | 109 | 3 | 109 | 20 to 49..... | 7 | 218 | 22 | |
| 50 to 99..... | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 50 to 99..... | 2 | (D) | (D) | |
| 100 to 199..... | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 100 to 199..... | 1 | (D) | (D) | |
| 200 to 499..... | - | - | - | - | 200 to 499..... | - | - | (D) | |
| 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 | 119 | 65 106 | 17 | 55 442 | Turkeys | 2 | 6 | — | — |
| 1969 | 122 | 43 193 | 15 | 10 775 | 1969 | — | — | — | — |
| Hens for table or market egg production | 118 | 64 014 | 17 | 54 542 | Turkeys for slaughter | 2 | 6 | — | — |
| 1974 | 4 | 1 092 | 1 | 900 | 1974 | 1 | 2 | — | — |
| Hens for hatching egg production | — | — | — | — | 1969 | 1 | 4 | — | — |
| 1974 | — | — | — | — | 1974 | — | — | — | — |
| Pullets 3 months old or older | 4 | 70 | — | — | 1969 | — | — | — | — |
| 1969 | 4 | 450 | — | — | Turkey hens for breeding | — | — | — | — |
| Roosters and male chickens for breeding | 37 | 227 | 1 | 90 | 1974 | 4 | (X) | — | (X) |
| 1974 | 1 | 25 | — | — | 1969 | 4 | (X) | — | (X) |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old | — | — | — | — | | | | | |

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

| | All farms | | | | | |
|--|-----------|------|--------|--------|--------------------|-----------|
| | Farms | | Acres | | Quantity harvested | |
| | 1974 | 1969 | 1974 | 1969 | 1974 | 1969 |
| Corn for all purposes | 886 | 827 | 38 801 | 24 991 | (X) | (X) |
| Sorghums for all purposes | 10 | 15 | 419 | 188 | (X) | (X) |
| Soybeans for beans (bushels) | 893 | 967 | 47 611 | 51 585 | 1 101 621 | 1 307 438 |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds) | 55 | 86 | 778 | 458 | 1 129 159 | 864 240 |
| Wheat (bushels) | 46 | 102 | 1 921 | 3 190 | 70 000 | 139 825 |
| Other small grains for grain | 53 | 56 | 1 815 | 1 763 | (X) | (X) |
| Cotton (bales) | 1 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 3 |
| Tobacco (pounds) | 604 | 823 | 6 126 | 6 006 | 11 441 245 | 9 610 337 |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight) | 67 | (NA) | 1 139 | (NA) | 204 062 | (NA) |
| Sweetpotatoes (bushels) | 52 | (NA) | 51 | (NA) | 9 360 | (NA) |
| Hay crops (tons, dry) | 44 | 58 | 398 | 777 | 891 | 2 259 |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale | 33 | 47 | 336 | 189 | (X) | (X) |
| Land in orchards | 17 | 21 | 27 | 72 | (X) | (X) |
| Berries for sale | — | 2 | — | 4 | (X) | (X) |
| Other crops | 15 | (NA) | 301 | 804 | (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) | 793 | 628 | 37 555 | 22 880 | 3 226 755 | 1 827 778 | — | 1 | 20 |
| Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green) | 22 | 24 | 801 | 713 | 11 850 | 8 226 | — | — | — |
| Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed | 5 | 18 | 16 | 99 | (X) | (X) | — | — | — |
| Sorghums for grain (bushels) | 5 | 4 | 148 | 79 | 11 176 | 2 032 | — | — | — |
| Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc. | 4 | (NA) | 268 | 94 | (X) | (X) | — | (NA) | — |
| Alfalfa hay (tons, dry) | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

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

| | Farms | | Quantity | Irrigated land | | Commercial fertilizer used | | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|------------|----------------|-------|----------------------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| | Farms | Acres | | Farms | Acres | Total | | Dry | | Liquid | |
| | | | | | | Farms | Acres | Farms | Tons | Farms | Tons |
| Cropland used only for pasture | 190 | 5 614 | (X) | — | — | 28 | 914 | 27 | 224 | 3 | 18 |
| 1969 | 256 | 4 059 | (X) | 2 | 19 | 82 | 1 571 | 77 | 447 | 8 | 25 |
| Improved pasture | 54 | 1 297 | (X) | — | — | 14 | 424 | 13 | 369 | 1 | 49 |
| 1969 | 44 | 7 264 | (X) | — | — | 15 | 1 172 | 13 | 369 | 4 | 17 |
| Corn for all purposes | 803 | 38 372 | (X) | — | — | 632 | 33 292 | 590 | 7 630 | 279 | 4 299 |
| 1969 | 640 | 23 692 | (X) | 1 | 20 | 488 | 19 507 | 470 | 4 833 | 265 | 1 843 |
| Sorghums for all purposes | 9 | 416 | (X) | — | — | 7 | 413 | 7 | 84 | 4 | 57 |
| 1969 | 12 | 173 | (X) | — | — | 8 | 147 | 6 | 28 | 3 | 21 |
| Wheat (bushels) | 46 | 1 921 | 70 000 | — | — | 37 | 1 667 | 32 | 327 | 11 | 38 |
| 1974 | 94 | 3 079 | 135 620 | — | — | 85 | 2 965 | (NA) | 618 | (NA) | 122 |
| 1969 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Oats (bushels) | 43 | 1 483 | 110 446 | — | — | 33 | 1 341 | 26 | 166 | 16 | 74 |
| 1969 | 45 | 1 514 | 105 067 | — | — | 39 | 1 202 | (NA) | 208 | (NA) | 11 |
| Barley (bushels) | 5 | 164 | 6 034 | — | — | 3 | 112 | 3 | 27 | — | — |
| 1969 | 3 | 93 | 6 267 | — | — | 3 | 93 | (NA) | 12 | (NA) | — |
| Rye (bushels) | 5 | 143 | 2 990 | — | — | 4 | 129 | 4 | 56 | 4 | 11 |
| 1969 | 6 | 86 | 2 700 | — | — | 4 | 78 | (NA) | 20 | (NA) | — |
| Other small grains for grain | — | — | (X) | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Soybeans for beans (bushels) | 791 | 46 647 | 1 084 856 | — | — | 430 | 25 492 | 410 | 3 706 | 26 | 218 |
| 1969 | 691 | 48 194 | 1 223 929 | 3 | 120 | 473 | 35 635 | (NA) | 4 739 | (NA) | 1 064 |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds) | 53 | 766 | 1 117 159 | — | — | 32 | 454 | 32 | 111 | — | — |
| 1969 | 79 | 443 | 837 965 | 1 | 1 | 40 | 218 | (NA) | 62 | (NA) | — |
| Hay crops (tons, dry) | 39 | 338 | 842 | — | — | 7 | 117 | 6 | 22 | 2 | 13 |
| 1969 | 42 | 732 | 2 163 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 362 | 10 | 128 | 1 | 1 |
| Field seed crops | 1 | 15 | (X) | — | — | 1 | 15 | 1 | 6 | — | — |
| 1974 | 18 | 437 | (X) | — | — | 4 | 76 | 4 | 3 | — | — |
| 1969 | 1 | 7 | 5 | — | — | 1 | 7 | 1 | 2 | — | — |
| Cotton (bales) | 1 | 1 | 1 | — | — | 1 | 1 | (NA) | (2) | (NA) | — |
| 1969 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Tobacco (pounds) | 585 | 6 107 | 11 412 709 | 20 | 469 | 585 | 6 088 | 576 | 4 573 | 31 | 96 |
| 1969 | 702 | 5 758 | 9 366 368 | 32 | 278 | 702 | 5 738 | (NA) | 5 082 | (NA) | 49 |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight) | 66 | 1 139 | 204 002 | 2 | (2) | 47 | 1 135 | 47 | 848 | — | — |
| 1969 | 60 | 1 301 | 225 594 | 9 | 292 | 36 | 1 297 | (NA) | 1 848 | (NA) | 7 |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale | 23 | 321 | (X) | — | — | 17 | 298 | 15 | 94 | 2 | 15 |
| 1969 | 35 | 176 | (X) | 2 | 33 | 21 | 115 | 21 | 46 | — | — |
| Land in orchards | 12 | 25 | (X) | — | — | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | — | — |
| 1969 | 13 | 58 | (X) | — | — | 9 | 22 | 9 | 8 | — | — |

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 | 1 | 1 | (X) | — | — | — | — | — | (Z) | — | — | — |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | 1974 | 8 | 257 | (X) | 1 | 20 | 6 | 254 | 6 | 67 | 1 | 30 | 30 |
| ..... | 1969 | 11 | 228 | (X) | 2 | 11 | 10 | 215 | 10 | 117 | — | — | — |
| Other crops | 1974 | 30 | 74 | (X) | — | — | 19 | 61 | 26 | 30 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

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 | 928 | 933 | 933 | 933 | Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con. | 16 | 11 | 16 | 11 |
| ..... | \$1,000 | 4 620 | 2 113 | 2 113 | 2 113 | Diseases in crops and orchards | 694 | 736 | 694 | 736 |
| Commercial fertilizer | farms | 916 | 910 | 910 | 910 | ..... | 10 | 4 | 10 | 4 |
| ..... | acres on which used | 72 264 | 70 599 | 70 599 | 70 599 | ..... | 280 | 311 | 280 | 311 |
| ..... | tons | 22 926 | 21 120 | 21 120 | 21 120 | Weeds or grass in crops | 34 821 | 26 961 | 34 821 | 26 961 |
| ..... | \$1,000 | 3 771 | 1 688 | 1 688 | 1 688 | ..... | 249 | 111 | 249 | 111 |
| Lime | farms | 149 | 318 | 318 | 318 | Weeds or brush in pasture | 5 | 7 | 5 | 7 |
| ..... | acres on which used | 9 091 | 14 156 | 14 156 | 14 156 | ..... | 87 | 66 | 87 | 66 |
| ..... | tons | 9 496 | 15 326 | 15 326 | 15 326 | ..... | 1 | (Z) | 1 | (Z) |
| ..... | \$1,000 | 114 | 123 | 123 | 123 | Weeds on all other land | 18 | (NA) | 18 | (NA) |
| Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control— | farms | — | — | — | — | ..... | 146 | (NA) | 146 | (NA) |
| Insects on hay crops | farms | — | — | — | — | ..... | 2 | (NA) | 2 | (NA) |
| ..... | acres on which used | — | — | — | — | Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control | — | — | — | — |
| ..... | \$1,000 | — | — | — | — | of crops or thinning of fruit | 35 | 79 | 35 | 79 |
| Insects on other crops | farms | 367 | 550 | 550 | 550 | ..... | 425 | 993 | 425 | 993 |
| ..... | acres on which used | 30 607 | 21 301 | 21 301 | 21 301 | ..... | 9 | 16 | 9 | 16 |
| ..... | \$1,000 | 363 | 128 | 128 | 128 | Insect control on livestock and poultry | 26 | 80 | 26 | 80 |
| Nematodes in crops | farms | 119 | 157 | 157 | 157 | ..... | 3 | 6 | 3 | 6 |
| ..... | acres on which used | 1 983 | 1 799 | 1 799 | 1 799 | Other chemicals (see text) | 147 | (NA) | 147 | (NA) |
| ..... | \$1,000 | 48 | 31 | 31 | 31 | ..... | 50 | (NA) | 50 | (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 | 21 | 48 | 48 | 48 | Land irrigated by—Continued | — | — | — | — |
| Proportion of farms | percent | 2.1 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.9 | Self-propelled sprinkler systems | 8 | (NA) | 8 | (NA) |
| Total land irrigated | acres | 490 | 765 | 765 | 765 | ..... | 215 | (NA) | 215 | (NA) |
| Average per farm | acres | 23.3 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 15.9 | Other sprinkler systems | 10 | (NA) | 10 | (NA) |
| Cropland irrigated | farms | 21 | 48 | 48 | 48 | ..... | 216 | (NA) | 216 | (NA) |
| ..... | acres | 490 | 765 | 765 | 765 | Land in irrigated farms | 5 066 | 11 377 | 5 066 | 11 377 |
| Harvested cropland irrigated | farms | 21 | 47 | 47 | 47 | ..... | 3 502 | 7 818 | 3 502 | 7 818 |
| ..... | acres | 490 | 746 | 746 | 746 | Harvested cropland | 3 334 | 6 267 | 3 334 | 6 267 |
| Cropland pasture irrigated | farms | — | — | — | — | Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated | — | — | — | — |
| ..... | acres | — | 19 | 19 | 19 | between 1970 and 1973 | 10 | (X) | 10 | (X) |
| Other cropland irrigated | farms | — | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | ..... | 251 | (X) | 251 | (X) |
| Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture | farms | — | — | — | — | acres irrigated in most recent year | 275 | 464 | 275 | 464 |
| ..... | acres | — | — | — | — | Farms with artificial drainage | 27.4 | 47.9 | 27.4 | 47.9 |
| ..... | acres | — | — | — | — | Proportion of farms | 60 065 | 117 407 | 60 065 | 117 407 |
| Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied | acre-feet | 317 | 456 | 456 | 456 | Land in farms with drainage | 45 706 | 86 137 | 45 706 | 86 137 |
| Average per acre irrigated | acre-feet | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.6 | Land drained | 166.2 | 185.6 | 166.2 | 185.6 |
| Land irrigated by— | acres | — | — | — | — | Average per farm | — | — | — | — |
| Furrows or ditches | farms | 2 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen | — | — | — | — |
| ..... | acres | 24 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | tanks | 79 | (NA) | 79 | (NA) |
| ..... | acres | — | — | — | — | ..... | 191 | (NA) | 191 | (NA) |
| ..... | acres | — | — | — | — | ..... | 110 | (NA) | 110 | (NA) |

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 | |
|--|-------|---------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|
| | | \$1,000 | | | | | |
| | — | 256 | 178 | 136 | 136 | 136 | 136 |
| | — | 6 892 | 4 535 | 2 357 | 2 357 | 2 357 | 2 357 |
| Farms by size of debt owed: | | | | | | | |
| Under \$5,000 | | 49 | 25 | 49 | 49 | 49 | 49 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | | 63 | 45 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 |
| \$10,000 to \$29,999 | | 73 | 57 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| \$30,000 to \$49,999 | | 31 | 30 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| \$50,000 and over | | 40 | 21 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 |

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 | 91 | 125 | 220 | 254 | 964 | 837 | Farms | 522 | 91 | 179 | 379 | | |
| 25 to 149 days | 179 | 761 | 1 288 | 8 189 | 648 | 709 | Cash wages paid .. \$1,000 | 2 321 | 964 | 648 | 709 | | |
| Less than 25 days | 379 | — | 4 819 | — | 709 | — | Number of workers | 6 327 | 220 | 1 288 | 4 819 | | |
| Total contract labor | 54 | 72 | (NA) | (NA) | 119 | 103 | Farms with— | | | | | | |
| Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor | 21 | (NA) | 233 | (NA) | 69 | (NA) | 1 worker | 81 | 39 | 49 | 56 | | |
| ..... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 workers | 49 | 30 | 27 | 25 | | |
| ..... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3 or 4 workers | 48 | 15 | 22 | 27 | | |
| ..... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 to 9 workers | 81 | 4 | 22 | 63 | | |
| ..... |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 workers and over | 263 | 3 | 59 | 208 | | |