

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	25	27	25	27			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	38		38				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	54	30	54	30			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	52	51	52	51			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	63	55	63	55			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41	71	41	71			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	54	168	2	6			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	16	27	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	4	23	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	19	23	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	15	95	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000...	11 901	7 514	11 826	7 352			
Average per farm dollars	36 394	18 691	43 002	30 632			
Crops, including hay							
farms...	300	355	264	(NA)			
\$1,000...	7 998	3 268	7 943	3 138			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms...	-	-	-	1			
\$1,000...	-	-	-	(2)			
Forest products							
farms...	25	32	24	27			
\$1,000...	141	107	141	107			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms...	115	133	98	91			
\$1,000...	3 762	4 139	3 742	4 107			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms...	3	(NA)	3	11			
\$1,000...	1 029	(NA)	1 029	2 058			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms...		264		(NA)			
\$1,000...		7 943		3 138			
Grains							
farms...		223		174			
\$1,000...		2 693		775			
Tobacco							
farms...		188		189			
\$1,000...		3 692		1 784			
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms...		68		114			
\$1,000...		1 496		467			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms...		22		22			
\$1,000...		45		35			
Other field crops							
farms...		3		10			
\$1,000...		7		23			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms...		9		21			
\$1,000...		9		52			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms...		2		3			
\$1,000...		1		1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms...		98		91			
\$1,000...		3 742		4 107			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms...		3		11			
\$1,000...		1 029		2 058			
Dairy products							
farms...		1		1			
\$1,000...		(D)		(D)			
Cattle and calves							
farms...		54		(NA)			
\$1,000...		227		(D)			
Hogs and pigs							
farms...		60		(NA)			
\$1,000...		2 395		1 804			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms...		-		-			
\$1,000...		-		-			
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms...		3		(D)			
\$1,000...		(D)		(D)			

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	66	(NA)	31	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	127
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	87	(NA)	71	(NA)	\$1,000...	885
Customwork and other agricultural services	233	(NA)	229	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	23
Recreational services	29	37	28	29	\$1,000...	208
Government farm programs	142	73	142	71	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	86
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	-	5	-	5	\$1,000...	557
Other farm-related sources	-	4	-	4	Interest, dividends, or royalties	38
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	37	236	36	151	\$1,000...	51
	10	780	10	689	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	25
	40	(NA)	24	(NA)	\$1,000...	60
	76	(NA)	73	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	4
	6	(NA)	5	(NA)	\$1,000...	8
	4	(NA)	4	(NA)		
	31	(NA)	30	(NA)		
	83	(NA)	80	(NA)		

¹See text. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses									
farms...	327	402	275	240	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	206	309	178	211
\$1,000...	8 745	6 708	8 668	6 521	\$1,000...	155	85	154	77
Farms with—					Commercial fertilizer purchased	298	366	251	231
\$1 to \$999	18	92	3	27	\$1,000...	1 140	670	1 129	632
\$1,000 to \$1,999	58	75	31	38	Other agricultural chemicals purchased				
\$2,000 to \$2,999	37	50	31	43	farms...	168	(NA)	156	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	51	50	47	54	\$1,000...	754	287	753	277
\$5,000 to \$9,999	42	57	42	54	farms...	78	42	57	57
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48		48	33	Lime	(NA)	40	37	37
\$20,000 to \$39,999	36	78	36	18	\$1,000...	(NA)	40	37	37
\$40,000 to \$59,999	7		7		Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business				
\$60,000 and over	30		30	27	farms...	302	393	250	240
Livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000...	547	346	536	314
farms...	74	83	58	63	farms...	(NA)	(NA)	218	222
\$1,000...	818	926	806	921	\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	188	140
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					farms...	(NA)	(NA)	103	63
farms...	138	123	100	78	\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	125	42
\$1,000...	2 005	2 395	1 988	2 384	farms...	(NA)	(NA)	33	113
Commercially mixed formula feeds					\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	84	67
farms...	114	85	87	62	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil				
\$1,000...	1 895	2 327	1 891	2 323	farms...	(NA)	(NA)	250	240
Feed ingredients					\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	140	65
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	21	19	Hired farm labor				
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	43	21	farms...	157	276	141	202
Whole grains					\$1,000...	869	612	866	586
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	29	23	farms...	11	9	10	10
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	49	36	\$1,000...	16	120	16	18
Hay, green chop, and silage					Machine hire and customwork				
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	10	8	farms...	157	145	145	132
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	4	3	\$1,000...	276	273	273	89
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry					farms...	321	338	275	238
farms...	(NA)	(NA)	43	(NA)	\$1,000...	2 166	1 267	2 076	1 222
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	71	(NA)					

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.....	263	384	214	233					
.....\$1,000.....	5 693	3 562	5 383	3 011					
Average per farm.....dollars.....	21 648	9 275	25 153	12 920					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	4	48	4	107					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	71	175	50	52					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	50	77	31	25					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	44	31	36	19					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	30		29	14					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	38		38	19					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	14	53	14	16					
\$70,000 and over.....	12		12						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....farms.....	177	277	145	161					
.....number.....	269	425	234	271					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	134	267	130	178					
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	201	244	165	175					
.....number.....	354	382	316	299					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	154	211	144	168					
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	218	321	178	212					
.....number.....	501	643	456	492					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	151	244	148	208					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	5		3	2					
.....number.....	6		4	4					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2		-	1					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	62	53	61	50					
.....number.....	64	56	63	53					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	24	36	24	33					
Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	32	41	32	32					
.....number.....	32	42	32	33					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	29	7	25					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	19		18	6					
.....number.....	19		18	6					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	1					
Mower conditioners.....farms.....	22	(NA)	19	(NA)					
.....number.....	22	(NA)	19	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	(NA)	8	(NA)					
Pickup balers.....farms.....	23	26	22	23					
.....number.....	23	26	22	23					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	16	4	14					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	14	(NA)	13	14					
.....number.....	14	(NA)	13	14					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	(NA)	3	7					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	11	(NA)	11	8					
.....number.....	12	(NA)	12	10					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	(NA)	2	5					

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.....	154	(X)	123	(X)	115	(X)	98	(X)	3 742
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	137	(X)	114	(X)	113	(X)	96	(X)	2 622
.....1969.....	167	(X)	101	(X)	124	(X)	85	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	82	3 763	64	3 544	64	1 305	54	1 213	227
.....1969.....	93	1 905	58	1 739	61	1 132	45	1 060	(D)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	19	51	12	37	18	30	15	25	4
5 to 9.....1974.....	16	113	14	101	18	118	13	81	17
10 to 19.....1974.....	14	204	10	148	9	120	9	120	20
20 to 49.....1974.....	17	522	12	385	9	223	7	173	40
50 to 99.....1974.....	5	356	5	356	8	(D)	8	(D)	(D)
100 to 199.....1974.....	6	880	6	880	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....1974.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
500 and over.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	69	1 729	54	1 629	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	77	888	52	817	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	59	1 590	50	1 500	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	745	42	695	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	16	139	10	129	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	26	143	13	122	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1	(X)	(D)
Inventory, 1974									
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Beef cows.....	59	1 590	50	1 500					
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	16	36	15	34					
5 to 9.....	18	132	14	102					
10 to 19.....	9	124	6	86					
20 to 49.....	7	176	6	156					
50 to 99.....	5	356	5	356					
100 to 199.....	3	(D)	3	(D)					
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-					
Milk cows.....	16	139	10	129					
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	10	12	6	8					
3 or 4.....	5	(D)	3	(D)					
5 to 9.....	-	-	-	-					
10 to 19.....	-	-	-	-					
20 to 49.....	-	-	-	-					
50 to 99.....	-	-	-	-					
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)					
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-					
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-					
Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms	Number					Dollars (1,000)		
Cattle sold.....	39	583					151		
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	21	57					16		
5 to 9.....	6	38					9		
10 to 19.....	-	-					-		
20 to 49.....	10	(D)					(D)		
50 to 99.....	2	(D)					(D)		
100 to 199.....	-	-					-		
200 to 499.....	-	-					-		
500 and over.....	-	-					-		
Calves sold.....	41	630					76		
Farms with—									
1 or 2.....	10	14					2		
3 or 4.....	10	35					6		
5 to 9.....	3	19					1		
10 to 19.....	8	114					17		
20 to 49.....	8	(D)					(D)		
50 to 99.....	-	-					-		
100 to 199.....	2	(D)					(D)		
200 to 499.....	-	-					-		
500 and over.....	-	-					-		

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.....	44	1 169	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates.....	6	74	25
1969.....	39	486	1969.....	4	427	(NA)
Beef heifers.....	43	1 079	Farms with—	4	(D)	(D)
Milk heifers.....	1	90	1 to 9.....	—	—	—
1974.....	—	—	10 to 19.....	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	20 to 49.....	2	(D)	(D)
1974.....	—	—	50 to 99.....	—	—	—
1969.....	—	—	100 to 199.....	—	—	—
1974.....	45	746	200 to 499.....	—	—	—
1969.....	45	436	500 and over.....	—	—	—

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	
Hogs and pigs.....	85	12 781	74	12 597	72	34 372	60	34 185	2 395
1969.....	119	13 489	72	12 943	81	37 103	56	36 411	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	26	74	22	60	4	12	2	6	1
5 to 9.....	11	66	10	60	11	72	9	58	3
10 to 24.....	17	246	17	246	20	336	13	194	13
25 to 49.....	16	515	10	351	15	511	14	486	25
50 to 99.....	4	223	4	223	5	372	5	372	31
100 to 199.....	5	711	5	711	8	1 080	8	1 080	61
200 to 499.....	1	200	1	200	4	1 285	4	1 285	89
500 and over.....	5	10 746	5	10 746	5	30 704	5	30 704	2 173
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	22	1 449	14	1 346	29
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	17	627	11	425	(NA)
1974.....	1	4	1	4	—	—	—	—	(NA)
1969.....	3	25	—	—	1	15	—	—	(NA)
1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	—	(X)	—
1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	2	4	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
1974.....	26	68	19	54	3	5	3	5	1
1969.....	49	142	(NA)	(NA)	7	20	(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.....	43	1 186	Litters of pigs farrowed between—	61	1 646	50	1 603		
1969.....	46	553	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	74	891	49	777		
Other hogs and pigs.....	69	11 411	1969.....	50	844	43	834		
1969.....	64	12 390	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	64	502	44	450		
1974.....	—	—	1969.....	45	802	38	769		
1969.....	—	—	June 1 and November 30.....	61	389	41	327		
1974.....	1	1	1974.....	—	—	—	—		
1969.....	1	3	1969.....	—	—	—	—		

1 Pounds 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.....	44	(X)	28	(X)	2	(X)	2	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	34	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	39	1 134	23	835	1	20	1	20
1969.....	65	40 278	32	39 663	3	26 520	3	26 520
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	39	1 043	23	781	1	20	1	20
1969.....	57	39 943	31	39 569	3	26 520	3	26 520
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	37	743	21	481	—	—	—	—
100 to 399.....	2	300	2	300	—	—	—	—
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.....	10	244	6	236	—	—	—	—
1969.....	2	5 040	2	5 040	2	(D)	2	(D)
1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3	1 029	3	1 029
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	11	2 058

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	23	781	1	20	Turkeys.....1974	2	(D)	1	(D)
.....1969	31	39 569	3	26 520	.....1969	2	(D)	3	540 000
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974	23	741	1	20	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974	1	14	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974	2	40	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974	1	9	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974	1	26	—	—	Light breed.....1974	1	5	—	—
.....1969	1	25	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974	1	(D)	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974	11	28	—	—	.....1969	1	(D)	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974	—	—	—	—	Other poultry.....1974	—	(X)	1	(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.....	163	207	3 756	4 860	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	6	1	197	20	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	221	191	19 828	10 951	353 358	246 130
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels).....	34	83	981	1 175	28 993	37 321
Other small grains for grain.....	59	45	2 822	2 080	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	71	160	8 076	8 910	7 916	5 202
Tobacco (pounds).....	193	242	2 193	2 012	4 018 994	3 025 353
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	9	(NA)	3	(NA)	172	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	6	(NA)	5	(NA)	1 650	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	60	48	1 160	842	2 705	1 972
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	16	38	49	420	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	10	8	33	34	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	2	—	(Z)	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	—	(NA)	—	294	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms		Acres	
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	133	127	3 421	4 219	226 954	282 980	1	—	12	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	4	9	182	230	2 271	2 137	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	1	1	15	2	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	6	1	197	20	8 075	500	1	—	2	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	—	1	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—

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					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974	54	2 493	(X)	—	—	20	1 144	15	180	11	110
.....1969	75	2 869	(X)	—	—	39	1 890	25	416	19	237
Improved pasture.....1974	19	403	(X)	—	—	6	273	6	64	3	8
.....1969	9	219	(X)	—	—	4	68	4	27	1	1
Corn for all purposes.....1974	135	3 618	(X)	1	12	101	2 892	87	710	59	420
.....1969	132	4 451	(X)	—	—	95	2 863	75	578	51	484
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974	6	197	(X)	1	2	6	197	6	59	3	20
.....1969	1	20	(X)	—	—	1	20	1	5	1	1
Wheat (bushels).....1974	34	981	28 993	—	—	22	852	13	143	13	62
.....1969	65	1 127	35 498	1	15	54	1 025	(NA)	88	(NA)	142
Oats (bushels).....1974	24	201	10 355	—	—	19	136	12	13	10	10
.....1969	18	213	11 661	—	—	17	178	(NA)	15	(NA)	19
Barley (bushels).....1974	1	5	142	—	—	1	5	—	—	—	(Z)
.....1969	7	87	3 105	—	—	7	87	(NA)	7	(NA)	21
Rye (bushels).....1974	41	2 528	38 101	—	—	27	784	10	33	23	61
.....1969	28	1 598	32 614	—	—	24	1 484	(NA)	104	(NA)	169
Other small grains for grain.....1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974	207	19 682	351 162	—	—	122	14 800	107	2 071	17	394
.....1969	143	10 160	229 714	—	—	87	6 598	(NA)	593	(NA)	671
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974	54	1 063	2 596	—	—	19	383	16	78	10	43
.....1969	33	789	1 900	—	—	17	502	8	67	13	106
Field seed crops.....1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969	2	136	(X)	—	—	1	100	1	10	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974	68	8 054	7 905	—	—	62	7 974	51	1 539	36	1 064
.....1969	116	8 574	5 043	—	—	112	8 526	(NA)	1 481	(NA)	1 448
Tobacco (pounds).....1974	188	2 187	4 010 706	4	64	188	2 187	188	1 876	7	16
.....1969	189	1 939	2 938 475	6	59	189	1 936	(NA)	1 815	(NA)	1
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974	9	3	172	—	—	3	1	3	1	—	—
.....1969	8	12	1 151	—	—	5	11	(NA)	19	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974	10	34	(X)	—	—	9	33	9	13	—	—
.....1969	28	393	(X)	—	—	19	251	19	91	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974	5	30	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969	4	26	(X)	1	10	4	26	4	6	—	—

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					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	2	(Z)	(X)	—	—	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	3	6	(X)	—	—	3	6	4	4	—	—
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	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000		farms	\$1,000	farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	256	1 882	232	909	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	3	—	1	—
Commercial fertilizer	251	251	228	228	Diseases in crops and orchards	460	3	12	(Z)
acres on which used	31 717	9 000	25 665	8 653	acres on which used	3	67	65	65
Lime	42	1 129	57	632	Weeds or grass in crops	16 776	181	11 653	66
acres on which used	2 886	2 749	3 858	4 378	acres on which used	2	2	6	6
tons	2 749	37	4 378	37	Weeds or brush in pasture	30	(Z)	71	1
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	37	37	37	37	acres on which used	4	4	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	3	—	1	—	Weeds on all other land	31	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)
acres on which used	27	(Z)	25	(Z)	acres on which used	32	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on other crops	109	109	171	171	of crops or thinning of fruit	5 956	20	4 441	52
acres on which used	18 957	454	15 891	151	acres on which used	6	6	23	23
Nematodes in crops	35	4 606	24	391	Insect control on livestock and poultry	1	1	1	1
acres on which used	38	38	6	6	Other chemicals (see text)	35	35	(NA)	(NA)
					\$1,000	18	18	(NA)	(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	percent	farms	percent		farms	percent	farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year	5	1.8	8	3.3	Land irrigated by—Continued	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Proportion of farms	—	—	—	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	26	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	78	15.6	85	10.6	Other sprinkler systems	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm	5	5	8	8	acres	52	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	78	78	85	85	Land in irrigated farms	2 157	1 556	2 727	1 541
Harvested cropland irrigated	5	5	7	7	Cropland	1 556	1 541	1 541	1 541
acres	78	78	83	83	Harvested cropland	1 539	1 539	1 042	1 042
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	1	—	(X)	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	30	30	(X)	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	2	2	Farms with artificial drainage	48	17.5	65	27.0
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	57	0.7	40	0.5	Proportion of farms	36 542	11 016	46 927	11 675
Average per acre irrigated	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.5	Land in farms with drainage	229.5	229.5	179.6	179.6
Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Land drained	11 016	11 016	11 675	11 675
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Average per farm	229.5	229.5	179.6	179.6
acres	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	38	80	(NA)	(NA)
					farms	132	80	(NA)	(NA)
					number	—	—	(NA)	(NA)
					acres	—	—	(NA)	(NA)

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000					
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	93	62	65	—	—	—
	—	2 638	1 536	1 102	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000	—	16	15	18	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	17	6	16	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	35	27	18	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	12	7	7	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	13	7	6	—	—	—

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—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Farms	141	49	45	90
150 days or more	49	57	169	126	610	586	Cash wages paid - \$1,000	866	610	131	126
25 to 149 days	45	185	212	1 638	131	—	Number of workers	2 077	169	212	1 696
Less than 25 days	90	—	1 696	—	126	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	9	10	(NA)	(NA)	16	18	1 worker	24	19	15	13
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	1	(NA)	3	(NA)	3	(NA)	2 workers	13	9	10	6
	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers	14	9	4	9
	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers	36	11	8	16
	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over	54	1	8	46