

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.....	42	49	42	49	Crops.....	1 148	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	92		92		\$1,000.....	15 031	6 986
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	163	82	163	82	farms.....	735	574
					\$1,000.....	3 459	1 179
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	323	152	323	152	farms.....	987	992
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	358	362	358	362	\$1,000.....	10 962	5 618
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	239	477	239	477	farms.....	-	1
					\$1,000.....	-	(Z)
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	411	771	2	3	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....	122	73
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	63	125	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	278	87
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	79	140	(X)	(X)	Other field crops.....	24	29
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	89	128	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	261	8
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	180	378	(X)	(X)	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....	4	27
					\$1,000.....	8	43
Market value of agricultural products sold					farms.....	7	5
\$1,000.....	26 018	13 382	25 545	12 590	\$1,000.....	63	51
Average per farm.....	15 982	7 069	20 955	11 191	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	494	510
					\$1,000.....	10 428	5 556
Crops, including hay.....	1 403	1 645	1 148	(NA)	farms.....	88	86
\$1,000.....	15 335	7 640	15 031	6 986	Poultry and poultry products.....	5 716	2 954
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	2				\$1,000.....	69	94
\$1,000.....	3				farms.....	3 320	1 789
					\$1,000.....	414	(NA)
Forest products.....	73	82	59	52	\$1,000.....	1 180	499
\$1,000.....	90	58	85	48	Hogs and pigs.....	79	(NA)
					\$1,000.....	207	314
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	687	708	494	510	farms.....	1	
\$1,000.....	10 591	5 684	10 428	5 556	\$1,000.....	(Z)	
					Other livestock and livestock products.....	7	
Poultry and poultry products.....	93	(NA)	88	86	\$1,000.....	5	
\$1,000.....	5 716	(NA)	5 716	2 954			

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	479	(NA)	209	(NA)	
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	427	(NA)	272	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²
\$1,000.....	683	(NA)	541	(NA)	farms.....
farms.....	83	134	66	86	\$1,000.....
\$1,000.....	154	87	137	51	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....
Customwork and other agricultural services.....					farms.....
farms.....	-	5	-	3	\$1,000.....
\$1,000.....	-	1	-	1	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....
Recreational services.....					farms.....
farms.....	140	552	101	355	\$1,000.....
\$1,000.....	33	201	25	136	Interest, dividends, or royalties.....
Government farm programs.....					farms.....
farms.....	283	(NA)	158	(NA)	\$1,000.....
\$1,000.....	472	(NA)	359	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....					farms.....
farms.....	16	(NA)	15	(NA)	\$1,000.....
\$1,000.....	25	(NA)	21	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property.....
Other farm-related sources.....					farms.....
farms.....	144	(NA)	92	(NA)	\$1,000.....
\$1,000.....	218	(NA)	178	(NA)	
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹					
farms.....					
\$1,000.....					

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

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
Total farm production expenses.....	1 628	1 893	1 219	1 125	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	828	1 170	640	839
\$1,000.....	16 320	9 307	15 819	8 473	farms.....	261	164	248	145
Farms with—					\$1,000.....	1 487	1 774	1 143	1 096
\$1 to \$999.....	306	513	60	271	farms.....	2 216	999	2 119	883
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	288	424	192		Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....				
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	202	311	169	254	farms.....	820	(NA)	699	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	264	314	242	273	\$1,000.....	393	228	380	204
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	275	160	263	156	farms.....	(NA)	440	137	293
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	131		131	90	\$1,000.....	(NA)	43	47	36
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	73		73	38	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....				
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	33	171	33		farms.....	1 586	1 875	1 199	1 125
\$60,000 and over.....	56		56	43	\$1,000.....	1 127	893	1 070	747
Livestock and poultry purchased.....	428	581	327	376	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	920	1 104
\$1,000.....	1 419	1 024	1 368	965	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	485	303
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	676	693	453	461	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	711	312
\$1,000.....	4 967	2 274	4 890	2 233	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	282	76
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	532	437	378	336	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	276	206
\$1,000.....	4 581	2 026	4 545	2 009	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	93	58
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	114	140	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....				
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	248	161	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 199	1 125
farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	83	86	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	210	310
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	66	55	Hired farm labor.....	666	1 261	574	869
Whole grains.....	(NA)	(NA)	66	55	\$1,000.....	1 109	987	1 077	878
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	55	48	farms.....	46	1 075	34	44
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	(NA)	(NA)	55	48	\$1,000.....	70	290	68	26
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	31	8	farms.....	704		549	682
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	(NA)	(NA)	263	(NA)	\$1,000.....	319		294	211
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	71	(NA)	farms.....	1 526	1 665	1 218	1 125
					\$1,000.....	4 441	2 447	4 234	2 181
					All other production expenses.....				
					\$1,000.....				

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.....	1 375	1 832	995	1 092				
	\$1,000.....	17 500	9 266	14 774	6 953				
Average per farm.....	dollars.....	12 727	5 057	14 849	6 367				
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....		18	224	7	658				
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....		371	1 039	236					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....		421	337	257	244				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		310	137	250	108				
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....		111		105	58				
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....		101	95	99	14				
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....		21		21					
\$70,000 and over.....		22		20	10				
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles.....	farms.....	1 057	1 319	787	787				
	number.....	1 451	1 731	1 125	1 065				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	549	903	455	572				
Motor trucks, including pickups.....	farms.....	1 098	1 328	827	840				
	number.....	1 469	1 585	1 179	1 063				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	445	690	381	469				
Wheel tractors.....	farms.....	1 200	1 559	875	950				
	number.....	2 026	2 254	1 637	1 520				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	386	730	342	509				
Crawler tractors.....	farms.....	22		18	26				
	number.....	24		19	33				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4		3	11				
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....	farms.....	149	109	140	96				
	number.....	165	111	144	98				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	19	64	19	56				
Corn heads for combines.....	farms.....	107	134	106	64				
	number.....	108	147	106	67				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14	68	14	42				
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....	farms.....	61		52	55				
	number.....	66		53	57				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6		6	15				
Mower conditioners.....	farms.....	155	(NA)	119	(NA)				
	number.....	167	(NA)	128	(NA)				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	36	(NA)	25	(NA)				
Pickup balers.....	farms.....	213	205	181	171				
	number.....	214	207	182	173				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	44	84	36	62				
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....	farms.....	82	(NA)	70	59				
	number.....	82	(NA)	70	62				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	(NA)	4	23				
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....	farms.....	60	(NA)	56	60				
	number.....	72	(NA)	68	63				
	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	18	(NA)	18	26				

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.....	934	(X)	665	(X)	687	(X)	494	(X)	10 428
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....	1974.....	868	(X)	613	(X)	628	(X)	440	(X)	1 387
	1969.....	969	(X)	634	(X)	633	(X)	459	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....	1974.....	807	20 000	565	16 456	593	6 948	414	5 792	1 180
	1969.....	849	12 860	554	10 868	541	4 997	389	4 183	499
Farms with —										
1 to 4.....	1974.....	159	400	109	258	219	557	138	336	55
5 to 9.....	1974.....	155	1 041	103	682	178	1 197	123	826	152
10 to 19.....	1974.....	194	2 696	119	1 642	117	1 506	77	1 006	166
20 to 49.....	1974.....	185	5 228	127	3 633	63	1 735	60	1 671	262
50 to 99.....	1974.....	85	5 517	78	5 123	13	882	13	882	167
100 to 199.....	1974.....	24	3 074	24	3 074	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	1974.....	4	(D)	4	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
500 and over.....	1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	1974.....	726	10 911	514	8 809	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	669	6 635	464	5 871	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	1974.....	596	7 237	403	5 237	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	(NA)	3 426	262	2 810	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	1974.....	269	3 674	226	3 572	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	395	3 209	292	3 061	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	69	(X)	3 320
	1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	94	(X)	1 789
Inventory, 1974										
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		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	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows.....	596	7 237	403	5 237	Cattle sold.....	296	3 430	990		
Farms with —					Farms with —					
1 to 4.....	169	393	115	245	1 to 4.....	139	323	74		
5 to 9.....	153	1 046	97	653	5 to 9.....	82	534	137		
10 to 19.....	165	2 109	111	1 435	10 to 19.....	44	548	147		
20 to 49.....	94	2 641	67	1 960	20 to 49.....	25	785	199		
50 to 99.....	13	(D)	11	(D)	50 to 99.....	4	(D)	(D)		
100 to 199.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199.....	1	(D)	(D)		
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	—	—	—		
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)		
Milk cows.....	269	3 674	226	3 572	Calves sold.....	265	2 362	190		
Farms with —					Farms with —					
1 or 2.....	164	219	134	184	1 or 2.....	71	94	8		
3 or 4.....	34	115	26	86	3 or 4.....	46	159	15		
5 to 9.....	12	79	8	51	5 to 9.....	70	467	47		
10 to 19.....	6	73	5	63	10 to 19.....	40	498	36		
20 to 49.....	27	950	27	950	20 to 49.....	35	919	66		
50 to 99.....	20	1 329	20	1 329	50 to 99.....	3	225	18		
100 to 199.....	5	(D)	5	(D)	100 to 199.....	—	—	—		
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	—	—	—		
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.....1974.....	93	363 900	45	353 599	Turkeys.....1974.....	2	(D)	3	19 858
.....1969.....	131	266 439	37	199 226	.....1969.....	3	32	3	36 006
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	63	89 418	17	104 311	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	2	(D)	3	19 858
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	33	274 482	31	249 288	.....1974.....	1	20	2	(D)
.....1969.....	5	68 118	7	175 992	Heavy breed.....1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	6	23 220	10	140 785	Light breed.....1974.....	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	6	29 290	32	25 136	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	3	15	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	53	29 290	32	25 136	.....1969.....	3	(X)	—	00
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	6	107 950	4	52 670	.....1969.....	2	(X)	—	00

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	876	989	19 085	17 884	(X)	00
Sorghums for all purposes.....	33	14	440	219	00	00
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	487	499	7 334	6 144	132 810	119 706
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	5	2	5	2	6 800	2 400
Wheat (bushels).....	525	486	5 812	2 918	225 754	120 182
Other small grains for grain.....	303	351	2 496	2 807	00	00
Cotton (bales).....	—	1	—	4	—	4
Tobacco (pounds).....	1 045	1 307	5 909	5 293	11 153 607	9 272 776
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	125	(NA)	337	(NA)	39 489	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	34	(NA)	9	(NA)	540	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	579	534	6 301	4 436	10 988	7 053
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	15	67	19	189	(X)	00
Land in orchards.....	11	39	255	257	(X)	00
Berries for sale.....	10	18	33	10	(X)	00
Other crops.....	28	(NA)	144	429	(X)	00

	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).....	679	665	13 993	13 585	970 681	940 961	1	2	10	12
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	119	107	4 047	2 626	57 447	37 176	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	9	3	57	6	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	22	10	364	134	16 628	7 469	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	8	(NA)	53	59	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	14	21	183	148	506	259	—	—	—	—

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.....	445	10 671	(X)	3	13	159	3 765	152	727	13	66
.....1969.....	537	10 447	(X)	2	15	244	4 152	231	948	18	111
Improved pasture.....1974.....	252	4 910	(X)	—	—	89	1 949	85	288	10	102
.....1969.....	217	3 976	(X)	1	10	120	2 249	118	524	10	29
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	716	18 097	(X)	1	10	507	15 111	487	2 873	194	2 288
.....1969.....	692	16 217	(X)	2	12	494	13 266	481	3 545	110	1 066
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	30	417	(X)	—	—	15	260	10	43	8	25
.....1969.....	12	193	(X)	—	—	8	137	8	24	1	2
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	456	5 429	213 799	—	—	343	4 538	320	958	53	185
.....1969.....	375	2 520	106 140	2	11	279	2 093	(NA)	453	(NA)	61
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	156	1 007	49 814	—	—	124	780	123	155	5	7
.....1969.....	208	1 318	68 672	2	5	145	853	(NA)	166	(NA)	9
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	67	901	50 129	—	—	48	735	46	136	10	42
.....1969.....	67	686	38 885	—	—	56	631	(NA)	127	(NA)	29
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	16	107	2 356	—	—	11	62	11	9	2	4
.....1969.....	28	161	3 830	—	—	16	138	(NA)	23	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	46	292	(X)	—	—	30	216	30	47	2	5
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	396	6 714	123 104	—	—	196	3 778	188	435	9	56
.....1969.....	350	4 913	99 195	—	—	179	3 531	(NA)	425	(NA)	43
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	420	5 056	9 313	—	—	119	1 848	116	371	9	25
.....1969.....	329	3 179	5 335	2	57	116	1 304	110	269	11	33
Field seed crops.....1974.....	16	75	(X)	—	—	1	10	1	3	—	—
.....1969.....	33	187	(X)	—	—	6	44	6	10	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	1	4	4	—	—	1	4	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	987	5 816	11 043 140	80	574	987	5 802	984	4 636	7	30
.....1969.....	992	4 764	8 532 356	73	426	992	4 726	(NA)	3 610	(NA)	27
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	91	326	38 524	1	(Z)	44	290	44	341	—	—
.....1969.....	169	34	2 761	2	(Z)	61	22	(NA)	17	(NA)	(Z)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	8	10	(X)	—	—	4	2	4	1	—	—
.....1969.....	31	158	(X)	3	1	22	137	22	44	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	4	238	(X)	—	—	2	235	2	27	—	—
.....1969.....	13	236	(X)	—	—	6	43	6	15	—	—

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	8	30	(X)	—	—	3	21	3	6	—	—
1974	11	8	(X)	3	6	3	1	3	1	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	—	—
1974	9	49	(X)	—	—	3	8	9	4	—	—
1969	—	—	(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	1 153		1 101		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
\$1,000	2 499		1 087		Diseases in crops and orchards	11		8	
Commercial fertilizer	1 143		1 082		acres on which used	190		261	
acres on which used	39 530		33 734		\$1,000	14		9	
tons	13 903		11 708		Weeds or grass in crops	227		245	
\$1,000	2 119		883		acres on which used	11 682		10 150	
Lime	137		293		\$1,000	121		53	
acres on which used	3 991		4 099		Weeds or brush in pasture	6		17	
tons	5 307		5 430		acres on which used	164		172	
\$1,000	47		36		\$1,000	(Z)		1	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land	12		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	26		11		acres on which used	57		(NA)	
acres on which used	273		61		\$1,000	(Z)		(NA)	
\$1,000	3		(Z)		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops	452		630		of crops or thinning of fruit	54		82	
acres on which used	7 098		5 465		acres on which used	44		495	
\$1,000	128		75		\$1,000	8		8	
Nematodes in crops	162		147		Insect control on livestock and poultry	50		133	
acres on which used	1 066		717		\$1,000	9		5	
\$1,000	23		12		Other chemicals (see text)	160		(NA)	
					\$1,000	27		(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	80		80		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	6.6		7.1		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	25		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	590		547		acres	194		(NA)	
Average per farm	7.4		6.8		Other sprinkler systems	50		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	590		537		acres	364		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	80		78		Land in irrigated farms	7 868		10 107	
acres	575		510		Cropland	5 068		5 566	
Cropland pasture irrigated	3		2		Harvested cropland	3 966		3 781	
acres	13		15		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated	1		(NA)		between 1970 and 1973	12		(X)	
acres	2		12		acres irrigated in most recent year	48		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—		10		Farms with artificial drainage	50		96	
acres	—		1		Proportion of farms	4.1		8.5	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	444		184		Land in farms with drainage	9 191		15 547	
Average per acre irrigated	0.8		0.3		Land drained	1 084		2 213	
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	21.7		23.0	
Furrows or ditches	5		(NA)		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
acres	32		(NA)		tanks	183		(NA)	
					number	322		(NA)	
					acres	318		(NA)	

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	287	225	133
\$1,000	5 269	4 010	1 260
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	75	70	73
\$5,000 to \$9,999	69	39	25
\$10,000 to \$29,999	87	72	24
\$30,000 to \$49,999	31	26	7
\$50,000 and over	25	18	4

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	45	48	97	78	374	878	Farms	574	45	148	462
25 to 149 days	148	855	725	6 024	267		Cash wages paid — \$1,000	1 077	374	267	436
Less than 25 days	462		5 072	(NA)	436		Number of workers	5 894	97	725	5 072
Total contract labor	34	44	(NA)	(NA)	68	26	Farms with—				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	81	(NA)	49	(NA)	1 worker	46	19	17	39
							2 workers	25	8	23	22
							3 or 4 workers	95	17	42	72
							5 to 9 workers	186	1	50	132
							10 workers and over	222	—	16	197