



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	11	21	11	21			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	151		151				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	220	154	220	154			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	178	280	178	280			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	84	174	84	174			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27	58	27	58			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	36	72	6	3			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	10	16	00	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	5	21	00	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	8	6	00	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	13	29	00	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold	\$1,000 19 610	11 175	19 577	11 089			
Average per farm	dollars 27 737	14 722	28 917	16 070			
Crops, including hay	farms 652	709	646	(NA)			
\$1,000	11 475	5 112	11 469	5 063			
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms -	-	-	2			
\$1,000	-	-	-	(Z)			
Forest products	farms -	-	-	-			
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 596	635	575	606			
\$1,000	8 136	6 063	8 108	6 025			
Poultry and poultry products	farms 129	(NA)	123	168			
\$1,000	48	(NA)	47	52			
Specified products sold:							
Crops	farms 646	(NA)					
\$1,000	11 469	5 063					
Grains	farms 635	666					
\$1,000	9 738	4 512					
Tobacco	farms -	-					
\$1,000	-	-					
Cotton and cottonseed	farms -	-					
\$1,000	-	-					
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms 261	260					
\$1,000	1 683	548					
Other field crops	farms 1	1					
\$1,000	(D)	4					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms 2	-					
\$1,000	(D)	-					
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms -	1					
\$1,000	-	(Z)					
Livestock, poultry, and their products	farms 575	606					
\$1,000	8 108	6 025					
Poultry and poultry products	farms 123	168					
\$1,000	47	52					
Dairy products	farms 187	320					
\$1,000	2 094	1 398					
Cattle and calves	farms 568	(NA)					
\$1,000	5 435	4 332					
Hogs and pigs	farms 91	(NA)					
\$1,000	467	244					
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms 50	-					
\$1,000	60	-					
Other livestock and livestock products	farms 9	-					
\$1,000	5	-					

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 <sup>1</sup>	46	(NA)	31	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup>	297
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup>	farms 327	(NA)	318	(NA)	\$1,000	1 673
\$1,000	871	(NA)	857	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	44
Customwork and other agricultural services	farms 68	87	67	83	\$1,000	422
\$1,000	299	71	299	70	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	143
Recreational services	farms 2	9	2	9	\$1,000	807
\$1,000	1	14	1	14	Interest, dividends, or royalties	149
Government farm programs	farms 248	539	246	505	\$1,000	251
\$1,000	447	1 329	447	1 309	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	51
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	farms 54	(NA)	48	(NA)	\$1,000	106
\$1,000	96	(NA)	82	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	14
Other farm-related sources	farms 26	(NA)	26	(NA)	\$1,000	88
\$1,000	29	(NA)	29	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup>	farms 126	(NA)	124	(NA)		
\$1,000	258	(NA)	247	(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	farms 707	759	677	690	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms 322	321	318	306
\$1,000	12 825	8 141	12 775	8 065	\$1,000	405	195	404	193
Farms with—					farms	198	348	195	341
\$1 to \$999	18	48	7	36	\$1,000	294	203	294	202
\$1,000 to \$1,999	23	51	11		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms 306	(NA)	305	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	24	31	22	31	\$1,000	246	71	246	71
\$3,000 to \$4,999	66	93	63	88	farms	(NA)	-	1	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	137	219	135	218	\$1,000	(NA)	-	(Z)	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999	233		233	236	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms 706	752	677	686
\$20,000 to \$39,999	156		156	70	\$1,000	1 437	896	1 421	877
\$40,000 to \$59,999	33		33		farms	(NA)	(NA)	668	678
\$60,000 and over	17		17	11	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	989	634
Livestock and poultry purchased	farms 344	469	332	435	farms	(NA)	(NA)	427	335
\$1,000	1 791	1 484	1 785	1 476	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	294	141
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	farms 513	483	497	461	farms	(NA)	(NA)	124	141
\$1,000	1 554	351	1 544	340	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	33	21
Commercially mixed formula feeds	farms 292	345	287	328	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms (NA)	(NA)	676	686
\$1,000	459	155	459	146	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	105	82
Feed ingredients	farms (NA)	(NA)	141	124	Hired farm labor	farms 251	404	247	385
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	113	53	\$1,000	375	289	374	286
Whole grains	farms (NA)	(NA)	312	154	farms	27	433	27	41
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	780	101	\$1,000	25	207	25	20
Hay, green chop, and silage	farms (NA)	(NA)	100	61	Machine hire and customwork	farms 327		321	391
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	193	40	\$1,000	273		272	181
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	farms (NA)	(NA)	393	(NA)	farms	697	744	677	690
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	107	(NA)	\$1,000	6 423	4 445	6 303	4 418

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
<b>All Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	697	744	667	683					
..... \$1,000..... dollars.....	22 887	12 634	22 563	12 349					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	32 836	16 981	33 828	18 080					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999..... farms.....	1	13	-	86					
\$1,000 to \$4,999..... farms.....	38	107	30	133					
\$5,000 to \$9,999..... farms.....	53	153	45	199					
\$10,000 to \$19,999..... farms.....	127	206	118	144					
\$20,000 to \$29,999..... farms.....	119	265	117	86					
\$30,000 to \$49,999..... farms.....	226		224	35					
\$50,000 to \$69,999..... farms.....	85		85						
\$70,000 and over..... farms.....	48		48						
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles..... farms.....	666	702	640	651					
..... number.....	873	885	843	828					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	419	536	407	493					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	655	679	631	635					
..... number.....	1 310	1 188	1 279	1 136					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	341	409	333	397					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	655	697	636	647					
..... number.....	2 098	1 916	2 062	1 816					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	322	591	311	564					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	39		38	26					
..... number.....	49		48	32					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3		3	6					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip.—Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	449	444	447	439					
..... number.....	480	466	478	461					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	52	193	52	188					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	4	58	4	6					
..... number.....	4	60	4	6					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	9	1	2					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	31		31	53					
..... number.....	31		31	54					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	7					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	174	(NA)	172	(NA)					
..... number.....	195	(NA)	193	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	28	(NA)	28	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	415	413	412	410					
..... number.....	426	420	423	417					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	114	162	114	162					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	548	(NA)	545	541					
..... number.....	597	(NA)	594	565					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	166	(NA)	166	259					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	87	(NA)	87	89					
..... number.....	90	(NA)	90	89					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	19	(NA)	19	32					

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.....	580	(X)	561	(X)	596	(X)	575	(X) 8 108
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	574	(X)	555	(X)	594	(X)	573	(X) 5 962
..... 1969.....	606	(X)	578	(X)	632	(X)	603	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	565	55 282	547	54 968	587	27 492	568	27 347 5 435
..... 1969.....	599	46 706	575	46 361	626	28 162	602	27 945 4 332
Farms with—								
1 to 4..... 1974.....	2	4	-	-	15	45	9	26 5
5 to 9..... 1974.....	8	174	5	32	33	227	25	179 33
10 to 19..... 1974.....	12	52	7	108	89	1 289	86	1 251 223
20 to 49..... 1974.....	125	4 511	117	4 287	243	7 625	241	7 585 1 457
50 to 99..... 1974.....	196	14 207	196	14 207	156	10 354	156	10 354 2 036
100 to 199..... 1974.....	172	23 170	172	23 170	37	4 385	37	4 385 890
200 to 499..... 1974.....	49	(D)	49	(D)	14	3 567	14	3 567 790
500 and over..... 1974.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	- -
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	539	29 398	526	29 227	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	557	25 881	541	25 694	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	496	24 679	483	24 535	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	20 518	503	20 341	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	193	4 719	189	4 692	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	307	5 363	304	5 353	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	187	(X) 2 094
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	320	(X) 1 398
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>								
	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	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	496	24 679	483	24 535	450	16 718	3 940	
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	7	17	3	8	46	114	29	
5 to 9.....	7	47	5	36	64	423	94	
10 to 19.....	52	714	46	613	83	1 135	248	
20 to 49.....	221	7 202	220	7 179	138	4 297	1 053	
50 to 99.....	160	10 707	160	10 707	88	5 540	1 312	
100 to 199.....	46	5 342	46	5 342	20	2 515	543	
200 to 499.....	3	650	3	650	11	2 694	661	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Milk cows.....	193	4 719	189	4 692	353	10 629	1 495	
Farms with—								
1 or 2.....	8	10	8	10	6	9	1	
3 or 4.....	10	34	7	23	8	31	5	
5 to 9.....	23	148	23	148	41	313	35	
10 to 19.....	47	636	46	620	79	1 115	164	
20 to 49.....	83	2 514	83	2 514	170	5 195	722	
50 to 99.....	21	(D)	21	(D)	42	2 903	422	
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	5	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Cattle sold</b>					<b>Calves sold</b>			
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....					1 or 2.....			
5 to 9.....					3 or 4.....			
10 to 19.....					5 to 9.....			
20 to 49.....					10 to 19.....			
50 to 99.....					20 to 49.....			
100 to 199.....					50 to 99.....			
200 to 499.....					100 to 199.....			
500 and over.....					200 to 499.....			
					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	150	14 722	34	4 157	Turkeys	5	59	—	—
1974	150	14 722	34	4 157	1969	4	16	2	35
1969	220	22 234	48	6 601	Turkeys for slaughter	5	58	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	147	13 796	34	4 157	1974	5	58	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	14	926	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	5	280	—	—	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
1974	5	280	—	—	Light breed	1	1	—	—
1969	9	455	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	3	6	1	2
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	55	975	4	255	1974	9	00	5	00
1974	55	975	4	255	1969	37	00	14	00
1969	4	460	—	—	Other poultry	—	—	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	4	460	—	—	1974	—	—	—	—
1974	4	460	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	128	118	7 042	5 391	00	00
Sorghums for all purposes	5	12	124	250	00	00
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	4	—	58	—	950
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	628	693	126 167	74 779	1 494 711	1 566 031
Other small grains for grain	597	679	99 485	135 824	00	00
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	15	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	573	522	97 320	66 434	123 378	104 941
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	—	5	—	00	00
Land in orchards	2	1	2	1	00	00
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	00	00
Other crops	25	(NA)	1 168	236	00	00

  

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	4	13	84	245	2 520	8 703	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	117	92	6 589	4 378	29 607	23 815	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	13	24	369	768	00	00	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	5	(NA)	124	250	00	00	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	509	442	49 929	30 102	74 118	64 010	—	—	—	—

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	294	63 069	00	—	—	1	40	1	2	—	—
1974	294	63 069	00	—	—	8	745	8	46	—	—
1969	271	51 083	00	—	—	3	491	3	22	—	—
Improved pasture	119	33 991	00	—	—	8	1 268	8	113	—	—
1974	119	33 991	00	—	—	24	1 408	23	114	1	4
1969	142	37 559	00	—	—	26	1 073	26	90	1	1
Corn for all purposes	128	7 042	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	128	7 042	00	—	—	4	82	3	4	1	(Z)
1969	118	5 391	00	—	—	139	27 648	125	866	17	118
Sorghums for all purposes	5	124	00	—	—	260	30 716	(NA)	951	(NA)	59
1974	5	124	00	—	—	50	4 288	46	132	4	6
1969	12	250	00	—	—	157	11 100	(NA)	348	(NA)	14
Wheat (bushels)	626	126 118	1 493 994	—	—	36	3 052	35	126	2	10
1974	626	126 118	1 493 994	—	—	78	3 864	(NA)	110	(NA)	4
1969	656	73 073	1 548 858	—	—	6	315	4	6	2	5
Oats (bushels)	473	34 050	712 272	—	—	12	693	(NA)	31	(NA)	2
1974	473	34 050	712 272	—	—	15	2 397	11	96	4	46
1969	571	40 045	2 019 472	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barley (bushels)	163	9 132	156 154	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	163	9 132	156 154	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	210	9 388	291 117	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rye (bushels)	81	3 767	60 163	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	81	3 767	60 163	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	61	2 981	58 724	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	470	52 494	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	470	52 494	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	561	96 826	123 032	—	—	10	1 400	10	112	—	—
1974	561	96 826	123 032	—	—	25	1 644	24	196	1	(Z)
1969	506	66 031	104 280	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Field seed crops	23	574	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	23	574	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	14	236	00	—	—	1	2	1	(Z)	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	1	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	1	1	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	40	8	443	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	2	5	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	2	5	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	2	2	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	2	2	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	1	00	—	—	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—

**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 .....	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974 .....	—	—	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969 .....	2	(Z)	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	2	594	00	—	—	1	240	—	—	1	13
1974 .....	2	594	00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

**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 .....	365	—	472	—	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
Lime .....	—	—	—	—	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	2	10	—	—
\$1,000 .....	540	—	273	—	acres on which used .....	516	2 292	—	—
farms .....	195	—	286	—	\$1,000 .....	1	1	—	—
acres on which used .....	41 589	—	56 188	—	Weeds or grass in crops .....	206	279	—	—
\$1,000 .....	1 685	—	2 295	—	acres on which used .....	65 190	67 073	—	—
farms .....	294	—	202	—	\$1,000 .....	176	44	—	—
acres on which used .....	1	—	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	4	20	—	—
farms .....	1	—	—	—	acres on which used .....	250	2 576	—	—
acres on which used .....	3	—	—	—	\$1,000 .....	1	4	—	—
\$1,000 .....	(Z)	—	—	—	Weeds on all other land .....	13	(NA)	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	acres on which used .....	372	(NA)	—	—
Insects on hay crops .....	34	—	12	—	\$1,000 .....	1	(NA)	—	—
acres on which used .....	3 781	—	1 232	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
\$1,000 .....	11	—	1	—	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	4	14	—	—
farms .....	44	—	16	—	acres on which used .....	349	2 491	—	—
acres on which used .....	11 316	—	2 402	—	\$1,000 .....	1	3	—	—
\$1,000 .....	35	—	3	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	70	174	—	—
farms .....	4	—	3	—	acres on which used .....	8	9	—	—
acres on which used .....	354	—	865	—	Other chemicals (see text) .....	44	(NA)	—	—
\$1,000 .....	2	—	5	—	\$1,000 .....	10	(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 .....	—	—	1	—	Land irrigated by— Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms .....	—	—	0.1	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	—	—	100	—	acres .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Average per farm .....	—	—	100.0	—	Other sprinkler systems .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	—	—	1	—	acres .....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	—	—	1	—	Land in irrigated farms .....	—	640	—	640
acres .....	—	—	100	—	Cropland .....	—	469	—	469
Harvested cropland .....	—	—	100	—	Harvested cropland .....	—	410	—	410
acres .....	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973 .....	—	(X)	—	(X)
acres .....	—	—	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	—	(X)	—	(X)
Other cropland irrigated .....	—	—	(NA)	—	Farms with artificial drainage .....	7	17	—	—
acres .....	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms .....	1.0	2.4	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage .....	9 352	20 400	—	—
acres .....	—	—	—	—	Land drained .....	26	939	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	—	—	180	—	Average per farm .....	3.7	55.2	—	—
Average per acre irrigated .....	—	—	1.8	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	—	tanks .....	227	(NA)	—	(NA)
Furrows or ditches .....	—	—	(NA)	—	number .....	535	(NA)	—	(NA)
acres .....	—	—	(NA)	—	acres .....	326	(NA)	—	(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) .....	—	—	322	—	242	—	207	—
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	12 495	—	8 420	—	4 075	—
Under \$5,000 .....	—	—	38	—	16	—	45	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	—	—	43	—	23	—	51	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	—	—	100	—	93	—	60	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	46	—	49	—	33	—
\$50,000 and over .....	—	—	95	—	61	—	18	—

**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 .....	247	45	81	165
150 days or more .....	45	44	69	55	189	—	Cash wages paid — \$1,000 .....	374	189	121	64
25 to 149 days .....	81	—	150	—	121	—	Number of workers .....	823	69	150	604
Less than 25 days .....	165	362	604	872	64	286	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor .....	27	41	(NA)	(NA)	25	20	1 worker .....	106	31	43	76
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	11	(NA)	35	(NA)	14	(NA)	2 workers .....	49	10	22	32
							3 or 4 workers .....	51	2	10	27
							5 to 9 workers .....	24	2	6	14
							10 workers and over .....	17	—	—	16