

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 | 49 | 67 | 49 | 67 | | | |
| \$40,000 to \$99,999 | 167 | | 167 | | | | |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 211 | 134 | 210 | 134 | | | |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 271 | 233 | 271 | 233 | | | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 270 | 244 | 270 | 244 | | | |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 154 | 300 | 154 | 298 | | | |
| Under \$2,500 (see text) | 155 | 579 | 12 | 20 | | | |
| \$2,000 to \$2,499 | 33 | 101 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| \$1,500 to \$1,999 | 33 | 109 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| \$1,000 to \$1,499 | 38 | 95 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| Under \$1,000 (see text) | 51 | 274 | (X) | (X) | | | |
| Market value of agricultural products sold | | | | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 36 990 | 17 828 | 36 782 | 17 176 | | | |
| Average per farm dollars | 28 966 | 11 450 | 32 464 | 17 244 | | | |
| Crops, including hay | 1 205 | 1 389 | 1 096 | (NA) | | | |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | 28 795 | 10 745 | 28 630 | 10 052 | | | |
| Forest products | 8 | | 8 | 7 | | | |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | 412 | | 412 | 213 | | | |
| Poultry and poultry products | 30 | 55 | 26 | 37 | | | |
| | 74 | 59 | 74 | 54 | | | |
| Poultry and poultry products | 637 | 906 | 578 | 692 | | | |
| | 7 709 | 7 024 | 7 667 | 6 856 | | | |
| Poultry and poultry products | 85 | (NA) | 64 | 103 | | | |
| | 455 | (NA) | 452 | 640 | | | |
| Specified products sold: | | | | | | | |
| Crops | 1 096 | (NA) | 28 630 | 10 052 | | | |
| Grains | 1 084 | 936 | 21 479 | 6 400 | | | |
| Tobacco | - | - | - | - | | | |
| Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - | - | | | |
| Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage | 198 | 187 | 315 | 153 | | | |
| Other field crops | 22 | 21 | 774 | 176 | | | |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons | 44 | 39 | 5 809 | 3 218 | | | |
| Fruits, nuts, and berries | 14 | 12 | 253 | 106 | | | |
| Livestock, poultry, and their products | 578 | 692 | 7 667 | 6 856 | | | |
| Poultry and poultry products | 64 | 103 | 452 | 640 | | | |
| Dairy products | 112 | 210 | 2 873 | 2 171 | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 375 | 2 167 | 1 999 | (NA) | | | |
| Hogs and pigs | 264 | (NA) | 2 058 | (NA) | | | |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool | 137 | 1 878 | 218 | | | | |
| Other livestock and livestock products | 34 | | 66 | | | | |

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 | 474 | (NA) | 346 | (NA) | Total family income from off-farm sources ² | 829 | |
| Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹ | 221 | (NA) | 205 | (NA) | \$1,000 | 8 345 | |
| Customwork and other agricultural services | 481 | (NA) | 452 | (NA) | Nonfarm business, excluding farm related | 146 | |
| Recreational services | 134 | 223 | 131 | 202 | \$1,000 | 936 | |
| Government farm programs | 250 | 213 | 244 | 205 | Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips | 568 | |
| Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments | 3 | 9 | 3 | 6 | \$1,000 | 6 314 | |
| Other farm-related sources | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | Interest, dividends, or royalties | 398 | |
| Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ | 27 | 932 | 22 | 658 | \$1,000 | 579 | |
| | 32 | 1 304 | 29 | 1 108 | Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc. | 150 | |
| | 46 | (NA) | 39 | (NA) | \$1,000 | 416 | |
| | 124 | (NA) | 103 | (NA) | Rent income of nonfarm property | 94 | |
| | 44 | (NA) | 41 | (NA) | \$1,000 | 99 | |
| | 75 | (NA) | 74 | (NA) | | | |
| | 73 | (NA) | 65 | (NA) | | | |
| | 115 | (NA) | 101 | (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 | 1 277 | 1 557 | 1 133 | 996 | Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased | 1 037 | 1 227 | 946 | 893 |
| Farms with— | 24 823 | 14 780 | 24 592 | 13 976 | \$1,000 | 1 216 | 578 | 1 204 | 539 |
| \$1 to \$999 | 67 | 267 | 12 | 70 | Commercial fertilizer purchased | 1 104 | 1 319 | 995 | 929 |
| \$1,000 to \$1,999 | 121 | 240 | 66 | | \$1,000 | 4 228 | 1 501 | 4 196 | 1 427 |
| \$2,000 to \$2,999 | 123 | 168 | 106 | 103 | Other agricultural chemicals purchased | 792 | (NA) | 753 | (NA) |
| \$3,000 to \$4,999 | 205 | 251 | 191 | 203 | \$1,000 | 1 150 | 528 | 1 143 | 502 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 285 | 292 | 283 | 282 | Lime | (NA) | 350 | 248 | 268 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 202 | | 201 | 193 | \$1,000 | (NA) | 88 | 130 | 79 |
| \$20,000 to \$39,999 | 144 | 339 | 144 | 106 | Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business | 1 209 | 1 531 | 1 077 | 991 |
| \$40,000 to \$59,999 | 66 | | 66 | 39 | \$1,000 | 1 711 | 1 020 | 1 674 | 918 |
| \$60,000 and over | 64 | | 64 | | Gasoline | (NA) | (NA) | 1 052 | 966 |
| Livestock and poultry purchased | 366 | 585 | 304 | 450 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 951 | 630 |
| \$1,000 | 1 260 | 1 468 | 1 236 | 1 435 | Diesel oil | (NA) | (NA) | 615 | 476 |
| Feed for livestock and poultry purchased | 610 | 828 | 534 | 624 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | 435 | 149 |
| Commercially mixed formula feeds | 2 046 | 1 333 | 2 018 | 1 276 | LP gas, butane, and propane | (NA) | (NA) | 202 | 163 |
| \$1,000 | 479 | 594 | 438 | 471 | \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 153 | 56 |
| Feed ingredients | 1 241 | 824 | 1 234 | 798 | Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil | (NA) | (NA) | 1 077 | 991 |
| Whole grains | (NA) | (NA) | 149 | 195 | \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 136 | 83 |
| Hay, green chop, and silage | (NA) | (NA) | 329 | 235 | Hired farm labor | 270 | 579 | 257 | 433 |
| Animal health costs for livestock and poultry | (NA) | (NA) | 160 | 155 | \$1,000 | 2 439 | 1 744 | 2 430 | 1 709 |
| \$1,000 | (NA) | (NA) | 362 | 200 | Contract labor | 20 | 862 | 18 | 20 |
| | (NA) | (NA) | 71 | 94 | \$1,000 | 19 | 328 | 16 | 27 |
| | (NA) | (NA) | 93 | 43 | Machine hire and customwork | 559 | 368 | 506 | 582 |
| | (NA) | (NA) | 358 | (NA) | \$1,000 | 368 | | 360 | 251 |
| | (NA) | (NA) | 95 | (NA) | All other production expenses | 1 223 | 1 390 | 1 124 | 993 |
| | (NA) | (NA) | | | \$1,000 | 10 386 | 6 279 | 10 218 | 5 893 |

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..... | 1 186 | 1 518 | 1 047 | 981 | | | | | |
| \$1,000..... | 30 113 | 16 202 | 28 991 | 14 067 | | | | | |
| Average per farm..... dollars..... | 25 390 | 10 673 | 27 690 | 14 339 | | | | | |
| Farms by value group: | | | | | | | | | |
| \$1 to \$999..... | 7 | 86 | 5 | 276 | | | | | |
| \$1,000 to \$4,999..... | 140 | 604 | 102 | | | | | | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999..... | 245 | 287 | 181 | 222 | | | | | |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999..... | 244 | 301 | 213 | 249 | | | | | |
| \$20,000 to \$29,999..... | 193 | | 191 | 118 | | | | | |
| \$30,000 to \$49,999..... | 220 | | 218 | 75 | | | | | |
| \$50,000 to \$69,999..... | 66 | 240 | 66 | | | | | | |
| \$70,000 and over..... | 71 | | 71 | 41 | | | | | |
| Selected Machinery and Equipment | | | | | | | | | |
| Automobiles..... farms..... | 997 | 1 329 | 897 | 892 | | | | | |
| number..... | 1 372 | 1 812 | 1 251 | 1 222 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 731 | 1 013 | 665 | 711 | | | | | |
| Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms..... | 1 002 | 1 137 | 893 | 831 | | | | | |
| number..... | 1 570 | 1 621 | 1 457 | 1 291 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 646 | 600 | 590 | 480 | | | | | |
| Wheel tractors..... farms..... | 1 111 | 1 356 | 984 | 899 | | | | | |
| number..... | 2 817 | 3 140 | 2 633 | 2 330 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 456 | 799 | 452 | 641 | | | | | |
| Crawler tractors..... farms..... | 53 | | 52 | 48 | | | | | |
| number..... | 84 | | 83 | 83 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 14 | | 14 | 15 | | | | | |
| Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con. | | | | | | | | | |
| Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms..... | 557 | 468 | 552 | 414 | | | | | |
| number..... | 590 | 488 | 585 | 434 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 170 | 249 | 170 | 226 | | | | | |
| Corn heads for combines..... farms..... | 371 | 733 | 370 | 264 | | | | | |
| number..... | 386 | 841 | 385 | 270 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 134 | 279 | 134 | 166 | | | | | |
| Other cornpickers and picker-shelters..... farms..... | 445 | | 419 | 452 | | | | | |
| number..... | 455 | | 429 | 459 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 36 | | 36 | 95 | | | | | |
| Mower conditioners..... farms..... | 247 | (NA) | 235 | (NA) | | | | | |
| number..... | 254 | (NA) | 242 | (NA) | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 71 | (NA) | 69 | (NA) | | | | | |
| Pickup balers..... farms..... | 485 | 539 | 462 | 469 | | | | | |
| number..... | 488 | 545 | 465 | 475 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 56 | 113 | 54 | 104 | | | | | |
| Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms..... | 102 | (NA) | 93 | 74 | | | | | |
| number..... | 104 | (NA) | 95 | 75 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 29 | (NA) | 29 | 38 | | | | | |
| Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms..... | 89 | (NA) | 89 | 97 | | | | | |
| number..... | 97 | (NA) | 97 | 100 | | | | | |
| mfd in last 5 years, number..... | 27 | (NA) | 27 | 40 | | | | | |

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..... | 703 | (X) | 628 | (X) | 637 | (X) | 578 | (X) | 7 667 |
| Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974..... | 650 | (X) | 590 | (X) | 597 | (X) | 557 | (X) | 4 275 |
|1969..... | 885 | (X) | 664 | (X) | 849 | (X) | 665 | (X) | (NA) |
| Cattle and calves.....1974..... | 506 | 14 049 | 457 | 13 646 | 393 | 6 607 | 375 | 6 543 | 1 999 |
|1969..... | 603 | 15 216 | 476 | 14 415 | 536 | 10 440 | 457 | 10 110 | 2 167 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 4.....1974..... | 134 | 335 | 109 | 268 | 129 | 310 | 115 | 272 | 78 |
| 5 to 9.....1974..... | 92 | 606 | 81 | 527 | 96 | 606 | 93 | 591 | 146 |
| 10 to 19.....1974..... | 92 | 1 232 | 83 | 1 122 | 83 | 1 128 | 82 | 1 117 | 299 |
| 20 to 49.....1974..... | 104 | 3 275 | 100 | 3 128 | 65 | 1 791 | 65 | 1 791 | 417 |
| 50 to 99.....1974..... | 53 | 3 683 | 53 | 3 683 | 9 | 582 | 9 | 582 | 156 |
| 100 to 199.....1974..... | 23 | 2 880 | 23 | 2 880 | 8 | 1 003 | 8 | 1 003 | 391 |
| 200 to 499.....1974..... | 8 | 2 038 | 8 | 2 038 | 2 | (D) | 2 | (D) | (D) |
| 500 and over.....1974..... | — | — | — | — | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | (D) |
| Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974..... | 358 | 5 457 | 322 | 5 289 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|1969..... | 436 | 5 989 | 361 | 5 747 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Beef cows.....1974..... | 181 | 1 634 | 156 | 1 499 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|1969..... | (NA) | 1 761 | 171 | 1 499 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Milk cows.....1974..... | 204 | 3 823 | 189 | 3 790 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|1969..... | 271 | 4 228 | 233 | 4 130 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Dairy products sold.....1974..... | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 112 | (X) | 2 873 |
|1969..... | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 210 | (X) | 2 171 |
| 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..... | 181 | 1 634 | 156 | 1 499 | Cattle sold..... | 327 | 5 106 | | 1 909 |
| Farms with— | | | | | Farms with— | | | | |
| 1 to 4..... | 76 | 164 | 60 | 131 | 1 to 4..... | 132 | 300 | | 103 |
| 5 to 9..... | 49 | 327 | 45 | 300 | 5 to 9..... | 71 | 454 | | 149 |
| 10 to 19..... | 39 | 503 | 34 | 428 | 10 to 19..... | 75 | 969 | | 320 |
| 20 to 49..... | 13 | 364 | 13 | 364 | 20 to 49..... | 33 | 867 | | 317 |
| 50 to 99..... | 3 | (D) | 3 | (D) | 50 to 99..... | 5 | 326 | | 117 |
| 100 to 199..... | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 100 to 199..... | 8 | 1 003 | | 391 |
| 200 to 499..... | — | — | — | — | 200 to 499..... | 2 | (D) | | (D) |
| 500 and over..... | — | — | — | — | 500 and over..... | 1 | (D) | | (D) |
| Milk cows..... | 204 | 3 823 | 189 | 3 790 | Calves sold..... | 168 | 1 437 | | 90 |
| Farms with— | | | | | Farms with— | | | | |
| 1 or 2..... | 69 | 98 | 57 | 82 | 1 or 2..... | 40 | 54 | | 5 |
| 3 or 4..... | 15 | 48 | 15 | 48 | 3 or 4..... | 36 | 124 | | 9 |
| 5 to 9..... | 31 | 200 | 28 | 183 | 5 to 9..... | 41 | 273 | | 24 |
| 10 to 19..... | 24 | 314 | 24 | 314 | 10 to 19..... | 28 | 377 | | 28 |
| 20 to 49..... | 38 | 1 211 | 38 | 1 211 | 20 to 49..... | 22 | 549 | | 22 |
| 50 to 99..... | 22 | 1 402 | 22 | 1 402 | 50 to 99..... | 1 | 60 | | 2 |
| 100 to 199..... | 5 | 550 | 5 | 550 | 100 to 199..... | — | — | | — |
| 200 to 499..... | — | — | — | — | 200 to 499..... | — | — | | — |
| 500 and over..... | — | — | — | — | 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 | 234 | 3 072 | Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates | 172 | 3 623 | 1 459 |
| 1969 | 335 | 3 496 | 1969 | 132 | 4 318 | (NA) |
| Beef heifers | 148 | 981 | Farms with— | | | |
| Milk heifers | 104 | 2 091 | 1 to 9 | 106 | 435 | 152 |
| Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves | 337 | 5 285 | 10 to 19 | 35 | 453 | 167 |
| 1969 | 371 | 5 172 | 20 to 49 | 17 | 459 | 173 |
| | | | 50 to 99 | 5 | 339 | 145 |
| | | | 100 to 199 | 6 | 750 | 309 |
| | | | 200 to 499 | 2 | (D) | (D) |
| | | | 500 and over | 1 | (D) | (D) |

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 | Dollars (1,000) |
| Hogs and pigs | 277 | 22 126 | 256 | 21 915 | 281 | 33 871 | 264 | 33 620 | 2 058 |
| 1969 | 415 | 25 242 | 316 | 23 921 | 404 | 39 275 | 329 | 37 316 | (NA) |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 4 | 29 | 77 | 18 | 48 | 10 | 29 | 8 | 27 | 2 |
| 5 to 9 | 19 | 132 | 16 | 113 | 19 | 144 | 14 | 108 | 7 |
| 10 to 24 | 81 | 1 308 | 76 | 1 234 | 74 | 1 224 | 68 | 1 140 | 81 |
| 25 to 49 | 42 | 1 568 | 41 | 1 531 | 47 | 1 723 | 43 | 1 594 | 97 |
| 50 to 99 | 49 | 3 380 | 48 | 3 328 | 49 | 3 507 | 49 | 3 507 | 241 |
| 100 to 199 | 29 | 3 676 | 29 | 3 676 | 33 | 4 127 | 33 | 4 127 | 265 |
| 200 to 499 | 20 | 5 655 | 20 | 5 655 | 31 | 9 226 | 31 | 9 226 | 640 |
| 500 and over | 8 | 6 330 | 8 | 6 330 | 18 | 13 891 | 18 | 13 891 | 725 |
| Feeder pigs sold | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | 55 | 7 908 | 52 | 7 859 | 181 |
| 1969 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | 91 | 7 776 | 66 | 6 631 | (NA) |
| Sheep and lambs | 157 | 7 997 | 142 | 7 678 | 147 | 6 814 | 135 | 6 516 | (NA) |
| 1969 | 294 | 16 114 | 212 | 13 585 | 292 | 11 455 | 213 | 9 893 | (NA) |
| Sheep and lambs shorn | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 128 | 6 288 | 52 001 |
| Sheep, lambs, and wool | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 137 | (X) | 218 |
| Goats | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | (NA) | (NA) | — | — | — |
| 1969 | (NA) | (NA) | 2 | 5 | (NA) | (NA) | 1 | 4 | (NA) |
| Horses and ponies | 139 | 538 | 104 | 413 | 27 | 69 | 22 | 63 | 55 |
| 1969 | 175 | 727 | (NA) | (NA) | 21 | 120 | (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 | 175 | 2 351 | Litters of pigs farrowed between— | | | |
| 1969 | 243 | 3 175 | December 1 of preceding year and November 30 | | | |
| Other hogs and pigs | 244 | 19 564 | 1969 | | | |
| 1969 | 297 | 20 746 | December 1 of preceding year and May 31 | | | |
| Lambs under 1 year old | 117 | 3 118 | 1974 | | | |
| Ewes 1 year old or older | 140 | 4 346 | 1969 | | | |
| Rams and wethers | 112 | 214 | June 1 and November 30 | | | |
| | | | 1974 | | | |
| | | | 1969 | | | |

¹Pounds 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 | 171 | (X) | 139 | (X) | 30 | (X) | 27 | (X) |
| 1969 | (NA) | (X) | 148 | (X) | (NA) | (X) | 62 | (X) |
| Chickens 3 months old or older | 164 | 40 135 | 134 | 38 841 | 22 | 23 848 | 22 | 23 848 |
| 1969 | 205 | 59 474 | 145 | 56 476 | 68 | 71 347 | 55 | 69 686 |
| Hens and pullets of laying age | 154 | 39 091 | 126 | 38 112 | 22 | 23 848 | 22 | 23 848 |
| 1969 | 195 | 57 727 | 140 | 55 692 | 57 | 37 543 | 48 | 36 136 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 99 | 114 | 3 491 | 87 | 2 642 | 10 | 490 | 10 | 490 |
| 100 to 399 | 34 | 4 700 | 33 | 4 570 | 5 | 718 | 5 | 718 |
| 400 to 1,599 | 2 | 1 500 | 2 | 1 500 | 3 | 1 870 | 3 | 1 870 |
| 1,600 to 3,199 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 3,200 to 9,999 | 3 | (D) | 3 | (D) | 4 | 20 770 | 4 | 20 770 |
| 10,000 to 19,999 | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | — | — | — | — |
| 20,000 to 49,999 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 50,000 to 99,999 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 100,000 and over | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| Broilers and other meat-type chickens | 11 | 542 | 4 | 302 | 7 | 1 219 | 4 | 1 147 |
| 1969 | 4 | 236 | 4 | 236 | 2 | 36 | 2 | 36 |
| Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | 85 | 455 | 64 | 452 |
| 1969 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (NA) | (NA) | 103 | 640 |

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.. | 126 | 38 112 | 22 | 23 848 | Turkeys.....1974.. | 1 | 500 | 2 | (D) |
|1969.. | 140 | 55 692 | 48 | 36 136 |1969.. | 3 | 3 463 | 4 | 28 964 |
| Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.. | 126 | 38 106 | 22 | 23 848 | Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.. | 1 | 500 | 2 | (D) |
|1969.. | 2 | 6 | - | - | Heavy breed.....1974.. | - | - | - | (D) |
| Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.. | 2 | 6 | - | - | Light breed.....1974.. | - | - | - | (D) |
|1969.. | 5 | 121 | - | - | Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.. | 2 | (D) | 3 | (D) |
| Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.. | 6 | 345 | 3 | 33 200 |1969.. | 8 | (X) | 2 | (X) |
|1969.. | 21 | 608 | - | - | Other poultry.....1974.. | 22 | (X) | 4 | (X) |
| Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.. | 2 | 104 | - | - |1969.. | - | - | - | (X) |
|1969.. | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.. | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
|1969.. | - | - | - | - | | | | | |

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

| | All farms | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------|-------|--------|--------|--------------------|-----------|------|------|--|--|
| | Farms | | Acres | | Quantity harvested | | | | | |
| | 1974 | 1969 | 1974 | 1969 | 1974 | | 1969 | | | |
| Corn for all purposes..... | 916 | 909 | 53 645 | 43 501 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | | |
| Sorghums for all purposes..... | 19 | 5 | 365 | 31 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | | |
| Soybeans for beans (bushels)..... | 1 038 | 1 115 | 67 935 | 63 816 | 1 671 400 | 1 606 642 | | | | |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds)..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Wheat (bushels)..... | 997 | 1 094 | 32 971 | 22 253 | 1 354 685 | 734 962 | | | | |
| Other small grains for grain..... | 610 | 696 | 12 471 | 12 551 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | | |
| Cotton (bales)..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Tobacco (pounds)..... | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight)..... | 13 | (NA) | 541 | (NA) | 141 670 | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | | |
| Sweetpotatoes (bushels)..... | - | (NA) | - | (NA) | - | - | - | - | | |
| Hay crops (tons, dry)..... | 481 | 599 | 10 035 | 12 236 | 22 905 | 26 294 | (X) | (X) | | |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale..... | 49 | 58 | 3 610 | 3 502 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | | |
| Land in orchards..... | 20 | 27 | 294 | 374 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | | |
| Berries for sale..... | 6 | 8 | 14 | 20 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | | |
| Other crops..... | 123 | (NA) | 2 187 | 2 606 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | | |

| | Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|------|--------|--------|--------------------|-----------|------|------|----------------|------|
| | Farms | | Acres | | Quantity harvested | | | | Irrigated land | |
| | 1974 | 1969 | 1974 | 1969 | 1974 | | 1969 | | 1974 | 1969 |
| Corn for grain or seed (bushels)..... | 871 | 769 | 50 634 | 39 680 | 3 846 025 | 3 032 529 | - | - | - | - |
| Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)..... | 92 | 98 | 2 531 | 2 294 | 33 348 | 28 122 | - | - | - | - |
| Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed..... | 7 | 7 | 119 | 52 | (X) | (X) | - | - | - | - |
| Sorghums for grain (bushels)..... | 3 | 1 | 222 | 23 | 25 700 | 1 100 | - | - | - | - |
| Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc..... | 14 | (NA) | 133 | (X) | (X) | (X) | - | (NA) | - | - |
| Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)..... | 161 | 180 | 3 069 | 4 237 | 8 537 | 11 210 | - | - | - | - |

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.....1974.. | 322 | 6 960 | (X) | - | - | 16 | 235 | 16 | 37 | - | - |
|1969.. | 368 | 8 504 | (X) | - | - | 35 | 602 | 35 | 96 | - | - |
| Improved pasture.....1974.. | 63 | 1 907 | (X) | - | - | 7 | 255 | 7 | 20 | - | - |
|1969.. | 89 | 2 002 | (X) | - | - | 7 | 90 | 7 | 18 | - | - |
| Corn for all purposes.....1974.. | 877 | 53 284 | (X) | - | - | 769 | 50 063 | 745 | 10 246 | 316 | 2 619 |
|1969.. | 772 | 42 026 | (X) | - | - | 635 | 36 100 | 630 | 8 606 | 125 | 1 059 |
| Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.. | 17 | 355 | (X) | - | - | 9 | 174 | 9 | 40 | - | - |
|1969.. | 1 | 23 | (X) | - | - | 1 | 23 | 1 | 5 | - | - |
| Wheat (bushels).....1974.. | 928 | 32 338 | 1 335 540 | - | - | 657 | 26 208 | 637 | 4 366 | 35 | 153 |
|1969.. | 839 | 19 903 | 672 225 | - | - | 750 | 18 227 | (NA) | 3 004 | (NA) | 50 |
| Oats (bushels).....1974.. | 577 | 11 955 | 765 610 | - | - | 417 | 9 031 | 406 | 1 254 | 13 | 33 |
|1969.. | 540 | 10 124 | 552 660 | - | - | 480 | 9 354 | (NA) | 1 290 | (NA) | 31 |
| Barley (bushels).....1974.. | 2 | 31 | 1 156 | - | - | 2 | 17 | 2 | 2 | - | - |
|1969.. | 22 | 156 | 5 325 | - | - | 19 | 135 | (NA) | 21 | (NA) | - |
| Rye (bushels).....1974.. | 8 | 97 | 2 469 | - | - | 4 | 40 | 4 | 5 | - | - |
|1969.. | 56 | 545 | 16 650 | - | - | 39 | 429 | (NA) | 54 | (NA) | 1 |
| Other small grains for grain.....1974.. | 22 | 245 | (X) | - | - | 17 | 204 | 17 | 30 | - | - |
| Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.. | 990 | 67 461 | 1 660 767 | - | - | 299 | 20 380 | 273 | 2 231 | 32 | 156 |
|1969.. | 797 | 57 742 | 1 470 456 | - | - | 271 | 16 038 | (NA) | 1 533 | (NA) | 70 |
| Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | (NA) | - |
|1969.. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | (NA) | - |
| Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.. | 455 | 9 876 | 22 675 | - | - | 55 | 1 550 | 55 | 238 | - | - |
|1969.. | 457 | 10 829 | 24 138 | - | - | 50 | 1 402 | 47 | 192 | 4 | 5 |
| Field seed crops.....1974.. | 95 | 1 343 | (X) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|1969.. | 91 | 1 212 | (X) | - | - | 1 | 10 | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| Cotton (bales).....1974.. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | (NA) | - | (NA) | - |
|1969.. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | (NA) | - | (NA) | - |
| Tobacco (pounds).....1974.. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
|1969.. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | (NA) | - | (NA) | - |
| Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.. | 12 | 538 | 141 070 | 2 | 355 | 6 | 535 | 6 | 203 | 1 | 2 |
|1969.. | 4 | 406 | 50 826 | 1 | 150 | 4 | 488 | (NA) | 241 | (NA) | - |
| Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.. | 44 | 3 589 | (X) | 4 | 1 665 | 32 | 3 199 | 28 | 1 247 | 13 | 304 |
|1969.. | 40 | 3 459 | (X) | 6 | 1 568 | 38 | 3 181 | 38 | 1 038 | 8 | 288 |
| Land in orchards.....1974.. | 12 | 267 | (X) | - | - | 5 | 136 | 5 | 17 | - | - |
|1969.. | 13 | 314 | (X) | - | - | 6 | 293 | 6 | 46 | - | - |

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

| | | | | Irrigated land | | Commercial fertilizer used | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|----------|----------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|-------|------|--------|------|
| | | | Quantity | | | Total | | Dry | | Liquid | |
| | Farms | Acres | | Farms | Acres | Farms | Acres | Farms | Tons | Farms | Tons |
| Berries for sale | 6 | 14 | (X) | — | — | 1 | 1 | 1 | (Z) | — | — |
| 1969 | 5 | 19 | (X) | — | — | 2 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| Nursery and greenhouse products | 8 | 135 | (X) | 4 | 131 | 6 | 134 | 4 | 76 | 5 | 1 |
| 1969 | 7 | (D) | (X) | 1 | (D) | 6 | 425 | 5 | 203 | 2 | (Z) |
| Other crops | 19 | 697 | (X) | — | — | 10 | 585 | 10 | 132 | 5 | 20 |
| 1974 | | | | | | | | | | | |

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 | 1 010 | | 943 | | Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control— | | | | |
| \$1,000 | 5 339 | | 1 928 | | Diseases in crops and orchards | 10 | | 19 | |
| Commercial fertilizer | 995 | | 892 | | farms | 3 409 | | 2 147 | |
| acres on which used | 113 377 | | 87 902 | | acres on which used | 59 | | 48 | |
| tons | 23 732 | | 18 100 | | Weeds or grass in crops | 541 | | 531 | |
| \$1,000 | 4 196 | | 1 427 | | farms | 84 578 | | 52 671 | |
| Lime | 248 | | 268 | | acres on which used | 673 | | 271 | |
| acres on which used | 10 566 | | 8 531 | | Weeds or brush in pasture | 4 | | 7 | |
| tons | 27 843 | | 21 174 | | farms | 36 | | 159 | |
| \$1,000 | 130 | | 79 | | acres on which used | (Z) | | 1 | |
| Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control | 41 | | 75 | | Weeds on all other land | 23 | | (NA) | |
| Insects on hay crops | 943 | | 2 053 | | farms | 276 | | (NA) | |
| farms | 4 | | 9 | | acres on which used | 3 | | (NA) | |
| \$1,000 | 132 | | 102 | | Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control | | | | |
| Insects on other crops | 21 785 | | 10 513 | | of crops or thinning of fruit | 3 | | 11 | |
| farms | 203 | | 79 | | farms | 20 | | 672 | |
| acres on which used | 2 | | 2 | | \$1,000 | (Z) | | 3 | |
| \$1,000 | 174 | | 70 | | Insect control on livestock and poultry | 40 | | 158 | |
| farms | 1 | | 2 | | farms | 2 | | 7 | |
| acres on which used | | | 2 | | \$1,000 | 138 | | (NA) | |
| \$1,000 | | | 2 | | Other chemicals (see text) | 67 | | (NA) | |
| | | | | | farms | | | | |
| | | | | | \$1,000 | | | | |

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 | 7 | | 8 | | Land irrigated by— | | | | |
| Proportion of farms | 0.6 | | 0.8 | | Self-propelled sprinkler systems | — | | (NA) | |
| Total land irrigated | 2 439 | | 1 576 | | Other sprinkler systems | 7 | | (NA) | |
| Average per farm | 348.4 | | 197.0 | | farms | 1 939 | | (NA) | |
| Cropland irrigated | 7 | | 8 | | acres | 3 557 | | 3 018 | |
| farms | 2 439 | | 1 576 | | Land in irrigated farms | 3 304 | | 2 919 | |
| acres | 7 | | 8 | | Harvested cropland | 2 691 | | 2 406 | |
| Harvested cropland irrigated | 2 075 | | 1 576 | | Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated | | | | |
| farms | — | | — | | between 1970 and 1973 | 1 | | (X) | |
| acres | — | | — | | acres irrigated in most recent year | 25 | | (X) | |
| Other cropland irrigated | 1 | | (NA) | | Farms with artificial drainage | 438 | | 513 | |
| farms | 364 | | — | | Proportion of farms | 38.7 | | 51.5 | |
| acres | — | | — | | Land in farms with drainage | 128 843 | | 137 748 | |
| Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture | — | | — | | Land drained | 87 270 | | 86 940 | |
| farms | — | | — | | Average per farm | 199.2 | | 169.4 | |
| acres | — | | — | | Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen | | | | |
| Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied | 1 417 | | 572 | | tanks | 228 | | (NA) | |
| Average per acre irrigated | 0.6 | | 0.4 | | farms | 337 | | (NA) | |
| Land irrigated by— | | | (NA) | | number | 218 | | (NA) | |
| Furrows or ditches | — | | (NA) | | acres | | | (NA) | |
| acres | — | | (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) | | 489 | 15 839 | 365 | 10 936 | 317 | 4 903 |
| Farms by size of debt owed: | | | | | | | |
| Under \$5,000 | | 85 | | 49 | | 104 | |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | | 62 | | 43 | | 73 | |
| \$10,000 to \$29,999 | | 188 | | 160 | | 98 | |
| \$30,000 to \$49,999 | | 57 | | 49 | | 20 | |
| \$50,000 and over | | 97 | | 64 | | 22 | |

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 | 75 | 75 | 313 | 318 | 1 372 | | 257 | 75 | 86 | 158 | |
| 25 to 149 days | 86 | 403 | 1 020 | 1 902 | 966 | | 2 430 | 1 372 | 966 | 93 | |
| Less than 25 days | 158 | | 785 | | 93 | | 2 118 | 313 | 1 020 | 785 | |
| Total contract labor | 18 | 20 | (NA) | (NA) | 16 | | | | | | |
| Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor | 6 | (NA) | 37 | (NA) | 4 | (NA) | | | | | |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 worker | | | | | | | 125 | 45 | 39 | 81 | |
| 2 workers | | | | | | | 43 | 12 | 27 | 16 | |
| 3 or 4 workers | | | | | | | 47 | 8 | 15 | 35 | |
| 5 to 9 workers | | | | | | | 28 | 4 | — | 16 | |
| 10 workers and over | | | | | | | 14 | 6 | 5 | 10 | |