

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	56	59	56	59			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	116	72	116	69			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	70	72	69	72			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	117	95	117	95			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	99	132	99	132			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	82	129	82	127			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	127	298	17	20			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	11	39	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	31	47	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	28	55	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	57	157	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	26 582	12 387	26 439	11 999			
Average per farm dollars	39 853	15 779	47 552	23 760			
Crops, including hay							
\$1,000	579	709	490	(NA)			
\$1,000	17 209	9 641	17 107	6 349			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
\$1,000	79	71	71	50			
\$1,000	5 673	5 664	5 664	2 981			
Forest products							
\$1,000	11	7	9	6			
\$1,000	16	6	16	6			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000	147	221	129	166			
\$1,000	3 685	2 739	3 653	2 663			
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000	28	(NA)	25	33			
\$1,000	1 448	(NA)	1 445	807			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
\$1,000	490	(NA)	490	(NA)			
\$1,000	17 107	6 349	17 107	6 349			
\$1,000	467	431	467	431			
\$1,000	11 805	3 746	11 805	3 746			
Tobacco							
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed							
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
\$1,000	53	98	53	98			
\$1,000	130	143	130	143			
Other field crops							
\$1,000	49	58	49	58			
\$1,000	2 202	656	2 202	656			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
\$1,000	65	92	65	92			
\$1,000	2 711	1 532	2 711	1 532			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
\$1,000	16	28	16	28			
\$1,000	259	272	259	272			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
\$1,000	129	166	129	166			
\$1,000	3 653	2 663	3 653	2 663			
Poultry and poultry products							
\$1,000	25	33	25	33			
\$1,000	1 445	807	1 445	807			
Dairy products							
\$1,000	3	12	3	12			
\$1,000	125	122	125	122			
Cattle and calves							
\$1,000	44	(NA)	44	(NA)			
\$1,000	796	855	796	855			
Hogs and pigs							
\$1,000	72	(NA)	72	(NA)			
\$1,000	1 231	880	1 231	880			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
\$1,000	14	3	14	3			
\$1,000	3	3	3	3			
Other livestock and livestock products							
\$1,000	15	52	15	52			

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	246	(NA)	150	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹							
\$1,000	131	(NA)	124	(NA)			
\$1,000	422	(NA)	414	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services							
\$1,000	67	108	64	92			
\$1,000	228	185	227	175			
Recreational services							
\$1,000	3	4	2	3			
\$1,000	2	3	1	3			
Government farm programs							
\$1,000	37	339	37	277			
\$1,000	53	632	53	584			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments							
\$1,000	29	(NA)	26	(NA)			
\$1,000	104	(NA)	98	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources							
\$1,000	31	(NA)	31	(NA)			
\$1,000	34	(NA)	34	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹							
\$1,000	38	(NA)	35	(NA)			
\$1,000	112	(NA)	109	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources ²							
\$1,000							
\$1,000							
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related							
\$1,000							
\$1,000							
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips							
\$1,000							
\$1,000							
Interest, dividends, or royalties							
\$1,000							
\$1,000							
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.							
\$1,000							
\$1,000							
Rent income of nonfarm property							
\$1,000							
\$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									
\$1,000	667	785	556	505					
\$1,000	18 892	10 301	18 717	9 886					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999	60	160	8	51					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	62	130	32	33					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	78	46	56	33					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	70	115	67	94					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	120	138	117	133					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	92	100	91	100					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	90	44	90	44					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	36	50	36	50					
\$60,000 and over	59	59	59	59					
Livestock and poultry purchased									
\$1,000	104	171	78	122					
\$1,000	1 012	858	992	842					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased									
\$1,000	179	224	126	149					
\$1,000	1 071	552	1 050	512					
Commercially mixed formula feeds									
\$1,000	152	169	107	131					
\$1,000	721	384	708	363					
Feed ingredients									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	31	39					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	187	95					
Whole grains									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	41					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	140	48					
Hay, green chop, and silage									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	17	19					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	15	6					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	87	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	22	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased									
\$1,000	556	661	475	467					
\$1,000	1 842	751	1 831	724					
Commercial fertilizer purchased									
\$1,000	556	671	479	463					
\$1,000	2 703	913	2 678	866					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased									
\$1,000	422	(NA)	367	(NA)					
\$1,000	629	323	623	310					
Lime									
\$1,000	(NA)	74	36	61					
\$1,000	(NA)	20	22	19					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business									
\$1,000	656	765	547	504					
\$1,000	1 128	691	1 112	646					
Gasoline									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	539	498					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	607	385					
Diesel oil									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	217	151					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	221	58					
LP gas, butane, and propane									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	78	53					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	89	21					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil									
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	547	502					

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					Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	651	764	540	502	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	255	219	250	193
farms	17	156	8	275	number	274	232	269	206
\$1,000	26	353	10	831	mfd in last 5 years, number	76	105	76	102
dollars	26	353	10	831	farms	141	312	137	101
Farms by value group:					number	143	348	137	101
\$1 to \$999	2	34	1	149	mfd in last 5 years, number	54	153	54	72
\$1,000 to \$4,999	87	310	53	136	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	152	145	145	173
\$5,000 to \$9,999	127	177	89	136	number	154	146	146	175
\$10,000 to \$19,999	148	112	115	91	mfd in last 5 years, number	10	10	10	69
\$20,000 to \$29,999	100	61	97	43	Mower conditioners	55	(NA)	50	(NA)
\$30,000 to \$49,999	109	43	107	43	number	59	(NA)	54	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	36	22	36	22	mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	42	22	42	22	Pickup balers	88	89	82	79
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	536	629	474	429	number	88	90	82	80
number	858	914	774	626	mfd in last 5 years, number	17	23	17	19
mfd in last 5 years, number	466	569	408	406	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	36	(NA)	23	19
Motor trucks, including pickups	558	589	459	445	number	38	(NA)	25	20
number	1 070	1 049	961	880	mfd in last 5 years, number	9	(NA)	9	8
mfd in last 5 years, number	368	428	325	346	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	26	(NA)	25	16
Wheel tractors	608	712	506	480	number	28	(NA)	27	16
number	1 613	1 739	1 460	1 310	mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	11	7
mfd in last 5 years, number	272	480	262	385					
Crawler tractors	37	42	34	42					
number	42	42	38	51					
mfd in last 5 years, number	-	-	-	8					

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	175	(X)	134	(X)	147	(X)	129	(X)	3 653
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	116	(X)	99	(X)	121	(X)	108	(X)	2 030
1969	185	(X)	133	(X)	183	(X)	141	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	67	2 942	53	2 792	49	2 359	44	2 293	796
1969	89	3 968	68	3 796	78	3 161	70	3 112	855
Farms with—									
1 to 4	15	36	9	25	10	21	9	20	8
5 to 9	14	85	10	61	6	42	6	42	9
10 to 19	10	134	8	108	16	230	13	190	61
20 to 49	13	419	11	330	8	244	7	219	52
50 to 99	5	297	5	297	-	-	-	-	-
100 to 199	6	750	6	750	5	632	5	632	241
200 to 499	4	1 221	4	1 221	4	1 190	4	1 190	425
500 and over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved	36	471	24	397	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	40	499	27	416	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	31	321	20	254	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	232	11	159	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	11	150	7	143	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	26	267	18	257	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	3	(X)	125
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	122
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	Dollars (1,000)		
Beef cows	31	321	20	254	Cattle sold	43	2 201	787	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	18	32	9	17	1 to 4	11	24	9	
5 to 9	7	7	1	7	5 to 9	5	31	8	
10 to 19	7	99	7	99	10 to 19	13	180	55	
20 to 49	4	118	2	66	20 to 49	5	164	52	
50 to 99	1	65	1	65	50 to 99	1	83	(D)	
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	4	529	(D)	
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	200 to 499	4	1 190	425	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	-	
Milk cows	11	150	7	143	Calves sold	9	92	9	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	8	11	4	4	1 or 2	1	1	(Z)	
3 or 4	-	-	-	-	3 or 4	-	-	-	
5 to 9	-	-	-	-	5 to 9	3	17	3	
10 to 19	-	-	-	-	10 to 19	4	54	3	
20 to 49	2	69	2	69	20 to 49	1	20	3	
50 to 99	1	70	1	70	50 to 99	-	-	-	
100 to 199	-	-	-	-	100 to 199	-	-	-	
200 to 499	-	-	-	-	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	32	126 914	14	(D)	Turkeys	1	5	1	(D)
1969	43	112 007	24	47 842	1969	1	(D)	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	31	126 844	14	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	1	5	1	(D)
1974	31	126 844	14	(D)	Heavy breed	1	5	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	2	70	-	-	1974	1	5	1	(D)
1974	2	70	-	-	1969	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	(D)	1	(D)	Light breed	-	-	-	-
1974	2	(D)	1	(D)	1974	-	-	1	(D)
1969	2	70	1	25	Turkey hens for breeding	1	(D)	1	(D)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	6	(D)	-	-	1969	1	(D)	1	(D)
1974	6	(D)	-	-	1974	6	(X)	3	(X)
1969	-	-	-	-	1969	7	(X)	5	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	-	-	-	-	Other poultry	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	-	-	1974	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	1969	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes	335	422	26 701	22 925	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	498	534	38 853	31 038	833 428	787 416				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Wheat (bushels)	344	361	12 375	7 628	628 404	323 785				
Other small grains for grain	140	190	1 668	2 760	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	24	(NA)	1 451	(NA)	305 904	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-		
Hay crops (tons, dry)	102	161	1 885	3 415	4 377	9 631				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	70	109	2 883	3 653	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards	43	52	397	612	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale	4	20	29	23	(X)	(X)				
Other crops	105	(NA)	2 063	2 918	(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)	314	316	25 741	20 788	2 130 597	1 802 751	1	-	8	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	17	22	723	837	7 960	12 318	-	-	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	4	10	32	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	-	(NA)	-	-	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	59	107	1 535	2 577	3 806	7 501	1	-	7	-

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	32	539	(X)	1	5	1	12	1	5	-	-
1969	51	1 353	(X)	-	-	10	157	10	22	-	-
Improved pasture	4	54	(X)	-	-	1	11	1	11	-	-
1969	7	107	(X)	-	-	1	8	1	2	-	-
Corn for all purposes	317	26 474	(X)	1	8	285	25 241	276	4 898	195	2 376
1969	320	21 657	(X)	-	-	278	19 691	273	4 354	132	1 218
Sorghums for all purposes	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	327	12 217	622 433	-	-	259	10 868	251	1 883	11	73
1969	302	7 149	306 968	-	-	255	6 215	(NA)	1 054	(NA)	12
Oats (bushels)	111	1 431	97 233	-	-	69	838	68	113	2	2
1969	150	2 320	152 193	-	-	124	1 940	(NA)	265	(NA)	3
Barley (bushels)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	13	81	2 688	-	-	7	41	7	6	-	-
1969	19	124	4 155	-	-	10	68	(NA)	11	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	441	38 232	825 466	3	83	231	21 029	215	1 895	22	264
1969	382	28 319	732 822	-	-	201	14 038	(NA)	1 156	(NA)	67
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	77	1 705	4 097	1	7	14	698	14	129	-	-
1969	129	2 819	8 022	-	-	20	346	20	46	-	-
Field seed crops	1	5	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1974	2	5	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	23	1 447	305 404	2	470	23	1 447	23	836	2	278
1969	14	647	137 103	1	30	12	644	(NA)	348	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	65	2 872	(X)	19	1 123	53	2 677	52	859	10	300
1969	92	3 545	(X)	5	159	71	3 167	71	1 321	13	119
Land in orchards	20	337	(X)	-	-	8	83	8	21	-	-
1974	24	455	(X)	-	-	17	436	17	108	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	4	29	(X)	2	25	3	28	3	10	-	-
1969	11	21	(X)	2	12	4	3	4	2	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	71	301	(X)	32	134	35	209	33	61	9	10
1969	50	213	(X)	21	72	30	138	23	95	7	1
Other crops	27	1 749	(X)	-	-	26	1 748	26	487	10	35

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	494	3 302	470	1 176	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
lime	479	437	437	366	Diseases in crops and orchards	37	42	3 400	2 790
Commercial fertilizer	64 987	14 544	49 466	11 040	acres on which used	74	46	74	46
acres on which used	2 678	36	866	61	Weeds or grass in crops	262	283	262	283
tons	2 189	2 189	2 570	2 570	acres on which used	46 535	34 047	46 535	34 047
\$1,000	5 213	5 213	5 232	5 232	Weeds or brush in pasture	342	135	342	135
Lime	36	36	61	61	acres on which used	-	6	-	6
acres on which used	2 189	2 189	2 570	2 570	Weeds or brush in pasture	-	94	-	94
tons	5 213	5 213	5 232	5 232	acres on which used	-	(Z)	-	(Z)
\$1,000	22	22	19	19	Weeds on all other land	17	(NA)	17	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	73	(NA)	73	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	13	13	21	21	\$1,000	1	(NA)	1	(NA)
acres on which used	633	633	564	564	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000	2	2	2	2	of crops or thinning of fruit	5	8	5	8
Insects on other crops	85	85	117	117	acres on which used	513	643	513	643
acres on which used	13 775	13 775	10 611	10 611	\$1,000	7	2	7	2
\$1,000	147	147	102	102	Insect control on livestock and poultry	15	50	15	50
Nematodes in crops	4	4	3	3	\$1,000	2	2	2	2
acres on which used	236	236	86	86	Other chemicals (see text)	76	(NA)	76	(NA)
\$1,000	2	2	1	1	\$1,000	24	(NA)	24	(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	43	1 847	19	279	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	7.7	14.6	3.7	14.6	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	7	(NA)	133	(NA)
Total land irrigated	1 847	14.6	279	14.6	acres	36	(NA)	36	(NA)
Average per farm	43	43	19	19	Other sprinkler systems	1 714	(NA)	1 714	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	1 847	279	279	279	Land in irrigated farms	6 480	4 009	5 979	3 616
Harvested cropland	43	43	19	19	Cropland	5 979	3 616	5 979	3 616
acres	1 847	279	279	279	Harvested cropland	5 874	3 130	5 874	3 130
Cropland pasture irrigated	1	1	1	1	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres	5	5	-	-	between 1970 and 1973	-	(X)	-	(X)
Other cropland irrigated	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	(X)	-	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	-	-	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage	238	327	238	327
acres	-	-	-	-	Proportion of farms	42.8	64.7	42.8	64.7
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	753	168	168	168	Land in farms with drainage	56 047	65 157	56 047	65 157
Average per acre irrigated	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	Land drained	50 057	53 259	50 057	53 259
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	210.3	162.8	210.3	162.8
Furrows or ditches	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
acres	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	tanks	33	(NA)	41	(NA)
					farms	41	(NA)	33	(NA)
					number	33	(NA)	33	(NA)
					acres				

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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		138	103	67			
Under \$5,000	5 094	5 094	3 365	1 729			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	15	9	15			
\$10,000 to \$29,999	19	19	14	17			
\$30,000 to \$49,999	61	61	47	25			
\$50,000 and over	18	18	14	3			
	25	25	19	7			

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	200	52	93	112
150 days or more	52	54	329	329	1 750	1 629	Cash wages paid — \$1,000	2 429	1 750	542	136
25 to 149 days	93	262	569	1 539	542	136	Number of workers	1 689	329	569	791
Less than 25 days	112	17	791	(NA)	136	81	Farms with—				
Total contract labor	17	29	(NA)	(NA)	118		1 worker	59	17	27	35
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	10	(NA)	177	(NA)	108	(NA)	2 workers	30	10	13	19
							3 or 4 workers	28	12	10	17
							5 to 9 workers	38	5	25	13
							10 workers and over	45	8	18	28