



**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
<b>Farms by value of sales:</b>							
\$100,000 and over	38	67	38	67			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	63	64	63	64			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	54		54				
\$10,000 to \$19,999	95	97	95	97			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	124	162	124	162			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	160	199	160	199			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	477	576	29	14			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	79	77	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	96	98	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	99	97	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	203	304	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>							
\$1,000	16 147	11 266	15 613	10 709			
Average per farm dollars	15 971	9 670	27 731	17 758			
<b>Crops, including hay</b>							
farms	237	305	168	(NA)			
\$1,000	1 630	717	1 571	656			
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products</b>							
farms	2	2	2	1			
\$1,000	(D)		(D)	4			
<b>Forest products</b>							
farms	46	41	32	27			
\$1,000	(D)	33	(D)	31			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
farms	941	1 060	540	595			
\$1,000	14 471	10 516	14 001	10 018			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b>							
farms	86	(NA)	80	88			
\$1,000	7 845	(NA)	7 844	4 451			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
Crops							
farms					168		(NA)
\$1,000					1 571		656
Grains					76		124
\$1,000					947		435
Tobacco							
farms							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage					104		106
\$1,000					443		179
Other field crops					4		3
\$1,000					16		(2)
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons					12		3
\$1,000					156		19
Fruits, nuts, and berries					3		10
\$1,000					9		22
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
farms					540		595
\$1,000					14 001		10 018
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b>							
farms					80		88
\$1,000					7 844		4 451
<b>Dairy products</b>							
farms					64		96
\$1,000					1 658		1 295
<b>Cattle and calves</b>							
farms					521		(NA)
\$1,000					3 983		3 752
<b>Hogs and pigs</b>							
farms					102		(NA)
\$1,000					489		521
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool</b>							
farms					4		7
\$1,000					7		
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b>							
farms					25		
\$1,000					21		

**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		
<b>Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold<sup>1</sup></b>						
farms	543	(NA)	191	(NA)		401
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b>						
farms	223	(NA)	144	(NA)		3 907
\$1,000	291	(NA)	221	(NA)		
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b>						
farms	58	81	42	55		86
\$1,000	123	211	94	194		1 188
<b>Recreational services</b>						
farms	2	6	2	2		245
\$1,000	7	13	7	(D)		2 056
<b>Government farm programs</b>						
farms	133	246	94	181		
\$1,000	51	183	36	139		
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments</b>						
farms	46	(NA)	19	(NA)		
\$1,000	83	(NA)	59	(NA)		314
<b>Other farm-related sources</b>						
farms	25	(NA)	20	(NA)		108
\$1,000	27	(NA)	26	(NA)		315
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup></b>						
farms	53	(NA)	39	(NA)		23
\$1,000	104	(NA)	83	(NA)		34
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b>						
farms						401
\$1,000						3 907
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related</b>						
farms						86
\$1,000						1 188
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips</b>						
farms						245
\$1,000						2 056
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties</b>						
farms						135
\$1,000						314
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.</b>						
farms						108
\$1,000						315
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property</b>						
farms						23
\$1,000						34

<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
<b>Total farm production expenses</b>									
farms	1 009	1 165	563	603					
\$1,000	15 061	10 050	14 253	9 258					
<b>Farms with —</b>									
\$1 to \$999	175	280	11	53					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	170	224	35						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	110	132	45	82					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	146	147	86	97					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	155	166	133	155					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	100		100	99					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	57		57	65					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	35		35						
\$60,000 and over	61		61	52					
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	415	605	278	371					
\$1,000	2 303	2 352	2 205	2 208					
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	942	1 040	523	577					
\$1,000	7 731	3 983	7 409	3 792					
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b>									
farms	713	678	456	469					
\$1,000	6 787	3 432	6 651	3 369					
<b>Feed ingredients</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	204	163					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	239	102					
<b>Whole grains</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	207	131					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	342	160					
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	101	139					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	177	162					
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	353	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	108	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b>									
farms	285	355	200	218					
\$1,000	113	83	107	73					
<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased</b>									
farms	487	605	336	379					
\$1,000	601	387	556	344					
<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b>									
farms	223	(NA)	155	(NA)					
\$1,000	89	62	82	53					
<b>Lime</b>									
farms	(NA)	127	62	91					
\$1,000	(NA)	36	39	31					
<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b>									
farms	964	1 126	553	600					
\$1,000	559	389	466	303					
<b>Gasoline</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	471	579					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	243	185					
<b>Diesel oil</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	183	194					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	75	35					
<b>LP gas, butane, and propane</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	137	180					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	79	52					
<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	553	597					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	70	32					
<b>Hired farm labor</b>									
farms	302	451	208	286					
\$1,000	524	495	500	452					
<b>Contract labor</b>									
farms	86	506	67	72					

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	9 959	1 099	542	585					
farms	9 985	5 274	7 362	3 891					
\$1,000... dollars	10 412	4 799	13 583	6 652					
Average per farm									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	17	136	5	330					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	314	644	124						
\$5,000 to \$9,999	281	179	143	129					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	210	103	141	93					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	80		72	20					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	43		43	10					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	10		10						
\$70,000 and over	4	37	4	3					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles	627	665	365	385					
number	753	784	449	444					
mfd in last 5 years, number	309	402	233	252					
Motor trucks, including pickups	857	960	502	527					
number	1 249	1 207	747	720					
mfd in last 5 years, number	470	604	316	362					
Wheel tractors	778	856	456	505					
number	1 095	1 191	719	769					
mfd in last 5 years, number	192	365	165	262					
Crawler tractors	39		30	23					
number	41		32	26					
mfd in last 5 years, number	4		4	7					
<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	48	57	48	53					
number	48	59	48	55					
mfd in last 5 years, number	15	27	15	25					
Corn heads for combines	3	26	3	6					
number	3	28	3	6					
mfd in last 5 years, number	1	7	1	1					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	12		10	20					
number	12		10	20					
mfd in last 5 years, number	1			6					
Mower conditioners	125	(NA)	91	(NA)					
number	130	(NA)	96	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number	40	(NA)	28	(NA)					
Pickup balers	244	212	200	180					
number	248	218	204	186					
mfd in last 5 years, number	80	108	76	94					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	60	(NA)	43	47					
number	60	(NA)	43	50					
mfd in last 5 years, number	21	(NA)	18	28					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	16	(NA)	14	24					
number	17	(NA)	15	28					
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	(NA)	4	16					

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	945	(X)	527	(X)	941	(X)	540	(X)	14 001
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	920	(X)	518	(X)	920	(X)	523	(X)	4 479
1969	1 045	(X)	568	(X)	1 032	(X)	583	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	915	58 169	517	47 203	906	25 365	521	22 012	3 983
1969	1 025	49 461	564	40 808	989	33 180	577	29 178	3 752
Farms with—									
1 to 4	14	33	5	8	145	412	25	61	11
5 to 9	41	281	6	37	154	1 068	29	200	35
10 to 19	129	1 826	21	307	222	3 061	110	1 577	283
20 to 49	354	11 434	160	5 500	266	7 915	238	7 265	1 187
50 to 99	226	15 083	174	11 839	86	5 746	86	5 746	1 007
100 to 199	111	14 905	111	14 905	25	3 445	25	3 445	669
200 to 499	34	9 572	34	9 572	6	(D)	6	(D)	(D)
500 and over	6	5 035	6	5 035	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	790	31 092	464	25 527	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	873	25 068	510	20 963	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	737	28 496	422	23 071	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	21 908	443	17 963	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	178	2 596	111	2 456	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	265	3 160	165	3 000	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	64	(X)	1 658
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	96	(X)	1 295
<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	737	28 496	422	23 071	Cattle sold	373	10 701	2 707	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	29	76	7	17	1 to 4	66	173	44	
5 to 9	69	486	9	65	5 to 9	66	445	99	
10 to 19	183	2 606	67	988	10 to 19	92	1 258	282	
20 to 49	313	9 523	200	6 411	20 to 49	105	2 974	721	
50 to 99	90	6 132	86	5 917	50 to 99	29	2 117	530	
100 to 199	38	4 738	38	4 738	100 to 199	10	1 355	405	
200 to 499	14	(D)	14	(D)	200 to 499	4	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	178	2 596	111	2 456	Calves sold	391	11 311	1 276	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	97	117	44	53	1 or 2	25	35	4	
3 or 4	9	31	2	6	3 or 4	23	81	9	
5 to 9	9	54	5	33	5 to 9	37	228	26	
10 to 19	14	174	11	144	10 to 19	92	1 247	141	
20 to 49	39	1 331	39	1 331	20 to 49	163	4 991	569	
50 to 99	7	469	7	469	50 to 99	37	2 417	286	
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	12	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over					500 and over			(D)	



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	74	248 708	26	169 824	Turkeys	4	29 006	11	368 000
1974	74	248 708	26	169 824	1969	1	6	8	209 600
1969	76	191 555	15	155 162	Turkeys for slaughter	1	(D)	10	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	66	189 840	18	121 540	Heavy breed	1	(D)	10	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	9	58 868	8	48 284	Light breed	—	—	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	40	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	3	(D)	1	(D)
1974	2	40	—	—	1969	1	3	—	—
1969	8	51 034	10	118 204	Other poultry	6	(X)	1	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	32	6 557	9	4 831	1974	6	(X)	4	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	(D)	—	—	1969	9	(X)	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	12	33	182	437	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	57	77	4 150	4 044	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	36	75	2 770	4 549	59 422	64 451
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	2	—	4	—	1 200
Wheat (bushels)	72	126	5 139	5 706	110 508	157 090
Other small grains for grain	22	73	727	1 777	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	16	(NA)	12	(NA)	1 750	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	6	(NA)	1	(NA)	46	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	581	573	26 046	23 925	45 138	39 350
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	19	9	566	122	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	15	21	178	221	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	9	3	22	(X)	(X)
Other crops	17	(NA)	368	709	(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)	9	19	142	220	3 701	7 392	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1	7	2	153	30	1 743	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	45	56	3 863	3 517	166 487	164 339	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	6	(NA)	184	313	(X)	(X)	(NA)	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	14	58	870	1 580	4 054	4 254	—	—

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

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	354	44 960	(X)	—	—	115	7 944	112	877	4	68
1969	395	57 044	(X)	—	—	152	11 909	151	2 243	5	24
Improved pasture	168	18 229	(X)	1	50	72	6 446	71	751	3	32
1969	195	35 041	(X)	1	300	85	7 274	83	897	2	2
Corn for all purposes	10	144	(X)	—	—	7	138	7	17	2	8
1969	26	373	(X)	—	—	22	360	22	47	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes	48	4 047	(X)	—	—	34	3 137	34	409	1	3
1969	68	3 830	(X)	—	—	63	3 617	62	364	2	4
Wheat (bushels)	64	4 993	108 753	—	—	50	3 935	50	452	—	—
1969	102	5 312	147 927	—	—	82	4 776	(NA)	452	(NA)	12
Oats (bushels)	18	618	16 658	—	—	16	598	16	67	—	—
1969	48	992	37 491	—	—	33	639	(NA)	62	(NA)	1
Barley (bushels)	1	50	1 000	—	—	1	50	1	5	—	—
1969	16	445	12 430	—	—	14	401	(NA)	29	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	3	50	1 400	—	—	2	30	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
1969	1	9	(X)	—	—	1	9	(NA)	1	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	34	2 760	59 254	—	—	18	1 388	18	106	—	—
1969	68	4 420	62 038	—	—	27	1 585	(NA)	91	(NA)	3
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	383	21 132	38 444	—	—	127	5 634	124	925	6	15
1969	375	19 651	33 629	—	—	112	4 891	111	627	4	21
Field seed crops	14	336	(X)	—	—	6	133	6	16	—	—
1969	21	578	(X)	—	—	10	283	10	28	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	6	10	1 607	—	—	2	8	2	(Z)	—	—
1969	10	3	217	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	13	558	(X)	—	—	12	526	11	88	1	12
1969	3	121	(X)	2	12	2	120	2	24	—	—
Land in orchards	6	171	(X)	—	—	1	(D)	1	5	—	—
1969	11	149	(X)	1	10	1	119	1	3	—	—

**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.....1974.....	1	3	(X)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
.....1969.....	5	20	(X)	--	--	3	12	3	1	--	
Nursery and greenhouse products.....1974.....	2	1	(X)	2	1	2	1	2	(Z)	2	
.....1969.....	1	(Z)	(X)	--	--	1	1	1	(Z)	1	
Other crops.....1974.....	--	--	(X)	--	--	--	--	1	(Z)	--	

**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.....	361		428		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
.....\$1,000.....	637		398		Diseases in crops and orchards.....	6		1	
Commercial fertilizer.....	336		320		.....farms.....	380		2	
.....acres on which used.....	30 069		36 070		.....\$1,000.....	8		(Z)	
.....tons.....	3 860		4 942		Weeds or grass in crops.....	18		29	
.....\$1,000.....	556		344		.....acres on which used.....	2 759		2 266	
Lime.....	62		91		.....\$1,000.....	15		7	
.....acres on which used.....	3 701		3 453		Weeds or brush in pasture.....	11		33	
.....tons.....	7 451		7 885		.....acres on which used.....	1 823		2 649	
.....\$1,000.....	39		31		.....\$1,000.....	4		4	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land.....	7		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops.....	5		2		.....acres on which used.....	80		(NA)	
.....acres on which used.....	290		61		.....\$1,000.....	(Z)		(NA)	
.....\$1,000.....	1		(Z)		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops.....	6		16		of crops or thinning of fruit.....	2		3	
.....acres on which used.....	812		1 064		.....acres on which used.....	50		145	
.....\$1,000.....	2		2		.....\$1,000.....	(Z)		1	
Nematodes in crops.....	--		--		Insect control on livestock and poultry.....	51		159	
.....acres on which used.....	--		--		.....\$1,000.....	7		8	
.....\$1,000.....	--		--		Other chemicals (see text).....	35		(NA)	
					.....\$1,000.....	5		(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.....	3		4		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms.....	0.5		0.6		Self-propelled sprinkler systems.....	--		(NA)	
Total land irrigated.....	52		332		.....acres.....	--		(NA)	
Average per farm.....	17.3		83.0		Other sprinkler systems.....	3		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated.....	2		3		.....acres.....	52		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated.....	2		3		Land in irrigated farms.....	754		1 608	
.....acres.....	2		22		.....acres.....	77		502	
Cropland pasture irrigated.....	--		--		Harvested cropland.....	77		422	
.....acres.....	--		--		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated.....	--		(NA)		between 1970 and 1973.....	4		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture.....	1		1		.....acres irrigated in most recent year.....	190		(X)	
.....acres.....	50		300		Farms with artificial drainage.....	3		7	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied.....	26		180		Proportion of farms.....	0.5		1.1	
Average per acre irrigated.....	0.5		0.5		Land in farms with drainage.....	1 450		2 602	
Land irrigated by—					.....acres.....	105		984	
Furrows or ditches.....	--		(NA)		Land drained.....	35.0		140.5	
.....acres.....	--		(NA)		Average per farm.....	35.0		140.5	
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks.....	328		(NA)	
					.....number.....	1 400		(NA)	
					.....acres.....	752		(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).....			234		172		150	
Farms by size of debt owed:			7 176		4 934		2 242	
Under \$5,000.....			40		24		55	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....			38		25		41	
\$10,000 to \$29,999.....			90		76		35	
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....			26		22		8	
\$50,000 and over.....			40		25		11	

**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.....	47	49	89	108	354		208	47	52	142	
25 to 149 days.....	52	259	111	709	81	452	500	354	81	65	
Less than 25 days.....	142		501		65		701	89	111	501	
Total contract labor.....	67	72	(NA)	(NA)	101	43					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor.....	23	(NA)	112	(NA)	34	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker.....							97	29	25	64	
2 workers.....							32	6	15	21	
3 or 4 workers.....							31	9	8	21	
5 to 9 workers.....							27	3	2	23	
10 workers and over.....							21	--	2	13	