

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.....	21	37	20	37			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	67		67				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	85	77	85	77			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	127	165	127	165			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	182	247	182	247			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	226	293	226	291			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	526	630	31	16			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	100	110	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	115	123	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	114	131	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	197	266	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000.....	14 953	10 920	14 181	10 127			
Average per farm..... dollars	12 118	7 536	19 215	12 157			
Crops, including hay farms	416	565	360	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	5 392	3 469	5 339	3 394			
Nursery and greenhouse products farms	6		4	1			
\$1,000.....	89		88	(D)			
Forest products farms	19	7	13	4			
\$1,000.....	11	1	10	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms	1 111	1 289	679	784			
\$1,000.....	9 461	7 450	8 744	6 732			
Poultry and poultry products farms	18	(NA)	10	18			
\$1,000.....	185	(NA)	159	24			
Specified products sold:							
Crops..... farms			360	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			5 339	3 394			
Grains..... farms			273	241			
\$1,000.....			2 475	591			
Tobacco..... farms			—	—			
\$1,000.....			—	—			
Cotton and cottonseed..... farms			47	130			
\$1,000.....			230	228			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms			199	293			
\$1,000.....			1 931	1 225			
Other field crops..... farms			44	116			
\$1,000.....			618	1 083			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms			51	6			
\$1,000.....			5	(D)			
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms			5	83			
\$1,000.....			34	102			
Livestock, poultry, and their products farms			679	784			
\$1,000.....			8 744	6 732			
Poultry and poultry products farms			10	18			
\$1,000.....			159	24			
Dairy products farms			11	30			
\$1,000.....			791	917			
Cattle and calves farms			674	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			7 183	5 296			
Hogs and pigs farms			68	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			536	495			
Sheep, lambs, and wool farms			13				
\$1,000.....			39				
Other livestock and livestock products farms			11				
\$1,000.....			35				

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 sold¹	612	(NA)	260	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources² farms		472
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹ farms	208	(NA)	165	(NA)	\$1,000.....		5 340
Customwork and other agricultural services..... farms	383	(NA)	340	(NA)	related..... farms		97
\$1,000.....	83	101	70	86	\$1,000.....		1 082
Recreational services..... farms	191	178	162	163	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips..... farms		304
\$1,000.....	2	7	2	5	\$1,000.....		3 354
Government farm programs..... farms	3	4	3	4	Interest, dividends, or royalties..... farms		142
\$1,000.....	90	340	70	275	\$1,000.....		510
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments..... farms	38	348	33	304	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc..... farms		86
\$1,000.....	59	(NA)	51	(NA)	\$1,000.....		250
Other farm-related sources..... farms	111	(NA)	103	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property..... farms		48
\$1,000.....	13	(NA)	10	(NA)	\$1,000.....		145
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹ farms	40	(NA)	38	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	70	(NA)	56	(NA)			
	103	(NA)	83	(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 farms	1 226	1 449	738	833	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased farms	436	499	331	363
\$1,000.....	13 673	9 523	12 551	8 669	\$1,000.....	319	197	308	186
Farms with --					Commercial fertilizer purchased farms	513	640	372	471
\$1 to \$999.....	154	319	9	103	\$1,000.....	786	359	743	328
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	213	296	37		Other agricultural chemicals purchased farms	265	(NA)	224	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	152	139	77	82	\$1,000.....	188	77	183	72
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	205	193	141	155	Lime..... farms	(NA)	30	5	23
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	225	245	198	237	\$1,000.....	(NA)	7	1	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	124		124	161	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business farms	1 105	1 384	718	827
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	91		91	66	\$1,000.....	848	604	758	518
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	25	257	25	29	Gasoline..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	631	717
\$60,000 and over.....	37		36		\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	357	264
Livestock and poultry purchased farms	486	705	322	428	Diesel oil..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	333	308
\$1,000.....	3 176	2 436	3 007	2 227	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	203	100
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased farms	1 015	1 160	596	679	LP gas, butane, and propane..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	300	310
\$1,000.....	2 823	1 425	2 353	1 191	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	122	97
Commercially mixed formula feeds..... farms	772	709	510	500	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	717	825
\$1,000.....	1 939	747	1 718	652	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	77	58
Feed ingredients..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	228	169	Hired farm labor farms	340	584	255	425
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	170	139	\$1,000.....	720	770	631	732
Whole grains..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	236	149	Contract labor..... farms	104	616	74	136
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	285	201	\$1,000.....	139	567	126	196
Hay, green chop, and silage..... farms	(NA)	(NA)	126	212	Machine hire and customwork..... farms	387	308	308	425
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	180	198	\$1,000.....	466	445	445	331
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry farms	(NA)	(NA)	408	(NA)	All other production expenses..... farms	1 091	1 182	728	824
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	109	(NA)	\$1,000.....	4 209	3 087	3 888	2 887

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.....farms.....	1 115	1 343	684	808	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled.....farms.....	75	59	68	48
.....\$1,000.....	14 484	8 920	11 430	7 319	.....number.....	80	67	73	51
Average per farm.....dollars.....	12 990	6 642	16 711	9 058	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	24	23	24	21
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines.....farms.....	10	23	10	12
\$1 to \$999.....	20	125	9	369	.....number.....	10	24	10	12
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	306	701	139	185	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	8	-	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	320	234	147	156	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers.....farms.....	24	-	20	12
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	252	175	189	51	.....number.....	25	-	21	12
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	108	-	100	34	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	-	5	5
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	75	108	68	-	Mower conditioners.....farms.....	177	(NA)	146	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	18	-	16	-	.....number.....	186	(NA)	155	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	16	-	16	13	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	62	(NA)	56	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers.....farms.....	297	306	255	280
Automobiles.....farms.....	773	922	478	575	.....number.....	359	372	316	344
.....number.....	940	1 112	601	702	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	130	242	120	230
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	448	670	358	481	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled.....farms.....	155	(NA)	136	155
Motor trucks, including pickups.....farms.....	1 003	1 151	633	713	.....number.....	169	(NA)	147	166
.....number.....	1 545	1 552	1 040	1 047	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	76	(NA)	71	121
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	653	791	460	562	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type.....farms.....	7	(NA)	7	16
Wheel tractors.....farms.....	896	1 071	576	679	.....number.....	9	(NA)	9	17
.....number.....	1 315	1 564	961	1 109	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	(NA)	4	9
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	283	645	257	519					
Crawler tractors.....farms.....	33	-	20	19					
.....number.....	33	-	20	23					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	-	-	10					

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.....	1 119	(X)	664	(X)	1 111	(X)	679	(X)	8 744
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	1 103	(X)	657	(X)	1 107	(X)	678	(X)	7 758
.....1969.....	1 268	(X)	770	(X)	1 274	(X)	779	(X)	7 584
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	1 095	80 527	653	69 061	1 093	40 114	674	35 992	7 183
.....1969.....	1 255	68 019	762	58 334	1 265	43 258	775	38 128	5 296
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	27	71	12	30	99	239	20	57	13
5 to 9.....1974.....	56	392	8	52	168	1 141	24	169	29
10 to 19.....1974.....	166	2 397	39	584	284	4 080	113	1 750	299
20 to 49.....1974.....	359	11 074	151	4 896	330	10 371	306	9 804	1 588
50 to 99.....1974.....	246	16 857	203	14 158	142	9 611	141	9 540	2 000
100 to 199.....1974.....	153	20 987	153	20 987	46	5 915	46	5 915	1 058
200 to 499.....1974.....	78	21 972	77	21 577	19	4 852	19	4 852	1 103
500 and over.....1974.....	10	6 777	10	6 777	5	3 905	5	3 905	1 093
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	921	41 137	574	35 208	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	1 065	36 045	681	31 301	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	893	39 837	561	34 086	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	33 965	655	29 413	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	98	1 300	52	1 122	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	166	2 080	108	1 888	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	791
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	30	(X)	917
Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974—Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Farms		Number		Dollars (1,000)	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)	
Beef cows.....	893	39 837	561	34 086	Cattle sold.....	508	21 753	5 328	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	40	102	17	47	1 to 4.....	38	100	22	
5 to 9.....	85	592	19	129	5 to 9.....	58	380	77	
10 to 19.....	195	2 735	62	874	10 to 19.....	125	1 717	354	
20 to 49.....	306	9 387	205	6 554	20 to 49.....	183	5 508	1 111	
50 to 99.....	174	11 616	165	11 077	50 to 99.....	62	4 421	1 252	
100 to 199.....	70	9 030	70	9 030	100 to 199.....	26	3 239	720	
200 to 499.....	22	(D)	22	(D)	200 to 499.....	12	3 082	889	
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....	4	3 306	903	
Milk cows.....	98	1 300	52	1 122	Calves sold.....	442	14 239	1 855	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	68	87	31	38	1 or 2.....	12	17	2	
3 or 4.....	10	34	8	27	3 or 4.....	15	50	6	
5 to 9.....	8	47	3	18	5 to 9.....	49	359	49	
10 to 19.....	2	22	1	12	10 to 19.....	104	1 519	204	
20 to 49.....	5	192	5	192	20 to 49.....	182	5 511	690	
50 to 99.....	3	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	64	4 101	540	
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....	10	1 307	145	
200 to 499.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499.....	6	1 375	218	
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	74	19 081	3	(D)	Turkeys	2	17	1	1 800
1969	108	6 940	10	11 064	1969	4	22	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	73	19 024	3	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	1	5	1	1 800
Hens for hatching egg production	4	57	-	-	Heavy breed	-	-	-	-
1974	-	-	-	-	Light breed	1	5	1	1 800
Pullets 3 months old or older	5	350	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	2	12	-	-
1969	4	73	-	-	1969	4	18	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	27	129	-	-	1974	4	(X)	2	(X)
1974	1	25	-	-	1969	13	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	25	-	-					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Farms		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	19	81	994	2 968	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes	143	142	7 043	6 594	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	80	42	4 184	1 630			99	635	38	349
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	40	51	1 322	1 412			2 522	279	3	217 625
Wheat (bushels)	254	218	19 423	7 071			373	866		177 460
Other small grains for grain	116	130	3 600	3 146	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)	51	165	1 964	3 166			1	273		2 461
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-						
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	14	(NA)	5	(NA)			394		(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1	(NA)	1	(NA)			75		(NA)	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	530	575	30 678	31 638			76	625		81 243
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	10	8	159	68	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards	52	172	1 261	2 790	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale	1	2	(Z)	(Z)						
Other crops	29	(NA)	1 220	7 985	(X)	(X)				

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land		Acres	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	10	63	227	2 242	11 091	83 241	-	3	-	138
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	8	7	764	574	8 178	5 307	-	2	-	89
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1	-	1	-	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	111	118	5 306	5 318	266 698	223 988	16	24	700	906
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	30	(NA)	1 514	914	(X)	(X)	2	(NA)	80	45
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	254	366	15 826	23 972	49 422	69 950	22	22	1 381	1 326

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		Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
	1974	1969				Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	358	74 686	(X)	3	117	61	4 110	56	323	6	44
1969	397	62 048	(X)	5	83	110	5 877	108	710	2	17
Improved pasture	215	49 486	(X)	2	60	58	5 749	57	446	2	4
1969	274	60 880	(X)	7	452	103	11 036	103	1 255	-	-
Corn for all purposes	17	992	(X)	-	-	10	745	10	58	-	-
1969	69	2 816	(X)	5	227	34	1 762	29	178	11	28
Sorghums for all purposes	125	6 820	(X)	17	780	69	4 194	66	448	9	58
1969	129	6 232	(X)	24	951	63	3 075	58	341	8	36
Wheat (bushels)	240	19 103	367 676	4	361	133	12 873	118	1 074	17	862
1969	183	6 367	161 650	4	36	79	2 389	(NA)	253	(NA)	4
Oats (bushels)	83	2 464	101 521	-	-	32	968	32	84	-	-
1969	79	1 712	66 311	1	60	40	1 052	(NA)	101	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels)	12	484	15 843	-	-	11	424	11	53	8	13
1969	10	282	8 544	-	-	4	85	(NA)	5	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels)	8	251	4 584	-	-	4	131	4	18	-	-
1969	18	650	23 407	-	-	14	590	(NA)	48	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	5	117	(X)	-	-	1	8	1	(Z)	-	-
1974	80	4 184	99 635	7	415	18	901	18	82	3	9
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	40	1 570	37 749	2	117	16	607	(NA)	54	(NA)	-
1969	37	1 302	2 503 124	15	781	24	963	23	125	1	2
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	41	1 322	3 142 961	24	862	31	1 111	(NA)	232	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	428	28 705	73 596	24	1 921	108	7 806	108	864	-	-
1969	454	29 290	77 365	31	1 620	107	6 016	107	729	2	14
Field seed crops	20	783	(X)	1	10	3	130	3	15	-	-
1969	59	2 310	(X)	-	-	7	176	7	36	-	-
Cotton (bales)	47	1 932	1 247	4	215	18	788	18	90	-	-
1969	131	2 881	2 342	15	395	39	810	(NA)	91	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	8	4	294	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
1969	10	1	106	-	-	2	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	6	151	(X)	2	(D)	3	121	3	20	-	-
1969	6	67	(X)	2	1	3	22	3	8	-	-
1974	41	1 211	(X)	-	-	6	219	6	23	-	-
1969	130	2 521	(X)	3	114	25	589	24	66	1	4

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	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	1	(Z)	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	4	5	(X)	1	(Z)	2	3	2	1	-
	1969	1	200	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974	5	406	(X)	-	-	1	1	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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	farms	442	522	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	
	\$1,000	926	400	Diseases in crops and orchards	farms
Commercial fertilizer	farms	372	361	acres on which used	8
	acres on which used	40 154	37 190	\$1,000	269
	tons	4 718	4 374	acres on which used	1
	\$1,000	743	328	Weeds or grass in crops	farms
Lime	farms	5	23	acres on which used	47
	acres on which used	88	774	\$1,000	7 538
	tons	175	1 514	acres on which used	48
	\$1,000	1	6	Weeds or brush in pasture	farms
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	farms	129	34	acres on which used	37
Insects on hay crops	acres on which used	10 473	2 476	\$1,000	6 035
	\$1,000	63	6	acres on which used	15
	farms	30	41	Weeds on all other land	farms
	acres on which used	3 778	2 523	acres on which used	4
	\$1,000	28	18	\$1,000	120
Nematodes in crops	farms	1	1	acres on which used	(Z)
	acres on which used	-	41	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	farms
	\$1,000	-	1	of crops or thinning of fruit	acres on which used
				\$1,000	2
				acres on which used	65
				\$1,000	1
				Insect control on livestock and poultry	farms
				\$1,000	56
				acres on which used	15
				\$1,000	11
				Other chemicals (see text)	farms
				\$1,000	47
					(NA)
					(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 irrigated in census year	farms	44	54	Land irrigated by—Continued	
Proportion of farms	percent	6.0	6.4	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	farms
Total land irrigated	acres	4 681	4 890	acres	4
Average per farm	acres	106.4	90.5	Other sprinkler systems	farms
Cropland irrigated	farms	43	50	acres	350
Harvested cropland irrigated	farms	4 621	4 438	acres	20
acres	acres	4 42	49	Land in irrigated farms	farms
Cropland pasture irrigated	farms	4 504	4 351	Cropland	acres
acres	acres	3	5	Harvested cropland	acres
Other cropland irrigated	farms	117	83	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	farms
acres	acres	-	4	acres irrigated in most recent year	10
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	farms	2	7	Farms with artificial drainage	farms
acres	acres	60	452	Proportion of farms	percent
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	acre-feet	5 444	6 400	Land in farms with drainage	acres
Average per acre irrigated	acre-feet	1.2	1.3	Land drained	acres
Land irrigated by—				Average per farm	acres
Furrows or ditches	farms	11	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	farms
acres	acres	789	(NA)	number	383
				acres	2 216
					2 712

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

	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	farms	273	206	159
	\$1,000	11 046	7 263	3 783
Farms by size of debt owed:				
Under \$5,000		50	31	56
\$5,000 to \$9,999		28	28	22
\$10,000 to \$29,999		85	64	45
\$30,000 to \$49,999		35	31	18
\$50,000 and over		75	52	18

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)		Total	1974 hired farm workers working—		
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—							255	67	70	162
150 days or more	67	80	103	126	378		631	378	157	96
25 to 149 days	70	393	193	2 648	157		1 080	103	193	784
Less than 25 days	162		784		96					
Total contract labor	74	136	(NA)	(NA)	126					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	25	(NA)	158	(NA)	45	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	112		50		22					78
2 workers	40		9		25					18
3 or 4 workers	41		5		14					21
5 to 9 workers	38		3		7					27
10 workers and over	24		-		2					18