

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	2	6	2	6	Specified products sold:		
\$40,000 to \$99,999	15	15	15	15	Crops	197	(NA)
\$20,000 to \$39,999	42	18	42	18	farms	1 966	639
\$10,000 to \$19,999	73	58	73	58	\$1,000	146	128
\$5,000 to \$9,999	123	171	123	171	\$1,000	1 123	203
\$2,500 to \$4,999	163	220	163	220	Tobacco	—	—
Under \$2,500 (see text)	363	426	22	11	farms	6	51
\$2,000 to \$2,499	73	50	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	29	65
\$1,500 to \$1,999	55	75	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	53	69
\$1,000 to \$1,499	104	69	(X)	(X)	farms	209	83
Under \$1,000 (see text)	131	232	(X)	(X)	\$1,000	39	54
					Other field crops	477	134
					farms	18	28
					\$1,000	117	129
					Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	4	19
					farms	10	24
					\$1,000		
Market value of agricultural products sold					Livestock, poultry, and their products	415	469
\$1,000	5 334	4 099	4 916	3 685	farms	2 941	3 043
Average per farm dollars	6 829	4 559	11 172	7 612	\$1,000	13	22
					farms	5	9
					Dairy products	14	12
					farms	320	173
					\$1,000	407	(NA)
					Cattle and calves	2 497	2 657
					farms	43	(NA)
					\$1,000	89	205
					Hogs and pigs	6	
					farms	11	
					\$1,000		
					Sheep, lambs, and wool		
					farms		
					\$1,000		
					Other livestock and livestock products	14	
					farms	19	
					\$1,000		

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							
	413	(NA)	162	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources	318	
					farms	2 609	
					\$1,000		
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹					Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	72	
farms	132	(NA)	91	(NA)	farms	426	
\$1,000	137	(NA)	109	(NA)	\$1,000		
Customwork and other agricultural services	41	62	31	42	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	203	
farms	73	88	68	75	farms	1 735	
\$1,000					\$1,000		
Recreational services	—	5	—	—	Interest, dividends, or royalties	85	
farms	—	7	—	6	farms	197	
\$1,000					\$1,000		
Government farm programs	64	322	49	213	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	88	
farms	24	332	21	271	farms	196	
\$1,000					\$1,000		
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	40	(NA)	18	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	20	
farms	32	(NA)	14	(NA)	farms	55	
\$1,000					\$1,000		
Other farm-related sources	5	(NA)	3	(NA)			
farms	8	(NA)	7	(NA)			
\$1,000							
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	46	(NA)	33	(NA)			
farms	55	(NA)	50	(NA)			
\$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									
farms	780	899	440	484	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	276	328	204	228
\$1,000	5 201	3 819	4 550	3 290	farms	124	85	115	73
Farms with --					\$1,000	379	446	268	319
\$1 to \$999	115	224	8	76	Commercial fertilizer purchased	427	213	389	192
\$1,000 to \$1,999	115	183			farms				
\$2,000 to \$2,999	125	151	57	92	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	136	(NA)	110	(NA)
\$3,000 to \$4,999	135	133	86	116	farms	69	40	66	35
\$5,000 to \$9,999	155	120	140	112	\$1,000	(NA)	47	37	38
\$10,000 to \$19,999	94	70	94	70	Lime	(NA)	10	14	9
\$20,000 to \$39,999	26	88	26	14	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	744	859	437	480
\$40,000 to \$59,999	10		10		farms	356	282	307	218
\$60,000 and over	5		5	4	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	368	422
Livestock and poultry purchased	295	374	169	249	farms	(NA)	(NA)	172	134
farms	832	830	739	758	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	202	117
\$1,000					farms	(NA)	(NA)	67	25
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	680	781	383	442	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	143	183
farms	1 313	886	1 041	719	farms	(NA)	(NA)	35	35
\$1,000					\$1,000				
Commercially mixed formula feeds	487	504	290	322	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	437	480
farms	731	451	592	382	farms	(NA)	(NA)	33	23
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	193	203	Hired farm labor	190	345	131	247
farms	(NA)	(NA)	232	142	farms	214	196	200	174
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	135	122	Contract labor	56	343	44	44
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	84	70	farms	52	167	49	21
farms	(NA)	(NA)	110	192	\$1,000	241	173	173	215
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	134	126	Machine hire and customwork	191	167	125	123
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	245	(NA)	farms	694	717	432	478
farms	(NA)	(NA)	54	(NA)	\$1,000	1 624	1 120	1 421	977
\$1,000					All other production expenses				

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.....	732	839	421	471					
..... \$1,000.....	7 709	3 979	5 561	2 983					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	10 532	4 742	13 208	6 332					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	13	116	4	292					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	216	480	104						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	223	141	93	100					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	188	73	135	50					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	50		45	14					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	31		30	10					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	6	29	5						
\$70,000 and over.....	5		5	5					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	492	460	288	273					
..... number.....	602	553	357	332					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	275	305	195	207					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	644	695	374	430					
..... number.....	923	872	571	583					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	429	527	274	351					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	593	631	356	384					
..... number.....	796	840	529	556					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	175	280	138	211					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	20		16	18					
..... number.....	20		16	19					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4		4	11					
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	50	53	46	45					
..... number.....	52	53	48	45					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	13	27	13	26					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	4	27	4	3					
..... number.....	4	28	4	3					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	5	2	1					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	25		22	21					
..... number.....	26		23	21					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4		4	4					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	90	(NA)	59	(NA)					
..... number.....	97	(NA)	64	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	42	(NA)	24	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	116	115	95	95					
..... number.....	123	120	100	100					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	51	69	41	58					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	45	(NA)	42	27					
..... number.....	48	(NA)	45	29					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	24	(NA)	23	17					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	12	(NA)	11	2					
..... number.....	13	(NA)	12	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	(NA)	5	2					

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.....	713	(X)	409	(X)	718	(X)	415	(X)	2 941
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	703	(X)	404	(X)	715	(X)	413	(X)	2 597
..... 1969.....	778	(X)	452	(X)	767	(X)	465	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	697	43 220	399	34 721	707	18 903	407	15 883	2 497
..... 1969.....	770	39 017	450	32 202	762	23 168	464	20 212	2 657
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	6	15	1	3	70	195	9	21	4
5 to 9..... 1974.....	22	161	1	6	113	783	17	125	18
10 to 19..... 1974.....	100	1 405	13	202	198	2 769	82	1 213	185
20 to 49..... 1974.....	278	9 294	133	4 677	243	7 385	216	6 753	991
50 to 99..... 1974.....	191	12 788	151	10 276	59	3 876	59	3 876	572
100 to 199..... 1974.....	70	9 478	70	9 478	18	2 341	18	2 341	397
200 to 499..... 1974.....	27	7 762	27	7 762	6	1 554	6	1 554	331
500 and over..... 1974.....	3	2 317	3	2 317	—	—	—	—	—
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	602	25 219	367	20 375	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	669	22 163	406	18 573	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	586	24 651	358	19 875	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	21 592	398	18 107	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	86	568	52	500	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	142	571	80	466	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)	320
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	173
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.....	586	24 651	358	19 875	Cattle sold..... 285 6 610 1 395				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	6	19	4	13	1 to 4..... 45 109 25				
5 to 9.....	42	295	3	22	5 to 9..... 59 408 79				
10 to 19.....	114	1 656	32	486	10 to 19..... 75 996 190				
20 to 49.....	269	8 482	175	5 731	20 to 49..... 80 2 357 494				
50 to 99.....	120	7 795	109	7 219	50 to 99..... 16 1 023 191				
100 to 199.....	28	3 597	28	3 597	100 to 199..... 7 215 215				
200 to 499.....	5	(D)	5	(D)	200 to 499..... 3 716 201				
500 and over.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 and over..... — — —				
Milk cows.....	86	568	52	500	Calves sold..... 337 9 273 1 102				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	65	85	38	52	1 or 2..... 9 12 1				
3 or 4.....	9	29	5	17	3 or 4..... 10 38 4				
5 to 9.....	6	39	3	16	5 to 9..... 34 238 26				
10 to 19.....	2	20	2	20	10 to 19..... 81 1 145 133				
20 to 49.....	2	60	2	60	20 to 49..... 166 5 048 591				
50 to 99.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	50 to 99..... 31 1 977 255				
100 to 199.....	—	—	—	—	100 to 199..... 6 815 92				
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	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.....	280	7 032	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	28	782	197
1969.....	362	6 989	1969.....	3	16	(NA)
Beef heifers	275	6 722	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	14	310	1 to 9	7	28	11
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	325	7 314	10 to 19	6	81	16
1969.....	418	6 640	20 to 49	11	290	53
			50 to 99	1	50	12
			100 to 199	3	333	105
			200 to 499	—	—	—
			500 and over	—	—	—

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	77	1 204	49	992	64	2 681	43	2 406	89
1969.....	124	2 412	83	2 122	97	5 160	74	4 872	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	33	83	19	47	15	28	8	14	1
5 to 9	11	73	7	47	8	57	5	37	2
10 to 24	22	322	12	172	10	144	3	41	3
25 to 49	4	147	4	147	14	455	11	373	24
50 to 99	5	333	5	333	6	349	5	293	13
100 to 199	2	246	2	246	7	777	7	777	33
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	4	871	4	871	12
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	28	1 572	14	1 371	20
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	38	2 314	26	2 121	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	8	821	6	725	8	574	6	542	(NA)
1969.....	9	350	5	338	6	369	6	369	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	397	2 358
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	(X)	11
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	1	(D)	6
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	6	7	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	178	567	101	416	24	51	14	39	13
1969.....	275	1 166	(NA)	(NA)	41	177	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Inventory			
	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	29	180	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
1969.....	57	483	December 1 of preceding year and November 30	52	369	34	328
Other hogs and pigs	42	812	1969.....	88	751	64	691
1969.....	73	1 639	December 1 of preceding year and May 31	45	162	30	134
Lambs under 1 year old	6	324	1969.....	80	410	58	376
Ewes 1 year old or older	6	389	1974.....	32	207	25	194
Rams and wethers	6	12	1969.....	71	341	52	315

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	134	(X)	65	(X)	13	(X)	4	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	114	(X)	(NA)	(X)	13	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	130	4 057	64	2 257	12	654	4	320
1969.....	220	7 646	114	4 808	17	1 125	10	428
Hens and pullets of laying age	127	3 826	63	2 056	12	654	4	320
1969.....	203	6 688	105	4 205	17	1 125	10	428
Farms with—								
1 to 99	120	2 701	58	1 331	8	186	2	88
100 to 399	7	1 125	5	725	4	468	2	232
400 to 1,599	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	8	187	3	106	1	12	—	—
1969.....	3	23	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	24	8	13	5
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	22	9

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	63	2 056	4	320	Turkeys	1974	3	32	—	—
	1969	105	4 205	10	428		1969	1	2	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	63	2 020	4	320	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	26	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	36	—	—	Heavy breed	1974	2	8	—	—
						Light breed	1974	2	18	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	130	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	1	6	—	—
	1969	6	410	—	—		1969	1	2	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	20	71	—	—	Other poultry	1974	5	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	2	160	—	—		1969	7	(X)	3	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	48	84	630	1 157	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	118	135	4 362	5 375	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	127	110	6 760	5 278	141 732	56 455
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	37	71	1 183	1 134	2 100 607	1 175 674
Wheat (bushels)	36	25	1 310	721	27 263	14 868
Other small grains for grain	33	35	741	862	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	8	80	337	2 091	153	874
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	11	(NA)	82	(NA)	14 943	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	11	(NA)	13	(NA)	2 382	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	324	314	16 530	12 335	25 670	19 204
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	24	33	464	1 046	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	17	32	568	502	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	5	(2)	8	(X)	(X)
Other crops	9	(NA)	174	288	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	37	47	511	629	16 389	18 052	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	2	—	30	—	250	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	2	—	12	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	81	80	3 457	3 910	98 477	95 825	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	27	(NA)	548	595	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	13	22	487	767	901	1 704	—	—	—	—

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	225	39 177	(X)	—	—	74	4 798	69	725	5	41
	1969	240	29 490	(X)	—	—	60	3 227	60	524	—	—
Improved pasture	1974	132	19 985	(X)	—	—	44	3 921	37	333	8	75
	1969	193	35 753	(X)	—	—	78	6 603	78	920	1	10
Corn for all purposes	1974	39	541	(X)	—	—	32	438	29	46	3	34
	1969	49	641	(X)	—	—	36	477	36	74	—	—
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	96	4 005	(X)	—	—	62	2 792	62	320	—	—
	1969	102	4 505	(X)	—	—	86	3 932	86	419	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	1974	35	1 293	27 003	—	—	17	806	17	88	1	6
	1969	22	665	14 203	—	—	19	535	(NA)	55	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels)	1974	31	678	21 797	—	—	18	458	17	39	2	19
	1969	25	626	25 708	—	—	21	482	(NA)	46	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	1974	8	58	394	—	—	1	15	1	2	—	—
	1969	6	147	1 830	—	—	5	117	(NA)	11	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	120	6 682	140 837	2	47	45	2 231	44	229	1	15
	1969	78	4 665	49 382	1	10	21	1 531	(NA)	135	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	36	1 167	2 086 893	2	31	21	745	17	88	4	40
	1969	53	1 008	1 078 458	1	22	29	495	(NA)	71	(NA)	3
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	224	14 299	22 358	—	—	67	3 281	58	364	10	90
	1969	224	10 432	16 466	—	—	52	2 029	52	248	—	—
Field seed crops	1974	5	135	(X)	—	—	4	131	3	14	1	3
	1969	3	55	(X)	—	—	3	55	3	6	—	—
Cotton (bales)	1974	6	323	149	—	—	6	323	6	23	—	—
	1969	56	1 906	791	1	3	34	1 410	(NA)	105	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	8	81	14 833	—	—	3	80	3	46	—	—
	1969	11	4	309	—	—	8	4	(NA)	3	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	18	434	(X)	—	—	8	166	8	21	—	—
	1969	28	1 017	(X)	—	—	24	773	24	82	—	—
Land in orchards	1974	6	541	(X)	—	—	1	5	1	(2)	—	—
	1969	25	483	(X)	—	—	5	167	5	73	—	—

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	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	3	7	(X)	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1	10	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	4	23	(X)	—	—	4	23	4	5	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	285	346	455	227	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
1,000 farms	268	255	268	255	Diseases in crops and orchards	5	3	148	46
Commercial fertilizer	20 318	21 893	20 318	21 893	acres on which used	3	1	3	1
acres on which used	2 674	2 794	2 674	2 794	Weeds or grass in crops	41	40	3 151	1 775
tons	389	192	389	192	acres on which used	15	7	15	7
1,000 farms	37	38	37	38	Weeds or brush in pasture	21	17	21	17
acres on which used	1 615	1 677	1 615	1 677	acres on which used	2 709	1 412	2 709	1 412
tons	3 196	2 682	3 196	2 682	1,000 farms	9	2	9	2
1,000 farms	14	9	14	9	Weeds on all other land	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	54	(NA)	54	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	3	1	3	1	1,000 farms	(2)	(NA)	(2)	(NA)
acres on which used	420	53	420	53	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
1,000 farms	1	(2)	1	(2)	of crops or thinning of fruit	2	10	2	10
Insects on other crops	11	21	11	21	acres on which used	67	272	67	272
acres on which used	456	1 154	456	1 154	1,000 farms	(2)	1	(2)	1
1,000 farms	3	4	3	4	Insect control on livestock and poultry	35	133	35	133
Nematodes in crops	—	5	—	5	1,000 farms	5	9	5	9
acres on which used	—	330	—	330	Other chemicals (see text)	23	(NA)	23	(NA)
1,000 farms	—	1	—	1	1,000 farms	15	(NA)	15	(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	3	4	Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	(NA)
Proportion of farms	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Total land irrigated	78	37	78	37	Other sprinkler systems	2	(NA)	2	(NA)
Average per farm	26.0	9.2	26.0	9.2	acres	46	(NA)	46	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	3	4	3	4	Land in irrigated farms	1 186	621	1 186	621
Harvested cropland irrigated	78	37	78	37	Cropland	529	311	529	311
acres	3	4	3	4	Harvested cropland	329	185	329	185
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	(X)	—	(X)
acres	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	—	(X)	—	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	—	(X)	—	(X)
acres	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	Farms with artificial drainage	6	17	6	17
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	167	32	167	32	Proportion of farms	1.4	3.5	1.4	3.5
Average per acre irrigated	2.1	0.9	2.1	0.9	Land in farms with drainage	1 345	7 711	1 345	7 711
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	acres	493	2 893	493	2 893
Furrows or ditches	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	Average per farm	82.2	170.1	82.2	170.1
acres	32	(NA)	32	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	farms	270	(NA)	270	(NA)
	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	number	1 389	(NA)	1 389	(NA)
	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	acres	1 317	(NA)	1 317	(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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	160	103	101	101	101	101
1,000 farms	4 246	2 800	1 446	1 446	1 446	1 446	1 446
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	30	16	33	33	33	33
Under \$5,000	—	34	20	22	22	22	22
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	61	40	35	35	35	35
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	11	10	5	5	5	5
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	24	17	6	6	6	6
\$50,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	131	17	20	105
150 days or more	17	23	25	28	95	174	Cash wages paid—\$1,000	200	95	47	58
25 to 149 days	20	239	72	747	47	174	Number of workers	538	25	72	441
Less than 25 days	105	—	441	—	58	—	Farms with—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor	44	44	(NA)	(NA)	49	21	1 worker	58	9	7	49
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	41	(NA)	22	(NA)	2 workers	21	8	6	13
	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 or 4 workers	24	—	3	22
	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 to 9 workers	11	—	3	5
	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 workers and over	17	—	1	16