

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	223	256	223	256			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	267		267				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	207	275	207	275			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	202	258	201	258			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	159	204	159	204			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	90	154	90	150			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	169	210	12	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	36	37	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	27	40	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	39	41	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	67	92	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000...	101 079	43 105	100 866	42 786			
Average per farm dollars	76 749	31 764	87 028	37 204			
Crops, including hay	869	935	816	(NA)			
\$1,000...	59 057	23 040	58 972	22 233			
Nursery and greenhouse products	15		15	18			
\$1,000...	2 030		2 030	633			
Forest products	2	5	2	3			
\$1,000...	13	1	13	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products	938	991	828	872			
\$1,000...	39 978	20 064	39 850	19 918			
Poultry and poultry products	27	(NA)	20	25			
\$1,000...	8	(NA)	7	9			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
...farms					816	(NA)	
\$1,000...					58 972	22 233	
...farms					551	552	
\$1,000...					7 419	1 562	
Tobacco							
...farms							
\$1,000...							
Cotton and cottonseed							
...farms							
\$1,000...							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
...farms					552	538	
\$1,000...					9 688	3 314	
Other field crops							
...farms					311	340	
\$1,000...					28 488	13 213	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
...farms					221	260	
\$1,000...					13 228	4 059	
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
...farms					12	15	
\$1,000...					150	87	
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
...farms					828	872	
\$1,000...					39 850	19 918	
Poultry and poultry products							
...farms					20	25	
\$1,000...					7	9	
Dairy products							
...farms					226	314	
\$1,000...					4 607	2 962	
Cattle and calves							
...farms					795	(NA)	
\$1,000...					34 170	16 361	
Hogs and pigs							
...farms					48	(NA)	
\$1,000...					172	586	
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
...farms					57		
\$1,000...					483		
Other livestock and livestock products							
...farms					63		
\$1,000...					412		

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 sold¹	266	(NA)	157	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹	393	(NA)	367	(NA)			
\$1,000...	2 212	(NA)	2 159	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services	161	244	154	234			
\$1,000...	986	864	982	801			
Recreational services	20	16	20	14			
\$1,000...	6	11	6	11			
Government farm programs	163	471	162	443			
\$1,000...	432	1 006	431	988			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	119	(NA)	100	(NA)			
\$1,000...	571	(NA)	522	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources	42	(NA)	42	(NA)			
\$1,000...	218	(NA)	218	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹	142	(NA)	133	(NA)			
\$1,000...	590	(NA)	555	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources							
...farms					599		
\$1,000...					4 596		
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related							
...farms					95		
\$1,000...					1 054		
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips							
...farms					349		
\$1,000...					2 575		
Interest, dividends, or royalties							
...farms					250		
\$1,000...					520		
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.							
...farms					124		
\$1,000...					350		
Rent income of nonfarm property							
...farms					47		
\$1,000...					96		

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	1 317	1 357	1 159	1 150					
\$1,000...	78 732	36 851	78 441	36 417					
Farms with —									
\$1 to \$999	59	92	2	27					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	61	82	21						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	68	95	41	73					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	90	162	65	134					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	197	245	188	237					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	247		247	283					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	226		226	193					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	103	681	103						
\$60,000 and over	266		266	203					
Livestock and poultry purchased	480	542	412	474					
\$1,000...	14 690	5 083	14 618	5 033					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	790	865	703	752					
\$1,000...	12 516	2 852	12 444	2 813					
Commercially mixed formula feeds	537	528	497	488					
\$1,000...	2 931	920	2 905	912					
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	122	158					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	1 214	198					
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	368	301					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	5 734	869					
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	191	246					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	2 592	833					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	617	(NA)					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	472	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	777	822	748	771					
\$1,000...	2 889	1 478	2 886	1 467					
Commercial fertilizer purchased	861	866	824	817					
\$1,000...	7 007	2 975	6 994	2 952					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased	648	(NA)	630	(NA)					
\$1,000...	1 827	997	1 825	991					
Lime	(NA)	7	17	7					
\$1,000...	(NA)	2	23	2					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	1 287	1 344	1 144	1 149					
\$1,000...	3 125	1 784	3 097	1 738					
Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	1 116	1 139					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	1 807	1 115					
Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	749	665					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	982	424					
LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	199	249					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	60	46					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	1 137	1 147					
\$1,000...	(NA)	(NA)	248	154					
Hired farm labor	573	820	552	766					
\$1,000...	6 816	4 644	6 812	4 623					
Contract labor	195	987	189	241					
\$1,000...	1 204	2 770	1 203	1 068					
Machine hire and customwork	782		735	845					
\$1,000...	2 021		2 010	1 677					
All other production expenses	1 278	1 313	1 155	1 148					
\$1,000...	26 637	14 268	26 080	14 054					

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.....	1 244	1 326	1 105	1 137					
..... \$1,000..... dollars.....	44 889	24 941	43 589	23 999					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	36 084	18 808	39 447	21 107					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	6	19	5	313					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	131	441	92						
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	181	262	129	241					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	263	252	232	243					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	200		189	134					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	223		218	116					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	97	352	97						
\$70,000 and over.....	143		143	90					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	1 034	1 128	932	977					
..... number.....	1 583	1 494	1 454	1 294					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	966	860	909	775					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	1 152	1 203	1 038	1 058					
..... number.....	3 463	3 006	3 302	2 815					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1 193	1 129	1 136	1 058					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	1 144	1 198	1 034	1 056					
..... number.....	3 430	3 446	3 267	2 998					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	808	950	780	859					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	178		177	181					
..... number.....	213		212	233					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	10		10	44					
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	218	199	217	191					
..... number.....	241	236	240	222					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	50	55	50	51					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	18	87	18	22					
..... number.....	19	96	19	23					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	7	24	7	12					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	48		47	69					
..... number.....	48		47	71					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1		1	12					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	134	(NA)	125	(NA)					
..... number.....	142	(NA)	133	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	42	(NA)	42	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	485	517	455	483					
..... number.....	504	534	474	499					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	166	214	165	210					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	363	(NA)	353	268					
..... number.....	387	(NA)	377	284					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	153	(NA)	151	141					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	184	(NA)	182	184					
..... number.....	200	(NA)	198	200					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	76	(NA)	76	81					

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.....	938	(X)	818	(X)	938	(X)	828	(X) 39 850
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	917	(X)	804	(X)	924	(X)	817	(X) 34 825
..... 1969.....	960	(X)	837	(X)	975	(X)	861	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	902	209 363	792	207 198	899	119 087	795	118 458 34 170
..... 1969.....	926	162 565	813	160 527	930	95 183	833	94 387 16 361
Farms with—								
1 to 4..... 1974.....	35	92	25	66	119	295	70	172 42
5 to 9..... 1974.....	22	154	14	100	114	789	79	548 126
10 to 19..... 1974.....	111	1 569	65	946	152	2 060	134	1 837 439
20 to 49..... 1974.....	226	7 420	186	6 312	210	6 472	208	6 430 1 387
50 to 99..... 1974.....	179	12 510	173	12 156	127	8 706	127	8 706 1 915
100 to 199..... 1974.....	124	16 671	124	16 671	71	9 895	71	9 895 2 307
200 to 499..... 1974.....	100	29 088	100	29 088	68	20 088	68	20 088 4 409
500 and over..... 1974.....	105	141 859	105	141 859	38	70 782	38	70 782 23 545
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	817	98 692	726	97 807	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	822	75 270	737	74 443	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	633	91 559	556	90 763	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	67 414	525	66 694	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	367	7 133	329	7 044	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
..... 1969.....	435	7 856	397	7 749	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	226	(X) 4 607
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	314	(X) 2 962
Inventory, 1974								
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Dollars (1,000)
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows.....	633	91 559	556	90 763	Cattle sold.....	733	101 077	31 947
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....	63	146	45	104	1 to 4.....	90	207	56
5 to 9.....	56	387	36	247	5 to 9.....	95	664	177
10 to 19.....	96	1 208	65	828	10 to 19.....	129	1 783	472
20 to 49.....	141	4 400	134	4 249	20 to 49.....	177	5 443	1 345
50 to 99.....	88	6 149	87	6 066	50 to 99.....	94	6 153	1 484
100 to 199.....	71	9 845	71	9 845	100 to 199.....	68	9 161	2 308
200 to 499.....	61	18 394	61	18 394	200 to 499.....	53	16 063	3 959
500 and over.....	57	51 030	57	51 030	500 and over.....	27	61 603	22 145
Milk cows.....								
367		7 133		329		7 044		Calves sold.....
Farms with—								
1 or 2.....	118	158	91	122	1 or 2.....	33	54	7
3 or 4.....	19	62	13	42	3 or 4.....	37	129	14
5 to 9.....	30	192	25	159	5 to 9.....	68	472	54
10 to 19.....	61	857	61	857	10 to 19.....	63	892	106
20 to 49.....	105	3 258	105	3 258	20 to 49.....	67	2 012	288
50 to 99.....	28	1 798	28	1 798	50 to 99.....	22	1 502	175
100 to 199.....	6	808	6	808	100 to 199.....	19	2 516	364
200 to 499.....	—	—	—	—	200 to 499.....	17	4 292	563
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	6	5 512	651

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	651	43 550	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	108	49 518	19 878
1969	731	44 338	1969	79	11 635	(NA)
Beef heifers	517	39 817	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	196	3 733	1 to 9	30	138	41
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	687	65 841	10 to 19	22	287	89
1969	757	41 746	20 to 49	17	469	150
			50 to 99	16	1 100	336
			100 to 199	12	1 667	600
			200 to 499	5	1 322	508
			500 and over	6	44 535	18 155

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	85	1 832	72	1 727	56	3 039	48	2 958	172
1969	96	3 824	76	3 462	86	5 597	70	5 310	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	38	97	31	75	11	25	8	20	1
5 to 9	10	60	7	41	5	32	3	20	1
10 to 24	15	262	12	198	15	225	12	161	7
25 to 49	12	369	12	369	8	275	8	275	19
50 to 99	5	379	5	379	4	283	4	283	20
100 to 199	5	665	5	665	8	1 051	8	1 051	47
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	5	1 148	5	1 148	77
500 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	15	663	15	663	8
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	26	1 327	18	1 162	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	78	13 343	63	12 946	69	11 171	56	10 976	(NA)
1969	80	4 613	69	4 449	77	4 617	69	4 520	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	55	10 264	1107 206
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	57	(X)	483
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	3	22	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	319	2 135	273	1 999	57	187	53	176	37
1969	429	2 633	(NA)	(NA)	60	343	(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	33	245				
1969	49	604				
Other hogs and pigs	67	1 482				
1969	62	2 858				
Lambs under 1 year old	54	1 650				
Ewes 1 year old or older	61	10 756				
1969	56	540				

	Litters of pigs farrowed between—		Inventory	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
December 1 of preceding year and November 30	38	340	37	337
1969	67	714	54	664
December 1 of preceding year and May 31	27	211	26	208
1969	57	360	46	332
June 1 and November 30	30	129	30	129
1969	53	354	44	332

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	135	(X)	110	(X)	15	(X)	10	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	129	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	130	3 762	107	3 147	11	342	7	244
1969	159	5 677	128	4 788	8	532	8	532
Hens and pullets of laying age	130	3 568	107	2 995	10	292	7	244
1969	153	4 986	123	4 255	8	532	8	532
Farms with—								
1 to 99	126	3 068	103	2 495	10	292	7	244
100 to 399	4	500	4	500	—	—	—	—
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	14	484	9	451	4	52	1	12
1969	4	160	2	60	2	150	2	150
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	27	8	20	7
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	25	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	107	2 995	7	244	Turkeys	4	6		
1969	123	4 255	8	532	1969	3	28		
Hens for table or market egg production	105	2 958	7	244	Turkeys for slaughter	4	6		
1974	4	37			Heavy breed	3	3		
Hens for hatching egg production					Light breed	1	3		
1974					Turkey hens for breeding				
Pullets 3 months old or older	3	23			1969	3	13		
1969	9	280			1974	9	(X)	3	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	47	129			1969	13	(X)	2	(X)
1974	1	24							
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old									

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested				
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969		
Corn for all purposes	361	378	13 458	10 949	(X)			(X)	
Sorghums for all purposes	2	5	12	258	(X)			(X)	
Soybeans for beans (bushels)									
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)									
Wheat (bushels)	403	428	21 883	9 452	1 228	290	524	224	
Other small grains for grain	490	575	20 129	19 535	(X)			(X)	
Cotton (bales)									
Tobacco (pounds)									
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	205	(NA)	13 254	(NA)	3 634	501		(NA)	
Sweet potatoes (bushels)		(NA)		(NA)				(NA)	
Hay crops (tons, dry)	909	886	94 405	87 091	262	032	234	633	
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	221	259	12 069	10 107	(X)			(X)	
Land in orchards	11	12	215	288	(X)			(X)	
Berries for sale	6	3	11	11	(X)			(X)	
Other crops	370	(NA)	28 572	32 442	(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)	106	108	2 771	2 038	228 134	189 616	101	107	2 679	2 013
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	291	293	10 580	8 588	229 131	169 766	286	286	10 396	8 463
Corn for dry fodder, haggled or grazed	6	10	69	151	(X)	(X)	6	9	69	131
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		2		214		2 937		2		214
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	2	(NA)	12	44	(X)	(X)	2	(NA)	12	8
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	787	745	54 240	46 739	204 801	177 350	749	706	50 988	44 216

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	550	39 510	(X)	390	20 745	77	3 109	75	437	2	4
1969	672	58 368	(X)	550	33 862	121	3 932	118	584	3	6
Improved pasture	139	68 652	(X)	55	3 397	16	487	13	60	3	7
1969	120	68 518	(X)	40	3 107	15	327	15	87		
Corn for all purposes	355	13 420	(X)	347	13 144	350	13 068	303	2 553	89	787
1969	365	10 777	(X)	359	10 607	361	10 506	337	2 684	44	269
Sorghums for all purposes	2	12	(X)	2	12						
1969	5	258	(X)	4	222	2	203	2	65		
Wheat (bushels)	396	21 813	1 226 400	366	15 334	302	17 773	274	3 099	41	236
1969	410	9 156	515 131	391	7 192	264	5 504	(NA)	1 116	(NA)	72
Oats (bushels)	66	1 105	75 257	61	946	23	382	23	77		
1969	131	1 902	126 797	124	1 819	44	595	(NA)	89	(NA)	
Barley (bushels)	397	17 142	984 820	371	13 937	265	11 926	237	1 923	32	111
1969	392	15 100	947 156	374	13 067	245	8 879	(NA)	1 547	(NA)	69
Rye (bushels)	5	154	2 720	4	74	1	44			1	12
1969	3	80	978	1	20			(NA)			
Other small grains for grain	55	1 603	(X)	54	1 233	35	686	31	108	(NA)	8
1974											
1969											
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)								(NA)		(NA)	
1974											
1969											
Hay crops (tons, dry)	825	93 124	258 419	787	88 210	104	13 155	102	1 425	3	6
1969	789	85 854	230 683	751	81 058	68	4 538	68	487	1	(Z)
Field seed crops	177	10 055	(X)	169	9 794	24	2 202	20	283	6	41
1969	176	8 421	(X)	176	8 389	14	693	14	176	1	3
Cotton (bales)											
1974											
1969								(NA)		(NA)	
Tobacco (pounds)											
1974											
1969								(NA)		(NA)	
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	205	13 254	3 634 501	200	13 130	205	13 227	169	4 464	74	1 323
1969	221	15 236	4 451 739	220	15 229	221	15 127	(NA)	5 420	(NA)	1 461
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	221	12 069	(X)	220	12 065	220	12 027	189	4 688	65	1 018
1969	255	10 059	(X)	249	9 858	250	9 857	226	3 385	61	748
Land in orchards	11	215	(X)	7	199	4	72	4	16		
1974											
1969	10	287	(X)	10	287	4	197	4	30		

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	2	7	(X)	2	7	2	7	2	4	—	—
1969	3	11	(X)	3	11	3	11	3	3	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	15	2 368	(X)	10	2 299	13	2 327	10	463	4	227
1969	18	409	(X)	14	372	12	294	10	66	3	21
Other crops	228	16 110	(X)	228	16 110	218	15 630	204	6 331	69	949

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	907	8 819	914	3 944	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
Commercial fertilizer	824	30 658	788	28 900	Diseases in crops and orchards	49	3 640	37	4 663
Lime	17	6 994	7	2 952	acres on which used	47	319	69	344
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	1 440	2 307	295	108	Weeds or grass in crops	43	131	30	925
Insects on hay crops	156	14 962	82	5 184	acres on which used	20	453	250	250
Insects on other crops	248	27 372	254	31 031	Weeds or brush in pasture	2 515	199	15 588	21
Nematodes in crops	71	4 629	54	1 836	acres on which used	8	3 410	(NA)	(NA)
	199	107	107	107	Weeds on all other land	39	71	(NA)	(NA)
					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	71	5 389	84	6 404
					of crops or thinning of fruit	68	118	53	248
					acres on which used	16	16	22	22
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	156	313	(NA)	(NA)
					Other chemicals (see text)	313		(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	1 089	209 847	1 066	211 052	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	94.0	192.7	92.6	197.9	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	11	1 162	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated	1 082	206 450	1 061	207 945	Other sprinkler systems	143	23 058	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	1 065	184 728	1 041	172 158	Land in irrigated farms	1 320	316	1 258	261
Harvested cropland irrigated	390	20 745	33	33 862	Cropland	245	911	254	763
Cropland pasture irrigated	35	977	1 925	1 041	Harvested cropland	193	782	179	709
Other cropland irrigated	55	3 397	40	3 107	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	656	656 428	620	620 592	between 1970 and 1973	2	70	(X)	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9	acres irrigated in most recent year	124	300	26.0	26.0
Land irrigated by—					Proportion of farms	10.7	172	242	45 434
Furrows or ditches	947	140 246	(NA)	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	210	181	12 617	101.8
					Land drained	161	716	161	716
					Average per farm	1 009	1 009	1 009	1 009
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	161	716	(NA)	(NA)
						number	716	(NA)	(NA)
						acres	1 009	(NA)	(NA)

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

Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) <th colspan="2">Total operator debt</th> <th colspan="2">Secured by real estate</th> <th colspan="2">Not secured by real estate</th>	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
	695	57 654	590	38 767	416	18 886
Farms by size of debt owed:						
Under \$5,000	66	75	47	74	101	73
\$5,000 to \$9,999	195	109	180	101	122	44
\$10,000 to \$29,999	109	250	101	188	44	76
\$30,000 to \$49,999	250		188			
\$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)		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—							552	278	241	303
150 days or more	278	250	827	613	4 013	4 623	6 812	4 013	2 155	644
25 to 149 days	241	697	1 832	6 464	2 155	6 444	6 299	827	1 832	3 640
Less than 25 days	303		(NA)	(NA)	1 203	1 068				
Total contract labor	189	241	(NA)	(NA)	1 203	1 068				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	125	(NA)	2 887	(NA)	976	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker	151		131		70	71				
2 workers	68		65		36	37				
3 or 4 workers	92		48		51	54				
5 to 9 workers	89		23		40	52				
10 workers and over	152		11		44	89				