



**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.....	37	47	37	47			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	46	38	46	38			
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	48		48				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	68	56	68	56			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	93	79	93	79			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	102	111	102	111			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	376	576	11	30			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	56	49	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	76	45	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	78	82	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	166	400	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>							
\$1,000.....	13 251	6 788	12 842	6 403			
Average per farm..... dollars.....	17 209	7 484	31 708	17 738			
<b>Crops, including hay</b> ..... farms.....	561	640	344	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	6 873	2 644	6 631	2 409			
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products</b> ..... farms.....	11		7	3			
\$1,000.....	53		49	1			
<b>Forest products</b> ..... farms.....	43	43	38	27			
\$1,000.....	100	94	98	90			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> ..... farms.....	451	506	251	259			
\$1,000.....	6 225	4 050	6 064	3 901			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b> ..... farms.....	51	(NA)	48	48			
\$1,000.....	3 953	(NA)	3 953	2 345			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
Crops..... farms.....			344	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			6 631	2 409			
Grains..... farms.....			311	240			
\$1,000.....			4 071	1 075			
Tobacco..... farms.....			-	-			
\$1,000.....			-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed..... farms.....			62	165			
\$1,000.....			1 223	817			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage..... farms.....			70	68			
\$1,000.....			392	143			
Other field crops..... farms.....			23	29			
\$1,000.....			515	186			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons..... farms.....			52	62			
\$1,000.....			235	140			
Fruits, nuts, and berries..... farms.....			5	19			
\$1,000.....			195	49			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> ..... farms.....			251	259			
\$1,000.....			6 064	3 901			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b> ..... farms.....			48	48			
\$1,000.....			3 953	2 345			
<b>Dairy products</b> ..... farms.....			8	8			
\$1,000.....			421	175			
<b>Cattle and calves</b> ..... farms.....			185	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			821	894			
<b>Hogs and pigs</b> ..... farms.....			97	(NA)			
\$1,000.....			828	488			
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool</b> ..... farms.....			-	-			
\$1,000.....			-	-			
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b> ..... farms.....			14				
\$1,000.....			42				

**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>	420	(NA)	134	(NA)		
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b> ..... farms.....	162	(NA)	95	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	312	(NA)	281	(NA)		
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b> ..... farms.....	51	74	38	54		
\$1,000.....	142	116	138	97		
<b>Recreational services</b> ..... farms.....	11	24	9	6		
\$1,000.....	12	12	11	5		
<b>Government farm programs</b> ..... farms.....	64	451	38	212		
\$1,000.....	75	999	60	866		
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments</b> ..... farms.....	53	(NA)	27	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	37	(NA)	26	(NA)		
<b>Other farm-related sources</b> ..... farms.....	12	(NA)	8	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	46	(NA)	45	(NA)		
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup></b> ..... farms.....	54	(NA)	34	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	92	(NA)	83	(NA)		
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b> ..... farms.....						251
\$1,000.....						2 860
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related</b> ..... farms.....						47
\$1,000.....						563
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips</b> ..... farms.....						180
\$1,000.....						1 901
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties</b> ..... farms.....						67
\$1,000.....						207
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.</b> ..... farms.....						47
\$1,000.....						146
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property</b> ..... farms.....						19
\$1,000.....						42

<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.....	768	907	405	361					
\$1,000.....	11 649	6 841	11 114	6 294					
<b>Farms with—</b>									
\$1 to \$999.....	197	328	20	31					
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	133	195	31	31					
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	80	80	38	43					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	93	81	64	68					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	86	80	73	76					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	67		67	55					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	43		43	44					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	15	143	15						
\$60,000 and over.....	54		54	44					
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b> ..... farms.....	268	305	135	178					
\$1,000.....	1 082	873	1 026	827					
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b> ..... farms.....	458	486	215	222					
\$1,000.....	3 925	1 730	3 828	1 669					
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b> ..... farms.....	339	310	193	168					
\$1,000.....	3 471	1 571	3 438	1 541					
<b>Feed ingredients</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	74	60					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	74	53					
<b>Whole grains</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	89	50					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	271	56					
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	29	34					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	45	19					
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	136	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	45	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b> ..... farms.....	462	640	292	294					
\$1,000.....	330	178	313	156					
<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased</b> ..... farms.....	596	749	325	326					
\$1,000.....	1 621	900	1 507	799					
<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b> ..... farms.....	287	(NA)	194	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	509	307	500	287					
<b>Lime</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	193	85					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	52	101	42					
<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b> ..... farms.....	733	885	389	359					
\$1,000.....	690	437	620	348					
<b>Gasoline</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	303	345					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	292	205					
<b>Diesel oil</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	247	153					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	188	80					
<b>LP gas, butane, and propane</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	47	41					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	57	26					
<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil</b> ..... farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	389	359					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	82	37					
<b>Hired farm labor</b> ..... farms.....	250	438	175	256					
\$1,000.....	682	609	662	579					
<b>Contract labor</b> ..... farms.....	34	362	21	18					
\$1,000.....	22	191	18	18					
<b>Machine hire and customwork</b> ..... farms.....	240		141	193					
\$1,000.....	213		192	146					
<b>All other production expenses</b> ..... farms.....	666	710	405	352					
\$1,000.....	2 574	1 616	2 402	1 466					

**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>					<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	708	866	358	353	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	136	119	121	100
\$1,000	10 844	6 002	8 252	4 391	number	149	133	134	112
Average per farm	15 316	6 931	23 052	12 439	mfd in last 5 years, number	48	75	46	72
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines	72	78	62	52
\$1 to \$999	5	104	—	114	number	73	95	63	57
\$1,000 to \$4,999	172	417	54	90	mfd in last 5 years, number	24	48	24	33
\$5,000 to \$9,999	231	180	66	30	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	43	—	31	23
\$10,000 to \$19,999	147	91	100	80	number	43	—	31	25
\$20,000 to \$29,999	57	—	46	30	mfd in last 5 years, number	5	—	5	14
\$30,000 to \$49,999	14	74	58	24	Mower conditioners	81	(NA)	48	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	62	—	14	—	number	93	(NA)	52	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	20	—	20	15	mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	18	(NA)
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>					Pickup balers	147	140	99	108
Automobiles	529	637	279	281	number	163	148	113	116
number	728	860	412	394	mfd in last 5 years, number	45	72	37	61
mfd in last 5 years, number	307	542	228	284	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	69	(NA)	46	54
Motor trucks, including pickups	596	632	332	309	number	73	(NA)	50	55
number	924	889	630	538	mfd in last 5 years, number	17	(NA)	14	32
mfd in last 5 years, number	289	451	236	292	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	21	(NA)	17	16
Wheel tractors	637	701	329	323	number	23	(NA)	19	16
number	1 084	1 109	725	652	mfd in last 5 years, number	11	(NA)	9	10
mfd in last 5 years, number	242	425	211	310					
Crawler tractors	34	—	27	15					
number	34	—	27	16					
mfd in last 5 years, number	3	—	3	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	500	(X)	256	(X)	451	(X)	251	(X)	6 064
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	451	(X)	226	(X)	409	(X)	224	(X)	1 648
1969	539	(X)	231	(X)	463	(X)	232	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	364	15 728	197	12 604	312	5 133	185	4 311	821
1969	387	12 089	199	10 061	322	6 347	189	5 721	894
Farms with —									
1 to 4	37	77	11	18	94	216	49	112	25
5 to 9	47	333	16	130	84	536	36	237	42
10 to 19	66	904	20	299	67	845	35	468	75
20 to 49	131	3 960	74	2 122	44	1 353	42	1 311	208
50 to 99	45	3 024	38	2 605	16	1 106	16	1 106	235
100 to 199	27	3 800	27	3 800	5	(D)	5	(D)	(D)
200 to 499	9	(D)	9	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	(D)	—	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	313	8 818	171	7 063	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	326	5 851	175	4 957	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	288	8 163	155	6 491	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	5 338	160	4 524	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	57	655	29	572	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	83	513	34	433	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	421
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	8	(X)	175
<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	288	8 163	155	6 491	Cattle sold	137	1 895	537	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4	41	98	15	38	1 to 4	59	143	38	
5 to 9	46	314	12	88	5 to 9	31	209	48	
10 to 19	79	1 085	36	523	10 to 19	22	269	66	
20 to 49	84	2 526	54	1 702	20 to 49	17	531	127	
50 to 99	26	1 705	26	1 705	50 to 99	6	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199	10	(D)	10	(D)	100 to 199	1	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	1	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over	—	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	57	655	29	572	Calves sold	123	2 416	283	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2	39	52	19	25	1 or 2	17	27	4	
3 or 4	—	—	—	—	3 or 4	13	50	5	
5 to 9	8	48	2	12	5 to 9	22	138	19	
10 to 19	3	32	1	12	10 to 19	31	393	43	
20 to 49	3	93	3	93	20 to 49	29	926	109	
50 to 99	2	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99	9	(D)	(D)	
100 to 199	2	(D)	2	(D)	100 to 199	2	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	—	(D)	—	(D)	200 to 499	—	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	—	(D)	—	(D)	500 and over	—	(D)	(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	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	40	64 463	13	75 236	Turkeys	1974	3	25 011	1	(D)
	1969	48	105 188	17	112 630		1969	1	10	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	40	64 398	11	75 206	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	3	25 005	1	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	5	65	2	30	Heavy breed	1974	3	25 005	1	(D)
						Light breed	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	4	3 620	3	112 500	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	2	6	-	-
	1969	12	36 592	4	98 155		1969	1	10	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	22	81	2	4	Other poultry	1974	1	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	4	53 040	2	48		1969	7	(X)	-	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms							
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969	
Corn for all purposes		391	428	11 245	10 851	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes		8	8	144	105	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		361	318	28 591	19 499	470 933	390 815	1 188 470	1 188 470
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		19	20	970	703	2 747 435	76 612	76 612	76 612
Wheat (bushels)		84	139	2 964	2 484	71 521	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain		115	110	3 121	2 422	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)		70	308	4 929	9 101	6 047	8 610	8 610	750
Tobacco (pounds)		-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		3	(NA)	3	(NA)	126	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		25	(NA)	33	(NA)	6 086	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)		287	210	6 313	4 501	17 383	11 802	11 802	11 802
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		96	155	889	1 528	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards		18	42	370	336	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale		-	2	-	2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops		48	(NA)	964	1 576	(X)	(X)	(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)		226	187	8 529	7 656	467 873	240 796	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		16	18	501	646	5 870	6 600	-	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		9	14	721	419	(X)	(X)	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		1	-	50	-	570	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		3	(NA)	80	55	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		7	4	140	96	276	110	-	-

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					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	183	12 050	(X)	-	83	5 297	66	980	37	401
	1969	167	8 563	(X)	1	115	4 616	97	1 014	57	571
Improved pasture	1974	57	2 560	(X)	-	19	1 021	18	281	13	82
	1969	52	4 020	(X)	-	26	2 255	26	596	8	177
Corn for all purposes	1974	234	9 751	(X)	-	177	7 429	174	1 778	66	570
	1969	197	8 721	(X)	-	145	6 498	145	1 809	56	396
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	4	130	(X)	-	3	70	2	5	1	4
	1969	2	55	(X)	-	2	55	2	11	1	4
Wheat (bushels)	1974	65	2 818	68 684	-	46	2 209	37	394	20	135
	1969	101	2 304	72 565	-	86	1 965	(NA)	358	(NA)	159
Oats (bushels)	1974	41	1 024	35 271	-	25	512	18	78	15	32
	1969	46	1 048	41 824	-	34	851	(NA)	160	(NA)	74
Barley (bushels)	1974	6	82	2 704	-	6	82	6	15	2	6
	1969	7	121	4 330	-	7	121	(NA)	27	(NA)	12
Rye (bushels)	1974	60	1 667	34 872	-	37	1 332	32	202	20	100
	1969	62	1 085	24 659	-	55	979	(NA)	136	(NA)	68
Other small grains for grain	1974	3	46	(X)	-	1	30	1	3	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	267	27 396	455 725	-	128	15 765	127	2 900	6	63
	1969	194	17 701	360 717	-	106	10 288	(NA)	1 849	(NA)	1
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	17	968	2 742 635	-	9	835	9	393	-	-
	1969	13	682	1 169 969	-	7	577	(NA)	145	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	166	4 724	14 559	-	88	2 396	66	484	58	515
	1969	128	3 511	9 806	-	70	1 887	67	520	46	345
Field seed crops	1974	3	26	(X)	-	1	10	1	1	1	1
	1969	2	58	(X)	-	1	8	1	1	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	62	4 896	6 029	-	59	4 836	59	1 810	19	203
	1969	170	8 254	8 130	-	155	8 088	(NA)	2 839	(NA)	658
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	3	3	126	-	3	3	(NA)	5	(NA)	-
	1969	2	1	30	-	1	1	3	5	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	52	778	(X)	-	33	453	33	192	-	-
	1969	70	1 199	(X)	-	52	756	52	236	9	42
Land in orchards	1974	9	331	(X)	-	4	234	4	114	-	-
	1969	22	271	(X)	-	11	169	11	103	1	1

**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	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	7	6	(X)	1	4	2	2	2	1	(Z)
1969	1	3	(X)	-	-	1	3	1	1	-	-
Other crops .....	1974	27	867	(X)	-	-	9	87	10	31	-

**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 .....	farms	332	farms	334	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
\$1,000 .....	2 007	1 086	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms	6	5			
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms	325	farms	310	acres on which used .....	397	240		
acres on which used .....	42 642	40 140	Weeds or grass in crops .....	farms	7	1			
tons .....	11 793	12 471	acres on which used .....	21 101	11 892				
\$1,000 .....	1 507	799	\$1,000 .....	farms	171	60			
Lime .....	farms	85	farms	111	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	farms	3	10	
acres on which used .....	7 662	7 130	acres on which used .....	110	377				
tons .....	7 519	6 167	\$1,000 .....	(Z)	1				
\$1,000 .....	101	42	Weeds on all other land .....	farms	2	(NA)			
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—			acres on which used .....	106	(NA)				
Insects on hay crops .....	farms	4	farms	6	\$1,000 .....	(Z)	(NA)		
acres on which used .....	126	87	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control						
\$1,000 .....	1	(Z)	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	farms	21	56			
Insects on other crops .....	farms	62	acres on which used .....	1 874	3 863				
acres on which used .....	10 086	12 742	\$1,000 .....	farms	6	11			
\$1,000 .....	187	162	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	farms	16	49			
Nematodes in crops .....	farms	11	farms	12	\$1,000 .....	3	4		
acres on which used .....	1 279	832	acres on which used .....	1	4				
\$1,000 .....	15	4	Other chemicals (see text) .....	farms	36	(NA)			
			\$1,000 .....	farms	9	(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 .....	farms	1	farms	1	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	percent	0.2	percent	0.2	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	farms	1	(NA)	
Total land irrigated .....	acres	4	acres	4	acres	4	(NA)		
Average per farm .....	acres	4.0	acres	4.0	Other sprinkler systems .....	farms	-	(NA)	
Cropland irrigated .....	farms	1	farms	1	acres	-	(NA)		
acres	4	4	acres	4	Land in irrigated farms .....	acres	8	101	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms	1	acres	4	Cropland .....	acres	4	90	
acres	4	-	Harvested cropland .....	acres	4	51			
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	farms	1	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated						
acres	-	1	between 1970 and 1973 .....	farms	-	(X)			
Other cropland irrigated .....	farms	-	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	acres	-	(X)			
acres	-	4	Farms with artificial drainage .....	farms	11	22			
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture			Proportion of farms .....	percent	2.7	6.0			
farms	-	-	Land in farms with drainage .....	acres	7 092	14 405			
acres	-	-	Land drained .....	acres	449	1 089			
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied - acre-feet	3	1	Average per farm .....	acres	40.8	49.5			
Average per acre irrigated .....	acre-feet	0.7	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen						
Land irrigated by—			tanks .....	farms	65	(NA)			
Furrows or ditches .....	farms	-	number .....	number	144	(NA)			
acres	-	(NA)	acres .....	acres	400	(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) .....	farms	139	107	72			
\$1,000 .....	5 509	4 579	929				
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000 .....	29	14	27				
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	17	13	14				
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	47	40	24				
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	13	14	3				
\$50,000 and over .....	33	26	4				

**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—							175	60	48	111	
150 days or more .....	60	93	128	179	481	579	662	481	100	81	
25 to 149 days .....	48	213	142	677	100		Number of workers .....	128	142	1 122	
Less than 25 days .....	111		1 122		81		Farms with—				
Total contract labor .....	21	18	(NA)	(NA)	18	18	1 worker .....	46	24	24	25
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	11	(NA)	44	(NA)	14	(NA)	2 workers .....	32	20	10	12
							3 or 4 workers .....	31	12	6	25
							5 to 9 workers .....	34	3	5	27
							10 workers and over .....	32	1	3	22