





**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	278	283	256	255	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	72	68	72	68
farms	8 959	4 267	8 762	4 173	number	89	76	89	76
Average per farm	32 227	15 078	34 226	16 365	mfd in last 5 years, number	29	14	29	14
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines	3	10	3	1
\$1 to \$999	1	2	1	31	number	4	10	4	1
\$1,000 to \$4,999	27	52	15	58	mfd in last 5 years, number	1	2	1	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	59	18	92	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	13	13	13	9
\$10,000 to \$19,999	59	96	55	39	number	13	13	9	9
\$20,000 to \$29,999	62		60	24	mfd in last 5 years, number				1
\$30,000 to \$49,999	54		53		Mower conditioners	19	(NA)	19	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	22	74	22	25	number	25	(NA)	25	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	32		32	11	mfd in last 5 years, number	4	(NA)	4	(NA)
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>					Pickup balers	66	71	64	71
Automobiles	232	241	223	225	number	70	73	68	73
number	300	313	280	295	mfd in last 5 years, number	11	30	11	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	205	235	196	220	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	84	(NA)	82	72
Motor trucks, including pickups	258	265	246	241	number	87	(NA)	85	76
number	583	526	551	497	mfd in last 5 years, number	32	(NA)	32	30
mfd in last 5 years, number	290	263	275	246	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	23	(NA)	23	20
Wheel tractors	262	251	241	240	number	26	(NA)	26	22
number	815	770	769	737	mfd in last 5 years, number	10	(NA)	10	14
mfd in last 5 years, number	192	239	172	229					
Crawler tractors	11		11	16					
number	11		11	18					
mfd in last 5 years, number				6					

**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	232	(X)	220	(X)	231	(X)	219	(X)	6 036
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	225	(X)	216	(X)	231	(X)	219	(X)	5 915
1969	234	(X)	218	(X)	246	(X)	226	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	216	45 802	210	45 577	219	28 015	211	27 937	5 354
1969	229	43 908	215	43 790	240	29 897	223	29 816	5 090
Farms with—									
1 to 4	8	22	8	22	7	18	5	14	2
5 to 9	2	12	2	12	4	27	3	22	3
10 to 19	3	41	3	41	18	268	13	199	41
20 to 49	30	955	25	787	45	1 387	45	1 387	255
50 to 99	46	3 390	45	3 333	44	3 366	44	3 366	729
100 to 199	48	6 912	48	6 912	61	8 621	61	8 621	1 637
200 to 499	58	17 476	58	17 476	33	9 488	33	9 488	1 856
500 and over	21	16 994	21	16 994	7	4 840	7	4 840	832
Cows and heifers that had calved	201	25 648	197	25 571	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	203	23 161	193	23 117	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	195	25 371	191	25 303	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	22 820	188	22 778	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	54	277	51	268	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	86	341	84	339	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	7	(X)	100
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	29	(X)	57
Inventory, 1974					Sales, 1974—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	195	25 371	191	25 303	Cattle sold	175	14 356	3 559	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	3	3	3	3	1 to 4	8	19	4	
5 to 9	4	24	3	19	5 to 9	13	96	20	
10 to 19	12	167	11	152	10 to 19	25	347	79	
20 to 49	40	1 229	38	1 181	20 to 49	47	1 407	313	
50 to 99	33	2 387	33	2 387	50 to 99	31	2 132	594	
100 to 199	65	8 781	65	8 781	100 to 199	35	4 542	1 087	
200 to 499	33	8 922	33	8 922	200 to 499	14	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	5	3 858	5	3 858	500 and over	2	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows	54	277	51	268	Calves sold	138	13 581	1 796	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	34	47	33	46	1 or 2	5	7	1	
3 or 4	10	33	8	25	3 or 4	3	11	2	
5 to 9	4	22	4	22	5 to 9	11	87	11	
10 to 19	3	30	3	30	10 to 19	8	107	13	
20 to 49	2	85	2	85	20 to 49	26	828	104	
50 to 99	1	60	1	60	50 to 99	33	2 298	296	
100 to 199					100 to 199	38	4 876	693	
200 to 499					200 to 499	11	3 393	481	
500 and over					500 and over	3	1 974	194	

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 .....	178	9 055	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates .....	12	1 366	503
1974 .....	174	10 139		1969 .....	8	807
Beef heifers .....	170	8 782	Farms with—			
Milk heifers .....	18	273	1 to 9 .....	1	4	1
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves .....	193	10 951	10 to 19 .....	3	44	8
1974 .....	199	10 534	20 to 49 .....	1	23	8
1969 .....			50 to 99 .....	3	200	75
			100 to 199 .....	2	(D)	(D)
			200 to 499 .....	1	(D)	(D)
			500 and over .....	1	(D)	(D)

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 .....	61	5 414	58	5 126	66	9 625	61	9 168	527
1969 .....	68	5 104	64	5 084	74	9 807	66	9 749	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4 .....	7	17	6	14	1	2	1	2	(Z)
5 to 9 .....	2	17	2	17	1	9	1	9	1
10 to 24 .....	7	103	7	103	5	87	4	63	5
25 to 49 .....	6	210	6	210	9	274	6	191	13
50 to 99 .....	20	1 330	19	1 270	18	1 271	18	1 271	85
100 to 199 .....	14	2 169	14	2 169	17	2 418	17	2 418	118
200 to 499 .....	5	1 568	4	1 343	11	3 064	10	2 714	167
500 and over .....	—	—	—	—	4	2 500	4	2 500	139
Feeder pigs sold .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	33	3 433	31	3 409	75
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	38	5 330	38	5 330	(NA)
Sheep and lambs .....	5	935	5	935	6	705	6	705	(NA)
1969 .....	9	1 375	9	1 375	10	1 110	9	1 075	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	943	18 599
Sheep, lambs, and wool .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	(X)	34
Goats .....	(NA)	(NA)	1	45	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969 .....	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies .....	88	2 891	84	382	12	84	11	34	6
1969 .....	134	891	(NA)	(NA)	23	112	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

  

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Litters of pigs farrowed between—	Inventory			
	All farms			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 ..	48	937	December 1 of preceding year and November 30 ..	56	1 400	51	1 338
1969 .....	51	1 041	1969 .....	53	1 307	53	1 307
Other hogs and pigs .....	50	4 189	December 1 of preceding year and May 31 ..	46	809	41	772
1969 .....	60	4 043	1969 .....	49	723	49	723
Lambs under 1 year old .....	3	224	June 1 and November 30 .....	38	591	37	566
Ewes 1 year old or older .....	4	695	1969 .....	42	584	42	584
Rams and wethers .....	3	16					

<sup>1</sup>Pounds 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 .....	53	(X)	48	(X)	4	(X)	4	(X)
1969 .....	(NA)	(X)	71	(X)	(NA)	(X)	9	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older .....	52	1 672	47	1 456	4	46	4	46
1969 .....	74	3 797	68	3 649	8	1 090	8	1 090
Hens and pullets of laying age .....	48	1 532	45	1 388	4	46	4	46
1969 .....	73	3 733	67	3 585	8	1 090	8	1 090
Farms with—								
1 to 99 .....	46	1 252	43	1 108	4	46	4	46
100 to 399 .....	2	280	2	280	—	—	—	—
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	679	7	655	2	200	2	200
1969 .....	2	300	2	300	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000) ..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	10	2	10	2
1969 .....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	16	6

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.....	45	1 388	4	46	Turkeys.....	3	10	-	-
1974.....	67	3 585	8	1 090	1969.....	3	21	-	-
1969.....	45	1 388	4	46	Turkeys for slaughter.....	-	-	-	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	Heavy breed.....	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	Light breed.....	-	-	-	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding.....	3	10	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older.....	-	-	-	-	1969.....	3	21	-	-
1974.....	1	50	-	-	1974.....	2	(X)	-	(X)
1969.....	18	68	-	-	1969.....	4	(X)	1	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....	-	-	-	-	Other poultry.....	-	-	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....	-	-	-	-	1974.....	-	-	-	-
1974.....	-	-	-	-	1969.....	-	-	-	-

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969		1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	19	20	2 810	1 591	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	19	15	2 061	1 472	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	144	137	45 986	33 025	1 209	238	597	787	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain.....	78	125	9 024	18 211	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	208	197	51 499	51 936	48 619	58 428	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	-	-	-	-	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	-	1	-	(Z)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	46	(NA)	3 423	1 040	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(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).....	7	7	980	205	56 900	9 453	6	1	920	40
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	17	14	1 830	1 159	10 046	6 580	5	1	400	70
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	-	5	-	227	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	7	-	490	-	9 090	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	14	(NA)	1 571	1 460	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	-	70
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	152	158	23 953	23 316	22 983	27 829	3	3	210	137

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.....	67	12 735	(X)	1	130	4	324	3	15	1	10
1969.....	92	29 701	(X)	1	70	5	418	1	7	4	8
Improved pasture.....	28	8 374	(X)	-	-	2	619	2	30	-	-
1969.....	15	7 886	(X)	-	-	2	132	-	-	2	4
Corn for all purposes.....	19	2 810	(X)	6	1 320	15	2 379	13	150	8	244
1969.....	20	1 591	(X)	2	110	10	618	8	25	5	53
Sorghums for all purposes.....	19	2 061	(X)	-	-	5	430	4	30	2	13
1969.....	14	1 460	(X)	1	70	1	132	1	7	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	144	45 986	1 209 238	-	-	27	9 578	21	485	6	24
1969.....	134	32 875	597 067	-	-	10	2 725	(NA)	60	(NA)	17
Oats (bushels).....	54	4 988	118 604	-	-	20	2 685	13	98	7	32
1969.....	113	13 956	413 877	-	-	30	3 737	(NA)	103	(NA)	48
Barley (bushels).....	22	2 696	52 907	-	-	8	1 174	5	14	3	14
1969.....	31	2 129	63 331	-	-	5	209	(NA)	5	(NA)	5
Rye (bushels).....	1	50	400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	11	1 295	31 474	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....	8	890	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	201	51 244	48 355	4	710	11	2 428	8	87	3	30
1969.....	190	51 670	58 092	3	137	7	526	7	171	-	-
Field seed crops.....	45	3 173	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	17	1 040	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	1	(Z)	7	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
1969.....	2	(Z)	33	-	-	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969.....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**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					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale .....	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	1	(Z)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....	1969	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops .....	1974	1	250	(X)	—	1	250	1	13	—	—

**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 .....	118	141	82	52	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	1	1	1	1
..... farms	362	82	52	85	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	320	85	85	85
..... \$1,000	83	52	52	(Z)	..... acres on which used .....	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Commercial fertilizer .....	19 939	8 589	516	78	Weeds or grass in crops .....	56	78	78	78
..... farms	1 289	516	49	29 093	..... acres on which used .....	25 445	29 093	29 093	29 093
..... \$1,000	260	49	—	25	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	74	25	25	25
Lime .....	—	—	—	1	..... farms	4	1	1	1
..... farms	—	—	—	334	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	369	334	334	334
..... acres on which used .....	—	—	—	(Z)	..... acres on which used .....	1	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
..... tons	—	—	—	(NA)	Weeds on all other land .....	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... \$1,000	—	—	—	(NA)	..... farms	17	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	8	3	12	51	..... acres on which used .....	(2)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Insects on hay crops .....	693	602	1	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	—	—	—	—
..... farms	2	1	—	—	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	—	—	—	—
..... acres on which used .....	8	12	—	—	..... farms	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000	2	1	—	—	..... acres on which used .....	—	—	—	—
Insects on other crops .....	3 196	610	1	5	..... \$1,000	23	51	51	51
..... farms	20	1	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	3	5	5	5
..... acres on which used .....	—	—	—	—	..... farms	10	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... \$1,000	—	—	—	(NA)	..... \$1,000	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Nematodes in crops .....	—	—	—	—	Other chemicals (see text) .....	3	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... farms	—	—	—	—	..... farms	—	—	—	—
..... acres on which used .....	—	—	—	—	..... \$1,000	—	—	—	—
..... \$1,000	—	—	—	—	..... farms	—	—	—	—

**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 .....	8	4	4	4	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms .....	3.1	1.5	1.5	1.5	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	2 160	387	387	387	..... farms	1 460	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average per farm .....	270.0	96.7	96.7	96.7	Other sprinkler systems .....	2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	8	4	4	4	..... farms	161	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	2 160	387	387	387	Land in irrigated farms .....	29 772	6 753	6 753	6 753
..... farms	8	4	4	4	..... acres	11 746	4 101	4 101	4 101
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	2 030	317	317	317	Harvested cropland .....	9 030	2 530	2 530	2 530
..... acres	1	1	1	1	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	—	—	—	—
Other cropland irrigated .....	130	70	70	70	between 1970 and 1973 .....	1	(X)	(X)	(X)
..... farms	—	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	..... farms	20	(X)	(X)	(X)
Posture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	—	—	—	—	..... acres irrigated in most recent year .....	2	5	5	5
..... farms	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage .....	0.8	1.9	1.9	1.9
..... acres	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms .....	10 760	34 070	34 070	34 070
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	2 131	468	468	468	Land drained .....	190	1 048	1 048	1 048
Average per acre irrigated .....	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	..... acres	95.0	209.6	209.6	209.6
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Average per farm .....	95.0	209.6	209.6	209.6
Furrows or ditches .....	1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	—	—	—	—
..... farms	40	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	tanks .....	45	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... acres	—	—	—	—	..... farms	126	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
					..... number	215	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
					..... acres	—	—	—	—

**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) .....	153	10 009	120	6 871	106	3 137	106	3 137
Farms by size of debt owed:	16	10	5	18	19	16	19	16
Under \$5,000 .....	37	24	27	27	31	20	31	20
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	24	66	43	20	20	20	20	20
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
\$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—	57	52	82	65	310	282	128	57	53	70
150 days or more .....	53	146	95	423	90	—	432	310	90	32
25 to 149 days .....	70	—	240	(NA)	32	41	417	82	95	240
Less than 25 days .....	21	—	(NA)	(NA)	62	—	—	—	—	—
Total contract labor .....	10	(NA)	69	(NA)	40	(NA)	61	38	28	45
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	13	15	8
							31	6	8	6
							11	—	2	7
							7	—	—	4