

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	25	46	25	46			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	170	180	170	180			
\$20,000 to \$39,999	269	336	269	336			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	243	238	243	238			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	127	129	127	128			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	84	69	84	69			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	100	148	6	12			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	27	29	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	27	27	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	18	23	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	28	69	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	27 332	15 215	27 204	15 070			
Average per farm dollars	26 848	14 127	29 441	16 032			
Crops, including hay							
farms	880	947	835	(NA)			
\$1,000	14 435	5 761	14 386	5 680			
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	-	-	-	-			
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Forest products							
farms	1	-	1	-			
\$1,000	(Z)	-	(Z)	-			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	852	891	789	841			
\$1,000	12 897	9 454	12 818	9 390			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	111	(NA)	103	193			
\$1,000	314	(NA)	308	364			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms	835	(NA)	835	(NA)			
\$1,000	14 386	5 680	14 386	5 680			
farms	812	842	812	842			
\$1,000	13 056	4 972	13 056	4 972			
Tobacco							
farms	-	-	-	-			
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms	-	-	-	-			
\$1,000	-	-	-	-			
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms	368	417	368	417			
\$1,000	1 234	703	1 234	703			
Other field crops							
farms	16	3	16	3			
\$1,000	92	4	92	4			
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms	2	1	2	1			
\$1,000	4	(Z)	4	(Z)			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms	-	-	-	-			
\$1,000	-	1	-	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	789	841	789	841			
\$1,000	12 818	9 390	12 818	9 390			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	103	193	103	193			
\$1,000	308	364	308	364			
Dairy products							
farms	249	355	249	355			
\$1,000	3 959	2 255	3 959	2 255			
Cattle and calves							
farms	750	(NA)	750	(NA)			
\$1,000	5 840	4 618	5 840	4 618			
Hogs and pigs							
farms	288	(NA)	288	(NA)			
\$1,000	2 235	2 153	2 235	2 153			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms	106	-	106	-			
\$1,000	164	-	164	-			
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms	13	-	13	-			
\$1,000	313	-	313	-			

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	82	(NA)	49	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹							
farms	496	(NA)	478	(NA)			
\$1,000	1 154	(NA)	1 123	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services							
farms	101	154	96	151			
\$1,000	289	184	277	183			
Recreational services							
farms	2	12	2	11			
\$1,000	1	9	1	9			
Government farm programs							
farms	416	731	402	689			
\$1,000	634	1 421	630	1 388			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments							
farms	81	(NA)	67	(NA)			
\$1,000	119	(NA)	105	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources							
farms	67	(NA)	67	(NA)			
\$1,000	111	(NA)	111	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources¹							
farms	181	(NA)	169	(NA)			
\$1,000	284	(NA)	258	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources²							
farms	436	1 803	436	1 803			
\$1,000	1 803	1 803	1 803	1 803			
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related							
farms	45	226	45	226			
\$1,000	226	1 066	226	1 066			
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips							
farms	233	1 066	233	1 066			
\$1,000	1 066	297	1 066	297			
Interest, dividends, or royalties							
farms	204	297	204	297			
\$1,000	297	107	297	107			
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.							
farms	107	194	107	194			
\$1,000	194	10	194	10			
Rent income of nonfarm property							
farms	10	20	10	20			
\$1,000	20	-	20	-			

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	1 009	1 077	924	940					
\$1,000	19 556	11 434	19 400	11 269					
Farms with --									
\$1 to \$999	34	87	6	50					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	60	80	30	74					
\$2,000 to \$2,999	45	86	35	74					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	89	142	79	135					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	230	291	223	290					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	233	291	233	269					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	208	391	208	100					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	74	391	74	22					
\$60,000 and over	36	391	36	22					
Livestock and poultry purchased									
farms	410	519	389	487					
\$1,000	1 738	1 349	1 719	1 336					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased									
farms	712	742	672	704					
\$1,000	3 251	1 439	3 219	1 432					
Commercially mixed formula feeds									
farms	522	562	496	542					
\$1,000	1 418	720	1 405	717					
Feed ingredients									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	238	183					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	492	216					
Whole grains									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	408	320					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 111	414					
Hay, green chop, and silage									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	137	132					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	211	84					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	591	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	166	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased									
farms	670	700	646	666					
\$1,000	1 040	410	1 035	404					
Commercial fertilizer purchased									
farms	604	664	591	636					
\$1,000	1 484	567	1 482	559					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased									
farms	535	(NA)	527	(NA)					
\$1,000	400	124	400	123					
Lime									
farms	(NA)	-	1	-					
\$1,000	(NA)	-	(Z)	-					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business									
farms	1 000	1 062	920	935					
\$1,000	1 985	1 180	1 965	1 145					
Gasoline									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	912	928					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 136	765					
Diesel oil									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	659	525					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	614						

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.....	983	1 049	914	926	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	398	337	390	331
..... \$1,000.....	28 636	13 366	27 914	12 866	..... number.....	429	367	421	361
Average per farm..... dollars.....	29 131	12 741	30 541	13 894	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	93	135	93	134
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	45	183	45	48
\$1 to \$999.....	4	29	3	222	..... number.....	46	195	46	49
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	87	277	66	233	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	55	9	24
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	130	254	104	235	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	161		155	138
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	181	251	169	118	..... number.....	164		158	141
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	198		195	93	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8		8	30
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	231		225	25	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	90	(NA)	88	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	92	238	92		..... number.....	96	(NA)	94	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	60		60		..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	(NA)	20	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers..... farms.....	400	395	382	388
Automobiles..... farms.....	904	928	845	843	..... number.....	402	403	384	396
..... number.....	1 192	1 186	1 125	1 084	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	93	158	92	156
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	620	651	594	610	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	607	(NA)	596	634
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	881	911	832	848	..... number.....	678	(NA)	667	673
..... number.....	1 602	1 464	1 544	1 381	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	191	(NA)	191	248
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	485	531	475	495	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	234	(NA)	234	170
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	900	957	850	870	..... number.....	238	(NA)	238	172
..... number.....	2 792	2 602	2 693	2 438	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	78	(NA)	78	69
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	406	661	398	620					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	13		13	15					
..... number.....	15		15	20					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3		3	4					

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.....	834	(X)	769	(X)	852	(X)	789	(X)	12 818
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	816	(X)	754	(X)	847	(X)	785	(X)	8 238
..... 1969.....	831	(X)	795	(X)	877	(X)	831	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	778	59 607	723	58 699	803	27 871	750	27 485	5 840
..... 1969.....	787	47 530	756	47 028	837	28 582	799	28 270	4 618
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	10	25	7	17	57	140	35	91	19
5 to 9..... 1974.....	26	194	14	110	105	734	87	609	133
10 to 19..... 1974.....	61	859	42	601	176	2 487	165	2 337	435
20 to 49..... 1974.....	245	8 053	225	7 547	304	9 312	302	9 250	1 814
50 to 99..... 1974.....	237	16 234	236	16 182	116	7 788	116	7 788	1 806
100 to 199..... 1974.....	156	20 836	156	20 836	34	4 236	34	4 236	845
200 to 499..... 1974.....	38	9 524	38	9 524	11	3 174	11	3 174	786
500 and over..... 1974.....	5	3 882	5	3 882	-	-	-	-	-
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	717	30 787	676	30 287	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	721	24 626	697	24 394	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	592	23 683	558	23 257	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	18 114	546	17 902	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	284	7 104	270	7 030	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	345	6 512	339	6 492	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	249	(X)	3 959
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	355	(X)	2 255
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.....	592	23 683	558	23 257	Cattle sold.....		605	19 274	4 819
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	31	108	24	82	1 to 4.....		72	162	43
5 to 9.....	46	322	38	265	5 to 9.....		109	754	179
10 to 19.....	122	1 710	108	1 527	10 to 19.....		118	1 654	380
20 to 49.....	220	6 728	216	6 618	20 to 49.....		194	5 706	1 435
50 to 99.....	135	9 186	134	9 136	50 to 99.....		75	5 031	1 325
100 to 199.....	33	3 986	33	3 986	100 to 199.....		28	3 306	762
200 to 499.....	5	1 643	5	1 643	200 to 499.....		9	2 661	695
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....		-	-	-
Milk cows.....	284	7 104	270	7 030	Calves sold.....		403	8 211	1 021
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	32	46	27	40	1 or 2.....		23	31	3
3 or 4.....	5	18	2	7	3 or 4.....		30	109	12
5 to 9.....	17	116	16	111	5 to 9.....		62	407	50
10 to 19.....	70	1 051	65	999	10 to 19.....		123	1 656	218
20 to 49.....	137	4 244	137	4 244	20 to 49.....		138	4 091	512
50 to 99.....	21	1 268	21	1 268	50 to 99.....		24	1 532	188
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....		3	385	39
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....		-	-	-
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.....1974.....	135	42 594	50	27 738	Turkeys.....1974.....	7	87	—	—
.....1969.....	210	67 822	112	53 695	.....1969.....	5	43	1	2
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974.....	134	42 507	50	27 738	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974.....	5	50	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974.....	3	89	—	—	.....1969.....	5	44	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	Heavy breed.....1974.....	1	6	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974.....	2	360	—	—	.....1969.....	1	6	—	—
.....1969.....	10	1 303	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974.....	6	37	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974.....	22	206	—	—	.....1969.....	5	16	—	—
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974.....	1	100	—	—	.....1974.....	12	(X)	7	(X)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	.....1969.....	35	(X)	22	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	523	548	36 502	27 333	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	(X)
.....1969.....	16	42	376	787	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	2	1	23	20	—	—	225	180	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	800	813	118 879	54 488	1 614	154	—	—	1 091	383
.....1969.....	832	893	151 301	164 598	(X)	(X)	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	5	(NA)	4	(NA)	—	—	322	—	—	(NA)
.....1969.....	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	800	739	81 584	59 934	93 939	—	—	—	92 644	—
.....1969.....	2	4	9	7	(X)	(X)	—	—	(X)	(X)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	1	—	3	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	(Z)	(Z)	—	—	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Berries for sale.....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops.....1974.....	53	(NA)	1 615	278	(X)	(X)	—	—	(X)	(X)
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974.....	528	74 311	(X)	—	—	27	2 755	27	140	—	—
.....1969.....	535	65 729	(X)	1	2	43	2 137	43	154	—	—
Improved pasture.....1974.....	150	23 890	(X)	—	—	11	866	11	45	—	—
.....1969.....	131	18 749	(X)	—	—	5	400	5	17	—	—
Corn for all purposes.....1974.....	511	36 304	(X)	1	2	261	22 565	236	990	58	355
.....1969.....	534	27 129	(X)	1	15	263	15 219	249	876	44	133
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974.....	16	376	(X)	—	—	7	268	7	20	—	—
.....1969.....	41	765	(X)	—	—	20	434	19	40	3	1
Wheat (bushels).....1974.....	779	118 510	1 610 794	1	11	460	88 119	431	3 252	59	915
.....1969.....	772	53 545	1 077 336	—	—	459	36 427	(NA)	1 425	(NA)	103
Oats (bushels).....1974.....	635	47 535	976 167	1	11	282	22 389	264	786	26	107
.....1969.....	759	62 331	2 961 220	2	26	390	33 936	(NA)	1 190	(NA)	28
Barley (bushels).....1974.....	517	38 470	711 172	—	—	307	26 895	286	931	36	199
.....1969.....	468	25 513	875 100	—	—	312	19 373	(NA)	766	(NA)	58
Rye (bushels).....1974.....	168	8 712	181 230	—	—	84	4 824	80	184	4	14
.....1969.....	155	7 022	174 970	—	—	74	3 873	(NA)	148	(NA)	6
Other small grains for grain.....1974.....	595	55 508	(X)	—	—	111	10 018	95	318	20	60
.....1969.....	2	23	225	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974.....	1	20	180	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974.....	754	80 015	92 153	1	40	78	6 291	78	310	4	17
.....1969.....	698	58 812	91 309	—	—	73	3 457	73	198	—	—
Field seed crops.....1974.....	41	819	(X)	—	—	4	63	4	5	—	—
.....1969.....	14	278	(X)	—	—	3	80	3	3	—	—
Cotton (bales).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds).....1974.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974.....	3	4	270	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
.....1969.....	9	4	297	—	—	1	(Z)	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974.....	2	9	(X)	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	(Z)
.....1969.....	4	7	(X)	1	(Z)	1	3	1	(Z)	—	—
Land in orchards.....1974.....	—	—	(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					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	—	—	—	—	—	
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1969	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other crops	1974	14	796	(X)	—	4	229	3	6	2	

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	681	725	682	565	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	3	6	178	944
\$1,000	1 881	682	591	565	Diseases in crops and orchards	1	1	1	1
Commercial fertilizer	185 507	128 746	8 670	5 626	Weeds or grass in crops	423	521	152 336	131 096
acres on which used	1 482	559	1	—	acres on which used	299	103	1 862	1 365
\$1,000	1	—	2	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	38	33	4	1
acres on which used	1	—	(Z)	—	acres on which used	1 862	1 365	24	(NA)
\$1,000	39	4	49	16	Weeds on all other land	4	1	938	(NA)
acres on which used	2 914	177	17 742	2 117	acres on which used	2	(NA)	8	9
\$1,000	7	(Z)	65	5	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	448	1 232	1	1
acres on which used	17 742	2 117	220	135	of crops or thinning of fruit	1	1	96	186
\$1,000	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	acres on which used	96	6	74	9
acres on which used	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	\$1,000	6	9	12	(NA)
\$1,000	39	4	49	16	farms	74	(NA)	12	(NA)
acres on which used	2 914	177	17 742	2 117	\$1,000	12	(NA)		
\$1,000	7	(Z)	65	5					
acres on which used	17 742	2 117	220	135					
\$1,000	1	(Z)	1	(Z)					
acres on which used	1	(Z)	1	(Z)					

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	64	4	43	Land irrigated by— Continued	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Proportion of farms	0.3	21.3	0.4	10.7	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Total land irrigated	64	43	4	43	Other sprinkler systems	3	(NA)	64	(NA)
Average per farm	3	3	3	3	Land in irrigated farms	2 970	2 925	2 314	2 131
Cropland irrigated	64	43	3	41	Cropland	2 314	2 131	1 999	1 476
Harvested cropland	3	3	3	3	Harvested cropland	1 999	1 476	1	(X)
acres	64	41	1	2	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	1	(X)	90	(X)
Cropland pasture irrigated	—	—	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	90	(X)	108	152
Other cropland irrigated	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	acres irrigated in most recent year	108	152	11.7	16.1
acres	—	—	—	—	Farms with artificial drainage	11.7	16.1	100 354	126 805
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	—	—	—	—	Proportion of farms	100 354	126 805	4 247	4 635
acres	—	—	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	4 247	4 635	39.3	30.4
acres	—	—	—	—	Average per farm	39.3	30.4	318	(NA)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	45	49	1.1	1.1	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen	318	(NA)	822	(NA)
Average per acre irrigated	0.7	1.1	—	—	tanks	822	(NA)	522	(NA)
Land irrigated by—	—	—	(NA)	(NA)					
Furrows or ditches	—	—	(NA)	(NA)					
acres	—	—	(NA)	(NA)					

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)	428	337	267
\$1,000	13 388	9 047	4 341
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	74	58	75
\$5,000 to \$9,999	66	59	54
\$10,000 to \$29,999	119	94	95
\$30,000 to \$49,999	78	67	28
\$50,000 and over	91	59	15

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—							280	75	98	161
150 days or more	75	77	139	116	501	566	747	501	181	66
25 to 149 days	98	437	214	970	181	76	857	139	214	504
Less than 25 days	161	—	504	—	66	—				
Total contract labor	23	32	(NA)	(NA)	76	13				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	32	(NA)	15	(NA)				
Farms							280	75	98	161
Cash wages paid .. \$1,000							747	501	181	66
Number of workers							857	139	214	504
Farms with—										
1 worker							124	46	46	80
2 workers							51	17	28	17
3 or 4 workers							47	9	13	31
5 to 9 workers							47	2	10	26
10 workers and over							11	1	1	7