

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	33	103	33	103			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	147		147				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	223	190	223	190			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	172	218	171	218			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	79	113	79	113			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	51	59	51	57			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	96	117	12	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	20	16	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	19	19	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	24	14	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	33	68	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	23 950	18 977	23 834	18 853			
Average per farm dollars	29 900	23 720	33 288	27 403			
Crops, including hay							
farms	442	476	421	(NA)			
\$1,000	5 681	1 878	5 658	1 850			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	2		1				
\$1,000	(D)		10				
Forest products							
farms	4		4				
\$1,000	(D)		2				
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	741	751	680	663			
\$1,000	18 249	17 098	18 164	17 003			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	64	(NA)	62	83			
\$1,000	75	(NA)	75	52			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms		421					(NA)
\$1,000		5 658					1 850
Grains							
farms		318					377
\$1,000		4 622					1 370
Tobacco							
farms							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms		221		214			
\$1,000		1 029		478			
Other field crops							
farms		1					
\$1,000		1					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms		4		1			
\$1,000		6		2			
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms							
\$1,000				(Z)			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms		680		663			
\$1,000		18 164		17 003			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms		62		83			
\$1,000		75		52			
Dairy products							
farms		69		102			
\$1,000		2 079		944			
Cattle and calves							
farms		658		(NA)			
\$1,000		13 953		14 575			
Hogs and pigs							
farms		77		(NA)			
\$1,000		635		1 432			
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms		125					
\$1,000		1 323					
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms		49					
\$1,000		100					

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 sold ¹	105	(NA)	61	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	329
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	260	(NA)	246	(NA)	\$1,000	1 827
Customwork and other agricultural services	685	(NA)	573	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	39
Recreational services	74	102	68	99	farms	256
Government farm programs	182	178	174	176	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	187
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	2	3	1	3	\$1,000	999
Other farm-related sources	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	Interest, dividends, or royalties	162
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	164	408	163	392	farms	364
	205	1 025	205	1 012	\$1,000	
	70	(NA)	59	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	57
	272	(NA)	168	(NA)	\$1,000	167
	17	(NA)	16	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	23
	26	(NA)	25	(NA)	farms	41
	86	(NA)	81	(NA)	\$1,000	
	261	(NA)	175	(NA)		

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	801	800	716	688	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	347	325	336	308
\$1,000	18 747	13 501	18 575	13 301	farms	223	135	221	134
Farms with --					\$1,000	154	184	148	170
\$1 to \$999	27	52	2	20	farms	275	120	273	118
\$1,000 to \$1,999	44	53	12		Other agricultural chemicals purchased	264	(NA)	261	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	29	32	16	26	farms	125	59	125	58
\$3,000 to \$4,999	64	82	56	69	\$1,000	(NA)	1		1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	115	183	108	176	farms	(NA)	(Z)		(Z)
\$10,000 to \$19,999	214		214	198	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	798	796	715	688
\$20,000 to \$39,999	179	398	179	134	farms	1 624	1 023	1 582	993
\$40,000 to \$59,999	75		75		\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	698	683
\$60,000 and over	54		54	65	farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 020	737
Livestock and poultry purchased	416	498	384	442	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	428	290
farms	2 405	3 565	2 375	3 530	farms	(NA)	(NA)	340	125
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	662	684	606	603	\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	199	190
farms	4 440	1 644	4 397	1 615	farms	(NA)	(NA)	101	46
Commercially mixed formula feeds	532	475	496	432	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	(NA)	(NA)	712	688
farms	2 283	780	2 263	772	farms	(NA)	(NA)	122	84
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	214	126	Hired farm labor	287	440	278	416
farms	(NA)	(NA)	358	152	farms	726	708	721	698
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	366	293	\$1,000	59	515	58	56
farms	(NA)	(NA)	1 244	537	farms	94	452	94	41
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	129	103	\$1,000	416		400	467
farms	(NA)	(NA)	533	154	farms	611		609	407
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	523	(NA)	\$1,000	772	770	710	687
farms	(NA)	(NA)	224	(NA)	farms	8 225	5 794	7 953	5 708
\$1,000					\$1,000				

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	786	788	716	685					
farms	18 565	8 832	17 997	8 461					
\$1,000 and over	23 620	11 207	25 135	12 352					
Average per farm									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	82	43	53	176					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	132	208	110	150					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	172	166	156	225					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	179	237	179	83					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	148	134	145	36					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	47		47	15					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	26		26						
\$70,000 and over									
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	671	679	620	601					
farms	941	913	869	814					
mfd in last 5 years, number	490	545	468	497					
Motor trucks, including pickups	743	715	681	648					
farms	1 409	1 247	1 329	1 163					
number	595	543	566	520					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Wheel tractors	723	697	668	643					
farms	2 070	1 957	1 973	1 822					
number	327	465	304	434					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Crawler tractors	52		51	48					
farms	55		54	54					
number	3		3	13					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	159	155	159	152					
farms	171	163	171	160					
number	33	43	33	41					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Corn heads for combines	3	43	3	4					
farms	3	49	3	6					
number	1	2	1	—					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	37		36	41					
farms	38		37	42					
number	2		2	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Mower conditioners	65	(NA)	63	(NA)					
farms	75	(NA)	73	(NA)					
number	15	(NA)	15	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Pickup balers	217	227	207	215					
farms	225	234	215	222					
number	64	93	64	86					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	358	(NA)	352	243					
farms	379	(NA)	373	253					
number	152	(NA)	151	128					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	62	(NA)	58	56					
farms	67	(NA)	63	63					
number	14	(NA)	14	25					
mfd in last 5 years, number									

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	745	(X)	674	(X)	741	(X)	680	(X)	18 164
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	729	(X)	663	(X)	735	(X)	678	(X)	15 911
1974	726	(X)	646	(X)	740	(X)	660	(X)	(NA)
1969	712	125 616	649	124 462	708	74 742	658	74 310	13 953
Cattle and calves	699	111 926	627	110 805	718	87 777	646	87 155	14 575
Farms with—									
1 to 4	9	30	5	18	24	61	16	39	9
5 to 9	20	154	5	35	43	285	23	150	31
10 to 19	35	509	11	173	52	687	32	457	95
20 to 49	84	2 768	69	2 341	155	5 070	153	5 025	945
50 to 99	153	10 670	148	10 410	179	12 882	179	12 882	2 444
100 to 199	208	29 381	208	29 381	160	22 654	160	22 654	4 163
200 to 499	165	50 814	165	50 814	85	25 155	85	25 155	4 589
500 and over	38	31 290	38	31 290	10	7 948	10	7 948	1 677
Cows and heifers that had calved	654	73 621	605	72 942	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	638	60 116	579	59 569	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	622	70 219	579	69 571	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	(NA)	57 639	547	57 122	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	255	3 402	239	3 371	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	285	2 477	268	2 447	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	69	(X)	2 079
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	102	(X)	944
1969									
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	622	70 219	579	69 571	Cattle sold				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	11	31	7	21	35	92			21
5 to 9	22	162	12	89	46	306			70
10 to 19	43	620	23	371	76	1 067			242
20 to 49	114	3 616	108	3 450	151	4 812			1 243
50 to 99	173	12 252	170	12 102	114	7 850			2 076
100 to 199	154	20 297	154	20 297	50	6 595			1 647
200 to 499	95	25 604	95	25 604	41	12 061			2 748
500 and over	10	7 637	10	7 637	5	3 617			900
Milk cows	255	3 402	239	3 371	Calves sold				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	159	222	148	206	8	11			1
3 or 4	20	65	15	50	2	7			1
5 to 9	14	85	14	85	20	135			15
10 to 19	8	113	8	113	42	612			80
20 to 49	29	1 069	29	1 069	131	4 127			537
50 to 99	20	1 309	20	1 309	144	10 155			1 316
100 to 199	5	539	5	539	79	10 764			1 474
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	34	9 158			1 157
500 and over	—	—	—	—	4	2 941			426

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	1974	521	26 816	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	1974	31	1 054	379
	1969	535	28 678		1969	12	887	(NA)
Beef heifers	1974	486	25 197	Farms with—	1974	12	65	20
Milk heifers	1974	75	1 619	1 to 9	1974	3	49	15
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1974	534	24 704	10 to 19	1974	11	310	80
	1969	580	22 558	20 to 49	1974	1	(D)	(D)
				50 to 99	1974	3	373	145
				100 to 199	1974	1	(D)	(D)
				200 to 499	1974	—	—	—
				500 and over	1974	—	—	—

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	1974	85	7 236	81	6 924	81	12 021	77	11 761	635
	1969	88	2 988	86	2 984	86	5 143	85	5 142	(NA)
Farms with—										
1 to 4	1974	12	32	12	32	2	4	2	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1974	7	46	7	46	3	24	3	24	2
10 to 24	1974	16	265	16	265	10	165	10	165	9
25 to 49	1974	18	607	18	607	10	353	10	353	15
50 to 99	1974	10	678	6	366	17	1 104	13	844	34
100 to 199	1974	13	1 607	13	1 607	15	1 921	15	1 921	104
200 to 499	1974	6	1 931	6	1 931	19	4 863	19	4 863	221
500 and over	1974	3	2 070	3	2 070	5	3 587	5	3 587	249
Feeder pigs sold	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	43	3 537	39	3 277	67
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	32	2 299	32	2 299	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	1974	123	50 760	118	50 509	128	43 235	124	43 027	(NA)
	1969	154	57 009	142	56 285	164	52 039	152	51 333	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	117	45 906	1 457 425
Sheep, lambs, and wool	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	125	(X)	1 323
Goats	1974	(NA)	(NA)	2	8	(NA)	(NA)	1	2	(Z)
	1969	(NA)	(NA)	4	11	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1974	267	1 650	248	1 580	51	409	46	402	62
	1969	423	2 159	(NA)	(NA)	63	252	(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	1974	58	1 178	Litters of pigs farrowed between—				
	1969	57	546	December 1 of preceding year and November 30				
Other hogs and pigs	1974	72	5 746	1974	69	1 568	65	1 520
	1969	76	2 438	1969	61	634	61	634
Lambs under 1 year old	1974	71	11 124	1974	62	948	58	924
Ewes 1 year old or older	1974	115	38 217	1969	51	365	51	365
Rams and wethers	1974	87	1 168	1974	53	620	49	596
				1969	41	269	41	269

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	1974	149	(X)	163	(X)	32	(X)	31	(X)
	1969	(NA)	(X)	224	(X)	(NA)	(X)	43	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1974	158	16 329	152	16 117	25	7 030	25	7 030
	1969	241	19 930	219	18 010	41	7 629	37	6 229
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	156	15 249	150	15 051	25	7 016	25	7 016
	1969	233	17 938	211	16 023	38	7 205	34	5 805
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1974	128	3 978	122	3 780	12	439	12	439
100 to 399	1974	21	3 751	21	3 751	8	1 783	8	1 783
400 to 1,599	1974	5	(D)	5	(D)	4	3 094	4	3 094
1,600 to 3,199	1974	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	1 700	1	1 700
3,200 to 9,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1974	20	2 024	20	2 024	4	215	3	165
	1969	4	186	3	86	2	180	2	180
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	64	75	62	75
	1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	83	52

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	150	15 051	25	7 016	Turkeys	21	198	2	16
1969	211	16 023	34	5 805	1969	37	691	3	406
Hens for table or market egg production	147	14 645	24	6 896	1974	7	88	2	16
Hens for hatching egg production	6	406	1	120	1974	4	22	—	—
					1974	3	66	2	16
Pullets 3 months old or older	9	764	—	—	1974	19	110	1	—
1969	15	1 571	4	260	1969	35	537	1	341
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	42	302	3	14	1974	12	(X)	2	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	1	36	1969	34	(X)	4	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes	78	101	5 021	6 125	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes	70	74	4 118	4 318	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Wheat (bushels)	302	368	49 311	39 427	1 216	874	1 002	098		
Other small grains for grain	222	338	16 112	24 578	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	—	—	—		
Hay crops (tons, dry)	610	606	135 664	144 523	109 887	136 309	(X)	(X)		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	7	4	42	24	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Land in orchards	2	—	1	—	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Berries for sale	2	4	(Z)	1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Other crops	125	(NA)	8 086	2 127	(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)	30	31	1 560	1 437	74 471	40 528	13	11	587	284
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	40	57	2 608	3 125	10 523	14 211	9	12	309	391
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	17	28	853	1 465	(X)	(X)	1	3	1	81
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	13	7	432	204	5 901	4 037	—	1	—	7
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	58	(NA)	3 629	4 022	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	30	37
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	540	532	102 723	95 399	84 539	95 608	38	30	3 056	2 202

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	Total		Dry		Liquid			
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons		
Cropland used only for pasture	188	32 060	(X)	2	110	4	510	2	10	2	17
1969	161	38 544	(X)	8	743	2	215	1	8	1	3
Improved pasture	40	80 118	(X)	—	—	2	499	2	27	—	—
1969	64	70 027	(X)	6	660	4	517	2	14	2	22
Corn for all purposes	78	5 021	(X)	18	897	33	1 800	32	193	4	5
1969	100	6 027	(X)	19	756	31	1 421	25	120	11	24
Sorghums for all purposes	67	4 061	(X)	1	30	8	481	8	29	—	—
1969	71	4 226	(X)	5	44	15	714	14	19	1	1
Wheat (bushels)	300	49 285	1 216 524	2	23	77	18 153	68	664	13	187
1969	355	39 141	996 156	5	231	72	13 139	(NA)	364	(NA)	27
Oats (bushels)	173	11 359	263 139	8	228	17	1 442	17	77	1	2
1969	308	18 569	744 192	9	353	50	3 091	(NA)	149	(NA)	18
Barley (bushels)	84	3 790	78 505	2	28	8	480	8	25	—	—
1969	113	5 429	166 644	4	144	21	934	(NA)	29	(NA)	11
Rye (bushels)	4	—560	9 140	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	7	245	4 510	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	5	239	(X)	—	—	1	116	—	—	1	6
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	581	134 449	109 003	40	3 256	22	1 740	19	78	3	30
1969	584	143 431	135 339	34	2 804	25	4 166	20	216	5	14
Field seed crops	122	8 077	(X)	3	61	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—
1969	47	2 126	(X)	4	202	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	(Z)	4	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	5	2	40	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	5	37	(X)	5	37	5	29	5	13	—	—
1969	1	20	(X)	1	20	1	20	1	8	—	—
Land in orchards	1	1	(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)	1	(Z)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974..	1	(X)	1	1	1	(Z)	-	-	-	-
	1969..	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974..	1	(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					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
lime					Diseases in crops and orchards				
farms	303		372		acres on which used	1 170		35	
\$1,000	398		177		farms	4		(Z)	
Commercial fertilizer	148		127		Weeds or grass in crops	130		155	
acres on which used	25 252		24 218		acres on which used	29 460		29 851	
farms	1 361		1 047		farms	63		25	
\$1,000	273		118		acres on which used	9		7	
Lime					Weeds or brush in pasture	512		245	
farms					acres on which used	1		(Z)	
acres on which used			20		Weeds on all other land	23		(NA)	
farms			36		acres on which used	633		(NA)	
\$1,000			(Z)		farms	2		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on hay crops	80		27		of crops or thinning of fruit	1		8	
acres on which used	7 408		4 303		acres on which used	8		514	
farms	21		6		farms	(Z)		1	
\$1,000	33		15		acres on which used	133		233	
Insects on other crops	4 392		1 203		farms	16		21	
acres on which used	17		2		\$1,000	24		(NA)	
farms					Other chemicals (see text)	2		(NA)	
acres on which used					farms				
\$1,000					\$1,000				

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	43		52		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	6.0		7.5		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	1		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	4 618		6 026		acres	155		(NA)	
Average per farm	107.4		115.8		Other sprinkler systems	5		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	43		50		acres	293		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	4 618		5 366		Land in irrigated farms	187 947		235 082	
farms	43		47		Cropland	22 750		34 681	
acres	4 508		4 555		Harvested cropland	16 659		19 539	
Cropland pasture irrigated	2		8		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
farms	110		743		between 1970 and 1973	15		(X)	
acres			(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	1 280		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated			68		Farms with artificial drainage	5		14	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture			6		Proportion of farms	0.7		2.0	
farms			660		Land in farms with drainage	8 420		13 576	
acres					Land drained	39		2 445	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	5 630		6 808		Average per farm	7.8		174.6	
Average per acre irrigated	1.2		1.1		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Land irrigated by—					tanks	458		(NA)	
Furrows or ditches	16		(NA)		number	3 805		(NA)	
acres	853		(NA)		acres	5 800		(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)	406	315	274
\$1,000	24 345	16 935	7 411
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	36	23	33
\$5,000 to \$9,999	34	32	43
\$10,000 to \$29,999	118	90	114
\$30,000 to \$49,999	60	64	43
\$50,000 and over	158	106	41

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	278	103	86	151
150 days or more	103	111	154	171	532		Cash wages paid—\$1,000	721	532	116	73
25 to 149 days	86	358	175	803	116		Number of workers	948	154	175	619
Less than 25 days	151		619		73		Farms with—				
Total contract labor	58	56	(NA)	(NA)	94	41	1 worker	113	69	43	63
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	23	(NA)	136	(NA)	36	(NA)	2 workers	55	21	23	23
							3 or 4 workers	60	13	15	30
							5 to 9 workers	38		4	25
							10 workers and over	12		1	10