



**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.....	1	6	1	6			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	17	9	17	9			
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	14		14				
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	84	53	84	53			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	146	144	146	144			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	178	221	178	221			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	617	817	15	5			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	81	80	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	100	142	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	145	170	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	291	425	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>							
\$1,000.....	5 013	5 212	4 354	4 419			
Average per farm.....dollars	4 743	4 169	9 569	10 089			
<b>Crops, including hay</b> .....farms	432	569	268	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	1 522	858	1 377	640			
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms	5		1				
\$1,000.....	6		(Z)				
<b>Forest products</b> .....farms	66	57	48	31			
\$1,000.....	163	154	155	141			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> .....farms	898	987	404	425			
\$1,000.....	3 322	4 200	2 822	3 637			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b> .....farms	51	(NA)	19	29			
\$1,000.....	12	(NA)	9	11			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
Crops.....farms	268	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	1 377	640					
Grains.....farms	81	63					
\$1,000.....	314	47					
Tobacco.....farms	176	189					
\$1,000.....	929	492					
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms	-	-					
\$1,000.....	-	-					
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....farms	95	84					
\$1,000.....	121	74					
Other field crops.....farms	5	15					
\$1,000.....	1	25					
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms	10	3					
\$1,000.....	12	3					
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms	2	(Z)					
\$1,000.....	(Z)	(Z)					
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b> .....farms	404	425					
\$1,000.....	2 822	3 637					
Poultry and poultry products.....farms	19	29					
\$1,000.....	9	11					
Dairy products.....farms	23	49					
\$1,000.....	589	350					
Cattle and calves.....farms	394	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	1 584	2 795					
Hogs and pigs.....farms	142	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	540	482					
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....farms	4						
\$1,000.....	1						
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b> .....farms	20						
\$1,000.....	99						

**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
<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>	646	(NA)	193	(NA)			
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b> .....farms	241	(NA)	127	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	253	(NA)	197	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms	62	63	40	39			
\$1,000.....	150	42	132	34			
Recreational services.....farms	7	10	-	-			
\$1,000.....	1	7	-	4			
Government farm programs.....farms	139	485	79	217			
\$1,000.....	54	295	32	161			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms	52	(NA)	20	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	41	(NA)	27	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources.....farms	17	(NA)	14	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	7	(NA)	6	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup> .....farms	66	(NA)	42	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	117	(NA)	100	(NA)			
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b> .....farms							322
\$1,000.....							3 504
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related</b> .....farms							66
\$1,000.....							894
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips</b> .....farms							216
\$1,000.....							2 204
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties</b> .....farms							103
\$1,000.....							167
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.</b> .....farms							82
\$1,000.....							197
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property</b> .....farms							20
\$1,000.....							41

<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	1 053	1 250	455	438					
\$1,000.....	4 412	4 844	3 555	3 886					
<b>Farms with</b> .....									
\$1 to \$999.....	290	494	20	82					
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	261	252	67	89					
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	134	179	71	89					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	163	145	107	103					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	123	120	108	104					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	43		43	46					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	28	60	28	10					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	6		6						
\$60,000 and over.....	5		5	4					
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b> .....farms	422	585	184	235					
\$1,000.....	596	1 371	434	1 199					
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b> .....farms	797	883	361	369					
\$1,000.....	1 149	1 204	932	1 030					
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b> .....farms	513	501	287	296					
\$1,000.....	652	349	585	304					
Feed ingredients.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	86	50					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	108	99					
Whole grains.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	193	132					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	192	459					
Hay, green chop, and silage.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	41	66					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	46	168					
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	200	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	24	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b> .....farms	441	518	201	228					
\$1,000.....	79	53	58	36					
<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased</b> .....farms	780	932	388	389					
\$1,000.....	447	306	350	205					
<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b> .....farms	325	(NA)	214	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	62	54	52	35					
Lime.....farms	(NA)	297	44	144					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	35	11	21					
<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b> .....farms	1 009	1 185	453	434					
\$1,000.....	338	248	252	154					
Gasoline.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	400	379					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	143	97					
Diesel oil.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	309	183					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	70	29					
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	-	20					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	3					
<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil</b> .....farms	(NA)	(NA)	453	434					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	39	26					
<b>Hired farm labor</b> .....farms	355	556	216	256					
\$1,000.....	221	234	198	180					
<b>Contract labor</b> .....farms	42	546	21	20					
\$1,000.....	28	158	19	14					
<b>Machine hire and customwork</b> .....farms	374		185	228					
\$1,000.....	112		82	86					
<b>All other production expenses</b> .....farms	886	950	450	436					
\$1,000.....	1 380	1 217	1 155	947					

**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>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment.....	1 004	1 163	436	424					
..... farms.....	8 949	5 290	5 174	2 842					
..... \$1,000.....	8 913	4 548	11 866	6 701					
Average per farm.....									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	19	151	5	205					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	311	657	107	140					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	392	226	129	17					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	190	94	118	55					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	66		55	17					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	21		17	5					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	2	35	2	2					
\$70,000 and over.....	3		3	2					
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles..... farms.....	662	745	283	270	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	22	13	20	13
..... number.....	806	902	350	319	..... number.....	23	13	21	13
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	447	507	176	197	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	3	2	3	2
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	802	847	368	345	Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	5	62	4	5
..... number.....	939	964	458	425	..... number.....	5	67	4	5
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	341	536	171	255	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	12	1	1
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	854	923	391	369	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	59		53	47
..... number.....	1 085	1 145	580	510	..... number.....	60		54	49
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	173	422	121	219	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8		8	8
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	35		22	21	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	123	(NA)	76	(NA)
..... number.....	35		22	22	..... number.....	136	(NA)	82	(NA)
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6		5	8	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	40	(NA)	27	(NA)
					Pickup balers..... farms.....	198	193	144	146
					..... number.....	201	199	146	152
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	51	108	46	85
					Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	77	(NA)	57	64
					..... number.....	78	(NA)	58	66
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	17	(NA)	17	41
					Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	19	(NA)	15	17
					..... number.....	19	(NA)	15	18
					..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	(NA)	6	9

**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..	928	(X)	406	(X)	898	(X)	404	(X) 2 822
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974..	908	(X)	400	(X)	881	(X)	403	(X) 2 125
.....1969..	1 002	(X)	413	(X)	967	(X)	425	(X) (NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974..	880	32 785	391	22 723	839	12 231	394	9 303 1 584
.....1969..	946	29 611	399	21 256	892	19 698	411	15 980 2 795
Farms with—								
1 to 4.....1974..	40	123	7	22	209	538	35	103 117
5 to 9.....1974..	81	552	9	65	241	1 650	71	471 75
10 to 19.....1974..	202	2 924	43	631	208	2 789	110	1 545 281
20 to 49.....1974..	363	11 238	159	5 286	145	4 285	142	4 215 727
50 to 99.....1974..	132	8 868	111	7 639	29	1 860	29	1 860 290
100 to 199.....1974..	57	7 265	57	7 265	5	(D)	5	(D) (D)
200 to 499.....1974..	3	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D) (D)
500 and over.....1974..	2	(D)	2	(D)	-	-	-	- -
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974..	756	17 670	355	12 337	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969..	789	12 668	354	8 698	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Beef cows.....1974..	731	16 705	345	11 507	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969..	(NA)	11 467	315	7 627	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Milk cows.....1974..	96	965	49	830	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
.....1969..	137	1 201	74	1 071	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	23	(X) 589
.....1969..	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	49	(X) 350
<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	Farms	Number Dollars (1,000)
Beef cows.....	731	16 705	345	11 507	Cattle sold.....	281	4 157	989
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 to 4.....	69	184	14	34	1 to 4.....	60	142	129
5 to 9.....	148	1 005	43	296	5 to 9.....	71	474	114
10 to 19.....	200	2 762	78	1 127	10 to 19.....	78	1 094	242
20 to 49.....	250	7 083	147	4 449	20 to 49.....	63	1 808	391
50 to 99.....	53	3 679	52	3 609	50 to 99.....	8	(D)	(D)
100 to 199.....	9	(D)	9	(D)	100 to 199.....	1	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	-	-	-
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....	-	-	-
Milk cows.....	96	965	49	830	Calves sold.....	279	5 146	595
Farms with—					Farms with—			
1 or 2.....	48	62	22	32	1 or 2.....	21	34	4
3 or 4.....	12	42	-	-	3 or 4.....	27	92	12
5 to 9.....	14	91	6	38	5 to 9.....	69	434	57
10 to 19.....	6	67	5	57	10 to 19.....	74	1 047	133
20 to 49.....	9	291	9	291	20 to 49.....	74	2 144	261
50 to 99.....	7	412	7	412	50 to 99.....	10	628	83
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....	2	(D)	(D)
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	2	(D)	(D)
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	69	1 983	5	110	Turkeys	6	35	1	5
1969	76	3 550	7	548	1969	2	52	3	56
Hens for table or market egg production	67	1 846	5	110	Turkeys for slaughter	4	27	1	5
1974	67	1 846	5	110	Heavy breed	4	27	1	5
Hens for hatching egg production	5	137	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1974	5	137	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	4	8	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	3	95	—	—	1974	4	8	—	—
1969	4	54	—	—	1969	2	51	1	50
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	33	134	1	8	Other poultry	10	(X)	2	(X)
1974	33	134	1	8	1974	4	(X)	1	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—	1969	4	(X)	1	(X)

**Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969**

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes	252	231	2 640	2 508	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes	19	30	172	186	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	30	7	1 377	121	23 805	2 059	24 000	12 487		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	1	2	30	800	—	(X)	(X)		
Wheat (bushels)	18	29	742	520	23 320	—	—	—		
Other small grains for grain	8	10	79	143	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Tobacco (pounds)	250	360	706	742	1 139 802	1 246 222	—	—		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	63	(NA)	15	(NA)	1 178	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	27	(NA)	5	(NA)	496	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)		
Hay crops (tons, dry)	596	595	12 660	11 620	19 121	15 804	(X)	(X)		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	20	17	52	24	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Land in orchards	22	18	75	13	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Berries for sale	1	11	10	2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Other crops	16	(NA)	62	243	(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)	138	105	1 770	1 465	85 188	59 136	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	14	20	260	308	3 925	4 303	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	2	—	14	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	7	5	123	65	6 116	3 229	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	8	(NA)	43	9	(X)	(X)	1	(NA)	1	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	53	20	601	476	1 550	856	—	—	—	—

**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	360	34 047	(X)	—	—	132	5 771	128	844	4	13
1969	352	30 963	(X)	—	—	180	7 940	180	1 474	—	—
Improved pasture	64	3 065	(X)	—	—	15	661	15	91	—	—
1969	69	3 757	(X)	—	—	35	1 106	35	194	—	—
Corn for all purposes	146	2 044	(X)	—	—	121	1 724	121	424	14	33
1969	117	1 773	(X)	—	—	83	1 106	83	298	5	12
Sorghums for all purposes	14	166	(X)	1	1	10	123	10	20	1	(Z)
1969	12	74	(X)	—	—	9	71	9	11	1	1
Wheat (bushels)	18	742	23 320	—	—	17	709	17	127	3	6
1969	27	512	12 267	—	—	10	189	(NA)	41	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels)	3	16	435	—	—	1	4	1	(Z)	—	—
1969	3	66	1 760	—	—	2	60	(NA)	6	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	2	21	660	—	—	2	21	2	3	—	—
1969	2	19	315	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	1	40	(X)	—	—	1	40	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	1	40	(X)	—	—	1	40	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	28	1 350	23 417	—	—	15	850	14	133	1	6
1969	5	109	1 705	—	—	4	100	(NA)	11	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	2	2	800	—	—	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—
1969	1	30	24 000	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	324	9 047	14 709	—	—	111	2 612	107	461	4	14
1969	271	7 408	10 952	—	—	107	2 399	107	439	—	—
Field seed crops	6	52	(X)	—	—	2	20	2	2	—	—
1969	4	112	(X)	—	—	2	26	2	3	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	176	620	1 041 080	—	—	176	622	176	476	5	2
1969	194	557	975 733	7	14	194	557	(NA)	415	(NA)	1
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	31	6	444	—	—	13	3	13	2	—	—
1969	41	6	725	—	—	19	4	(NA)	3	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	11	36	(X)	—	—	7	31	7	8	—	—
1974	11	36	(X)	—	—	7	31	7	8	—	—
1969	2	17	(X)	—	—	2	17	2	3	—	—
Land in orchards	5	62	(X)	—	—	1	55	1	9	—	—
1974	5	62	(X)	—	—	1	55	1	9	—	—
1969	2	7	(X)	—	—	2	7	2	2	—	—

**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 .....	1	10	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1969 .....	4	1	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1	-	(X)	-	-	1	(Z)	-	-	-	
1974 .....	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
1969 .....	-	-	(X)	-	-	7	2	-	-	-	
Other crops .....	4	4	(X)	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	
1974 .....	-	-	(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	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000		Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	400		397		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	-		-	
lime .....	402		240		Diseases in crops and orchards .....	-		1	
Commercial fertilizer .....	388		359		acres on which used .....	-		5	
acres on which used .....	13 282		13 771		\$1,000 .....	-		(Z)	
tons .....	2 683		2 966		Weeds or grass in crops .....	42		20	
\$1,000 .....	350		205		acres on which used .....	1 531		275	
Lime .....	44		144		\$1,000 .....	16		1	
acres on which used .....	1 191		3 079		Weeds or brush in pasture .....	2		3	
tons .....	2 864		6 054		acres on which used .....	70		62	
\$1,000 .....	11		21		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		1	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land .....	5		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops .....	20		6		acres on which used .....	14		(NA)	
acres on which used .....	250		65		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(NA)	
\$1,000 .....	2		(Z)		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops .....	94		109		of crops or thinning of fruit .....	3		9	
acres on which used .....	600		391		acres on which used .....	10		26	
\$1,000 .....	10		6		\$1,000 .....	(Z)		(Z)	
Nematodes in crops .....	-		3		Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	46		131	
acres on which used .....	-		3		\$1,000 .....	3		5	
\$1,000 .....	-		(Z)		Other chemicals (see text) .....	48		(NA)	
					\$1,000 .....	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	percent	Farms	percent		Farms	percent	Farms	percent
Farms irrigated in census year .....	-		7		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	-		1.5		Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	-		(NA)	
Total land irrigated .....	-		18		acres .....	-		(NA)	
Average per farm .....	-		2.5		Other sprinkler systems .....	-		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated .....	-		7		acres .....	-		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	-		18		Land in irrigated farms .....	-		1 210	
acres .....	-		7		Cropland .....	-		398	
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	-		15		Harvested cropland .....	-		83	
acres .....	-		-		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Other cropland irrigated .....	-		(NA)		between 1970 and 1973 .....	4		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	-		3		acres irrigated in most recent year .....	407		(X)	
acres .....	-		-		Farms with artificial drainage .....	5		22	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	-		10		Proportion of farms .....	1.1		5.0	
Average per acre irrigated .....	-		0.6		Land in farms with drainage .....	1 112		6 335	
Land irrigated by—					Land drained .....	128		2 232	
Furrows or ditches .....	(NA)		(NA)		Average per farm .....	25.6		101.4	
acres .....	(NA)		(NA)		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks .....	228		(NA)	
					number .....	946		(NA)	
					acres .....	495		(NA)	

**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) .....	-		138		110		75	
Farms by size of debt owed:			3 699		2 918		780	
Under \$5,000 .....			41		31		39	
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....			22		9		19	
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....			34		34		10	
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....			13		18		4	
\$50,000 and over .....			28		18		3	

**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—											
150 days or more .....	9	16	15	26	65		216	9	29	192	
25 to 149 days .....	29	245	55	1 091	42	180	198	65	42	91	
Less than 25 days .....	192		(NA)		91		1 651	15	55	1 581	
Total contract labor .....	21	20	(NA)	(NA)	19	14					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	4	(NA)	10	(NA)	3	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker .....							51	6	16	39	
2 workers .....							19	1	6	16	
3 or 4 workers .....							37	2	6	29	
5 to 9 workers .....							50	-	1	49	
10 workers and over .....							59	-	-	59	