

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	21	41	21	41			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	29		29				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	45	59	44	59			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48	86	48	86			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	78	143	78	143			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	114	165	114	163			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	469	890	38	84			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	56	80	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	79	97	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	88	185	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	246	528	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	13 676	9 563	13 214	8 806			
Average per farm dollars	17 010	6 909	35 522	15 287			
Crops, including hay							
farms	264	529	183	(NA)			
\$1,000	3 159	2 914	3 082	2 374			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	17		17	12			
\$1,000	1 420		1 420	400			
Forest products							
farms	9	6	3	5			
\$1,000	9	1	7	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	607	991	274	423			
\$1,000	9 089	6 648	8 706	6 030			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	19	(NA)	11	24			
\$1,000	25	(NA)	22	360			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms					183	(NA)	
\$1,000					3 082	2 374	
Grains							
farms					115	217	
\$1,000					2 251	1 073	
Tobacco							
farms					-	-	
\$1,000					-	-	
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms					55	168	
\$1,000					364	802	
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms					83	157	
\$1,000					395	397	
Other field crops							
farms					3	3	
\$1,000					5	12	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms					12	13	
\$1,000					56	83	
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms					5	15	
\$1,000					11	7	
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms					274	423	
\$1,000					8 706	6 030	
Poultry and poultry products							
farms					11	24	
\$1,000					22	360	
Dairy products							
farms					12	24	
\$1,000					2 220	1 945	
Cattle and calves							
farms					233	(NA)	
\$1,000					6 014	3 177	
Hogs and pigs							
farms					26	(NA)	
\$1,000					98	548	
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms					6		
\$1,000					6		
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms					39		
\$1,000					345		

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 sold¹	498	(NA)	160	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources²	234
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹					farms	4 345
farms	148	(NA)	103	(NA)	\$1,000	
\$1,000	375	(NA)	332	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	46
Customwork and other agricultural services	38	110	29	65	farms	804
\$1,000	80	284	76	198	\$1,000	
Recreational services	8	33	3	7	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	150
\$1,000	9	32	7	18	farms	2 286
Government farm programs	67	273	58	197	\$1,000	
\$1,000	144	861	138	826	Interest, dividends, or royalties	102
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	58	(NA)	33	(NA)	farms	1 001
\$1,000	112	(NA)	84	(NA)	\$1,000	
Other farm-related sources	14	(NA)	10	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	36
\$1,000	30	(NA)	27	(NA)	farms	144
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	52	(NA)	34	(NA)	\$1,000	
\$1,000	116	(NA)	95	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	39
					farms	110
					\$1,000	

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	795	1 384	372	576	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	298	515	181	322
\$1,000	12 900	9 445	12 153	8 115	farms	477	262	460	243
Farms with					\$1,000				
\$1 to \$999	188	368	13	62	Commercial fertilizer purchased	319	579	175	328
\$1,000 to \$1,999	146	287			farms	680	519	635	465
\$2,000 to \$2,999	96	166	40	57	\$1,000				
\$3,000 to \$4,999	118	198	56	115	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	152	(NA)	96	(NA)
\$5,000 to \$9,999	97	180	82	159	farms	117	160	112	151
\$10,000 to \$19,999	74		74	98	\$1,000				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	36	185	35	49	Lime	(NA)	27	6	11
\$40,000 to \$59,999	10		10		farms	(NA)	8	4	7
\$60,000 and over	30		30	36	\$1,000				
Livestock and poultry purchased	282	594	151	251	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	732	1 282	356	573
\$1,000	3 202	1 559	3 074	1 290	farms	569	577	506	451
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased	597	1 030	255	392	Gasoline	(NA)	(NA)	276	534
\$1,000	3 314	1 744	3 099	1 495	farms	(NA)	(NA)	226	268
Commercially mixed formula feeds	437	610	217	302	Diesel oil	(NA)	(NA)	166	197
\$1,000	1 209	970	1 095	875	farms	(NA)	(NA)	145	79
(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	79	62	\$1,000			91	189
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	247	120	LP gas, butane, and propane	(NA)	(NA)	67	58
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	77	97	farms	(NA)	(NA)	356	573
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	1 438	350	\$1,000			68	45
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	56	123	Hired farm labor	216	532	135	338
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	318	150	farms	981	1 090	946	1 017
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)			\$1,000			46	109
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	182	(NA)	Contract labor	75	584	118	120
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	120	(NA)	farms	130	487	119	263
					\$1,000			147	301
					Machine hire and customwork	197		119	263
					farms	171		147	301
					\$1,000			364	557
					All other production expenses	695	1 103	2 936	2 583
					farms	3 259	3 046		
					\$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					Selected Machinery & Equip. — Con.				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	665	1 243	293	556	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	66	105	60	91
..... \$1,000.....	8 874	8 757	6 280	6 143	..... number.....	72	119	66	105
Average per farm..... dollars.....	13 344	7 044	21 432	11 048	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	18	43	18	41
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	4	47	2	6
\$1 to \$999.....	12	125	4	211	..... number.....	4	54	2	8
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	184	610	56		mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	13	1	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	235	273	60	155	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	12		6	34
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	116	130	68	101	..... number.....	14		6	35
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	48		37	36	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	8
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	38	105	36	33	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	118	(NA)	66	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	18		18	20	..... number.....	138	(NA)	79	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	14		14		mfd in last 5 years, number.....	41	(NA)	33	(NA)
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Pickup balers..... farms.....	75	142	57	101
Automobiles..... farms.....	364	711	163	330	..... number.....	87	165	66	123
..... number.....	447	973	216	480	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	37	96	35	74
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	201	606	130	293	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	50	(NA)	38	77
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	523	936	245	465	..... number.....	57	(NA)	45	84
..... number.....	766	1 336	447	771	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	19	(NA)	17	47
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	292	701	214	396	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	8	(NA)	7	10
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	565	1 004	250	488	..... number.....	10	(NA)	9	11
..... number.....	1 062	1 721	587	1 042	mfd in last 5 years, number.....	6	(NA)	6	6
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	255	600	146	391					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	19		9	26					
..... number.....	19		9	29					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-		-	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.....	618	(X)	275	(X)	607	(X)	274	(X)	8 706
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	563	(X)	237	(X)	573	(X)	251	(X)	6 118
..... 1969.....	877	(X)	373	(X)	845	(X)	383	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	535	28 627	220	21 664	539	28 133	233	25 886	6 014
..... 1969.....	818	32 457	353	25 401	787	23 533	359	19 379	3 177
Farms with—									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	26	78	5	12	132	327	23	48	10
..... 1974.....	28	220	5	41	128	902	13	91	13
5 to 9..... 1974.....	136	1 916	20	269	131	1 753	55	802	149
..... 1974.....	213	6 437	75	2 363	86	2 556	81	2 444	404
10 to 19..... 1974.....	77	4 994	60	3 997	38	2 574	37	2 480	371
..... 1974.....	31	4 407	31	4 407	16	2 306	16	2 306	429
20 to 49..... 1974.....	17	4 367	17	4 367	4	1 043	4	1 043	136
..... 1974.....	7	6 208	7	6 208	4	16 672	4	16 672	4 502
50 to 99..... 1974.....									
..... 1974.....									
100 to 199..... 1974.....									
..... 1974.....									
200 to 499..... 1974.....									
..... 1974.....									
500 and over..... 1974.....									
..... 1974.....									
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	435	14 483	195	11 187	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	658	17 415	309	13 958	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	419	12 056	183	8 831	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	14 751	288	11 350	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	40	2 427	21	2 356	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	70	2 664	49	2 608	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)	2 220
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	24	(X)	1 945
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.....	419	12 056	183	8 831	Cattle sold.....	187	20 213	5 483	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	44	122	8	23	1 to 4.....	34	78	18	
.....	83	570	13	83	.....	41	269	55	
5 to 9.....	119	1 633	39	548	10 to 19.....	46	594	128	
.....	114	3 471	67	2 083	.....	39	1 149	263	
10 to 19.....	34	2 120	31	1 954	20 to 49.....	15	959	210	
.....	19	2 510	19	2 510	.....	8	1 102	327	
20 to 49.....	6	1 630	6	1 630	50 to 99.....	2	(D)	(D)	
.....	-	-	-	-	.....	2	(D)	(D)	
50 to 99.....					100 to 199.....				
.....								
100 to 199.....					200 to 499.....				
.....								
200 to 499.....					500 and over.....				
.....									
500 and over.....					Calves sold.....	177	5 673	531	
					Farms with—				
					1 to 2.....	17	25	3	
					.....	12	41	5	
					3 to 4.....	26	175	22	
					.....	48	666	79	
					20 to 49.....	44	1 395	159	
					.....	19	1 260	133	
					50 to 99.....	9	1 278	118	
					.....	1	(D)	(D)	
					100 to 199.....				
								
					200 to 499.....				
								
					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	27	2 512	5	325	Turkeys	1	3	—	—
1969	44	41 251	13	30 016	1969	3	25	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	24	2 302	5	325	Turkeys for slaughter	1	3	—	—
1969	5	210	—	—	Heavy breed	1	3	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	—	—	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	3	21	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	2	60	—	—	1974	2	(X)	1	(X)
1969	2	24	2	300	1969	17	(X)	6	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	15	68	1	1					
1974	1	25	—	—					
1969	—	—	—	—					
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	—	—	—					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	22	37	396	2 185	(X)	(X)
1969	123	208	17 393	23 358	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	4	2	1 227	114	36 270	3 920
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	15 280
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	81	197	9 821	16 047	150 734	331 101
1969	55	141	2 709	8 347	(X)	(X)
Wheat (bushels)	55	183	7 554	20 888	2 348	8 299
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	(NA)	1	(NA)	300	(NA)
1969	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Cotton (bales)	243	410	15 836	21 734	21 830	30 158
1969	17	18	85	149	(X)	(X)
Tobacco (pounds)	26	47	194	1 090	(X)	(X)
1974	—	1	—	(2)	(X)	(X)
1969	19	(NA)	108	622	(X)	(X)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Land in orchards	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other crops	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	13	24	348	618	15 784	29 495	—	—	—	—
1969	—	3	—	1 475	—	7 000	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	94	153	15 437	21 137	572 747	624 023	1	3	2	511
1969	17	(NA)	1 621	1 546	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	6
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	17	(NA)	1 621	1 546	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	6
1969	17	32	1 132	2 110	1 477	6 271	1	1	50	8
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	160	24 003	(X)	3	112	32	2 826	29	263	5	121
1969	256	37 296	(X)	3	226	72	7 135	68	862	4	33
Improved pasture	47	7 846	(X)	—	—	11	683	11	52	—	—
1969	121	23 401	(X)	1	200	48	5 249	46	448	4	116
Corn for all purposes	13	348	(X)	—	—	9	273	5	15	4	7
1969	27	2 093	(X)	—	—	9	1 589	5	134	5	32
Sorghums for all purposes	105	17 058	(X)	1	2	62	12 320	40	395	25	838
1969	177	22 683	(X)	3	517	102	15 770	61	675	53	654
Wheat (bushels)	71	9 578	147 584	—	—	50	7 665	46	846	6	121
1969	147	14 501	302 441	—	—	87	9 633	(NA)	708	(NA)	73
Oats (bushels)	37	2 169	59 783	—	—	24	1 762	19	106	6	45
1969	101	6 681	265 563	1	11	56	3 944	(NA)	344	(NA)	12
Barley (bushels)	5	162	4 230	—	—	4	72	3	4	1	4
1969	7	141	3 611	—	—	1	28	(NA)	3	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	2	17	340	—	—	1	5	1	(2)	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	2	(D)	(D)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	114	3 920	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	11	11 318	1	11	1	11	(NA)	2	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	145	13 708	19 208	4	126	33	2 699	33	407	2	5
1969	234	17 633	25 951	5	328	72	4 869	67	589	5	63
Field seed crops	1	10	(X)	—	—	1	5	1	(2)	—	—
1969	7	239	(X)	—	—	4	170	4	16	—	—
Cotton (bales)	55	7 554	2 348	—	—	20	3 791	15	294	6	32
1969	169	20 704	8 241	1	672	64	10 096	(NA)	386	(NA)	466
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1	1	300	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—
1969	1	—	5	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	12	74	(X)	5	34	10	63	9	42	1	(2)
1969	14	141	(X)	10	101	11	109	11	51	—	—
1974	11	160	(X)	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—
1969	22	955	(X)	2	120	8	291	8	27	—	—

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Forms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
				Forms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid		
						Forms	Acres	Forms	Tons	Forms	Tons	
Berries for sale	1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	(Z)	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	17	89	(X)	8	28	9	68	7	7	4	2
1969	12	117	(X)	9	116	5	34	4	6	2	2	2
Other crops	1974	2	7	(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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	201	386	201	386	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.	2	8	2	8
Commercial fertilizer	747	615	747	615	Diseases in crops and orchards	10	420	(2)	1
acres on which used	32 511	58 948	32 511	58 948	acres on which used	40	92	40	92
Lime	635	465	635	465	Weeds or grass in crops	10 099	14 855	10 099	14 855
acres on which used	462	660	462	660	acres on which used	42	41	42	41
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	4	7	4	7	Weeds or brush in pasture	6	30	6	30
Insects on hay crops	8	11	8	11	acres on which used	817	3 332	817	3 332
acres on which used	800	644	800	644	acres on which used	3	5	3	5
Insects on other crops	49	96	49	96	Weeds on all other land	6	(NA)	6	(NA)
Nematodes in crops	46	51	46	51	acres on which used	68	(NA)	68	(NA)
Land irrigated by—	—	2	—	2	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	(2)	(NA)	(2)	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	4	(NA)	4	(NA)	of crops or thinning of fruit	17	113	17	113
acres	29	(NA)	29	(NA)	acres on which used	1 770	15 188	1 770	15 188
					acres on which used	5	30	5	30
					Insect control on livestock and poultry	21	90	21	90
					acres on which used	5	8	5	8
					Other chemicals (see text)	25	(NA)	25	(NA)
					acres on which used	4	(NA)	4	(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	
	Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres		Forms	Acres	Forms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	18	28	18	28	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	5	(NA)	5	(NA)
Total land irrigated	401	2 291	401	2 291	Other sprinkler systems	112	(NA)	112	(NA)
Average per farm	22.3	81.8	22.3	81.8	acres	7	(NA)	7	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	18	28	18	28	Land in irrigated farms	2 294	20 026	2 294	20 026
Harvested cropland irrigated	16	27	16	27	Cropland	2 077	14 158	2 077	14 158
Cropland pasture irrigated	3	3	3	3	Harvested cropland	268	3 577	268	3 577
Other cropland irrigated	112	226	112	226	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	100	200	100	200	between 1970 and 1973	1	(X)	1	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	442	2 008	442	2 008	acres irrigated in most recent year	9	(X)	9	(X)
Average per acre irrigated	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.9	Farms with artificial drainage	6	30	6	30
Land irrigated by—					Proportion of farms	1.6	5.2	1.6	5.2
Furrows or ditches	4	(NA)	4	(NA)	Land in farms with drainage	5 012	13 768	5 012	13 768
acres	29	(NA)	29	(NA)	Land drained	2 118	7 192	2 118	7 192
					Average per farm	353.0	239.7	353.0	239.7
					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
					tanks	113	(NA)	113	(NA)
					number	350	(NA)	350	(NA)
					acres	490	(NA)	490	(NA)

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974

	Forms	Total operator debt	Secured by real estate	Not secured by real estate
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	99	65	58	
Farms by size of debt owed:	6 237	4 951	1 286	
Under \$5,000	25	14	28	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	7	12	
\$10,000 to \$29,999	24	16	9	
\$30,000 to \$49,999	8	7	3	
\$50,000 and over	27	21	6	

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—							135	53	47	72	
150 days or more	53	126	205	267	753	1 017	946	753	149	45	
25 to 149 days	47	270	181	939	149	45	685	205	181	299	
Less than 25 days	72	109	299	(NA)	118	120					
Total contract labor	46	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)							
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	15	(NA)	100	(NA)	52	(NA)					
							Farms with—				
							1 worker	48	22	23	26
							2 workers	25	13	10	13
							3 or 4 workers	22	8	5	9
							5 to 9 workers	23	5	5	17
							10 workers and over	17	5	4	7