

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Specified products sold:	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	
Farms by value of sales:								
\$100,000 and over.....	40	66	38	66	Crops.....farms.....	257	(NA)	
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	63	57	62	57	\$1,000.....	3 240	1 393	
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	55		52	57	farms.....	158	123	
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	81	96	81	96	\$1,000.....	541	161	
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	93	67	93	67	farms.....	-	-	
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	99	91	99	84	\$1,000.....	-	-	
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	281	388	9	12	farms.....	-	-	
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	50	50	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	130	100	
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	65	53	(X)	(X)	farms.....	648	175	
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	54	68	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	50	90	
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	112	217	(X)	(X)	farms.....	1 373	557	
Market value of agricultural products sold.....	\$1,000.....	28 237	12 853	27 357	12 004	\$1,000.....	34	40
Average per farm.....	dollars.....	39 659	16 801	63 034	31 422	\$1,000.....	467	333
Crops, including hay.....farms.....	413	476	257	(NA)	Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms.....	23	27	
\$1,000.....	3 569	1 746	3 240	1 393	\$1,000.....	211	167	
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms.....	11		9	6	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms.....	331	307	
\$1,000.....	108		105	107	\$1,000.....	24 010	10 504	
Forest products.....farms.....	3	-	2	-	Poultry and poultry products.....farms.....	16	20	
\$1,000.....	2	-	2	-	\$1,000.....	5 096	962	
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms.....	497	503	331	307	Dairy products.....farms.....	89	117	
\$1,000.....	24 558	11 107	24 010	10 504	\$1,000.....	5 356	3 238	
Poultry and poultry products.....farms.....	33	(NA)	16	20	farms.....	291	(NA)	
\$1,000.....	5 172	(NA)	5 096	962	\$1,000.....	7 729	5 696	
					farms.....	29	(NA)	
					\$1,000.....	132	608	
					farms.....	25		
					\$1,000.....	5 492		
					Other livestock and livestock products.....farms.....	54		
					\$1,000.....	205		

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	389	(NA)	160	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ².....farms.....	290
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹.....farms.....	169	(NA)	115	(NA)	\$1,000.....	3 443
\$1,000.....	335	(NA)	263	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....farms.....	46
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms.....	77	90	58	52	\$1,000.....	497
\$1,000.....	161	136	111	96	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....farms.....	197
Recreational services.....farms.....	4	2	3	1	\$1,000.....	2 323
\$1,000.....	14	3	13	2	Interest, dividends, or royalties.....farms.....	125
Government farm programs.....farms.....	60	202	47	127	\$1,000.....	279
\$1,000.....	56	147	51	122	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....farms.....	59
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms.....	54	(NA)	25	(NA)	\$1,000.....	244
\$1,000.....	92	(NA)	76	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property.....farms.....	31
Other farm-related sources.....farms.....	11	(NA)	8	(NA)	\$1,000.....	100
\$1,000.....	12	(NA)	11	(NA)		
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹.....farms.....	66	(NA)	41	(NA)		
\$1,000.....	104	(NA)	64	(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.....farms.....	711	765	434	382	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms.....	436	402	280	265
\$1,000.....	27 145	11 069	26 236	10 115	\$1,000.....	180	120	160	103
Farms with.....	117	181	6	29	Commercial fertilizer purchased.....farms.....	349	434	273	278
\$1 to \$999.....	115	136	26	38	\$1,000.....	487	203	459	170
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	73	97	40	38	Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....farms.....	299	(NA)	219	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	95	77	68	54	\$1,000.....	116	84	111	75
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	79	93	67	87	farms.....	(NA)	2	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	75	74	74	84	Lime.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	-	-
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	80	79	79	45	\$1,000.....	(Z)	-	-	-
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	24	24	24	45	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....farms.....	690	739	428	380
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	53	50	50	45	\$1,000.....	558	364	506	300
\$60,000 and over.....					farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	407	373
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms.....	281	330	180	182	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	314	217
\$1,000.....	7 494	3 470	7 334	3 297	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	252	183
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....farms.....	446	467	283	268	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	133	47
\$1,000.....	11 387	2 889	11 086	2 750	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	23	46
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....farms.....	303	237	209	157	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	4	4
\$1,000.....	7 951	1 139	7 793	1 075	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	426	380
Feed ingredients.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	43	65	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	55	32
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	355	322	Hired farm labor.....farms.....	319	440	232	280
Whole grains.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	119	116	\$1,000.....	1 218	942	1 170	826
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 067	1 004	farms.....	45	501	38	45
Hay, green chop, and silage.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	100	129	\$1,000.....	66	286	64	81
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	871	349	farms.....	422	330	274	267
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	246	(NA)	\$1,000.....	658	663	431	377
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	505	(NA)	farms.....	5 309	2 710	4 549	2 357
					\$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	676	731	411	373	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	22	17	19	10
farms	11 947	6 250	9 355	4 605	number	28	21	24	14
\$1,000..	17 673	8 549	22 761	12 344	mfd in last 5 years, number	2	7	2	4
Average per farm					Corn heads for combines	6	25	4	13
Farms by value group:					number	6	25	4	13
\$1 to \$999	8	41	58	111	mfd in last 5 years, number	3	16	2	9
\$1,000 to \$4,999	125	333	85	94	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	6		5	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	176	159	95	88	number	6		5	9
\$10,000 to \$19,999	172	108	75	25	mfd in last 5 years, number	1		1	5
\$20,000 to \$29,999	72		56	48	Mower conditioners	136	(NA)	86	(NA)
\$30,000 to \$49,999	78	90	75	25	number	137	(NA)	86	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999	29		27	7	mfd in last 5 years, number	37	(NA)	31	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	16		15		Pickup balers	269	276	202	193
					number	277	292	207	206
					mfd in last 5 years, number	59	110	53	83
Selected Machinery and Equipment					Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	121	(NA)	104	99
Automobiles	475	570	313	318	number	123	(NA)	105	104
number	721	877	497	491	mfd in last 5 years, number	48	(NA)	45	64
mfd in last 5 years, number	382	448	276	275	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	86	(NA)	78	95
Motor trucks, including pickups	573	593	366	324	number	100	(NA)	92	98
number	1 061	970	789	642	mfd in last 5 years, number	41	(NA)	40	47
mfd in last 5 years, number	359	364	274	218					
Wheel tractors	608	619	379	333					
number	1 141	1 102	827	686					
mfd in last 5 years, number	209	274	153	193					
Crawler tractors	36		29	32					
number	50		41	43					
mfd in last 5 years, number	3		3	2					

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	530	(X)	329	(X)	497	(X)	331	(X)	24 010
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	477	(X)	307	(X)	443	(X)	305	(X)	13 352
1969	474	(X)	283	(X)	464	(X)	293	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	464	34 223	301	30 919	413	26 323	291	25 221	7 729
1969	435	28 221	265	24 717	418	26 111	277	23 989	5 696
Farms with —									
1 to 4	41	121	8	18	95	240	27	69	16
5 to 9	85	583	34	219	57	404	31	220	61
10 to 19	65	866	24	354	82	1 034	61	784	188
20 to 49	91	2 913	63	2 108	102	3 126	98	3 039	692
50 to 99	91	6 288	84	5 868	43	2 931	42	2 850	693
100 to 199	58	7 606	58	7 606	16	2 226	14	1 897	417
200 to 499	26	7 067	24	6 526	8	2 677	8	2 677	1 002
500 and over	7	8 779	6	8 220	10	13 685	10	13 685	4 659
Cows and heifers that had calved									
1974	349	13 043	238	11 694	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	313	9 661	209	8 521	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	239	6 923	147	5 834	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	3 876	103	3 004	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	160	6 120	117	5 860	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	168	5 785	135	5 517	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold									
1974	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	89	(X)	5 356
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	117	(X)	3 238
	Inventory, 1974				Sales, 1974— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				
	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)
Beef cows	239	6 923	147	5 834	Cattle sold	266	21 929	7 368	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4	82	177	40	85	1 to 4	28	75	23	
5 to 9	26	164	8	53	5 to 9	39	260	77	
10 to 19	52	716	30	430	10 to 19	61	798	216	
20 to 49	47	1 441	39	1 238	20 to 49	84	2 437	673	
50 to 99	22	1 445	22	1 445	50 to 99	30	1 935	596	
100 to 199	5	666	4	491	100 to 199	8	1 095	283	
200 to 499	3	(D)	2	(D)	200 to 499	7	2 399	995	
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	500 and over	9	12 930	4 506	
Milk cows	160	6 120	117	5 860	Calves sold	109	3 292	361	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2	57	78	26	37	1 or 2	9	14	2	
3 or 4	5	16	2	7	3 or 4	9	32	4	
5 to 9	8	49	1	7	5 to 9	20	131	14	
10 to 19	3	49	3	49	10 to 19	21	281	28	
20 to 49	36	1 224	36	1 224	20 to 49	34	972	96	
50 to 99	37	2 628	35	2 460	50 to 99	9	685	53	
100 to 199	13	(D)	13	(D)	100 to 199	5	(D)	(D)	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)	
500 and over	-	-	-	-	500 and over	-	-	(D)	

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..	27	18 200	5	15 400	Turkeys.....1974..	3	160 029	2	(D)
.....1969..	30	25 650	12	13 285	.....1969..	1	(D)	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	25	(D)	5	15 400	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	3	160 029	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	3	(D)	-	-	Heavy breed.....1974..	3	160 029	2	(D)
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	1	(D)	-	-	Light breed.....1974..	-	-	1	(D)
.....1969..	5	3 075	1	50	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	10	(D)	-	-	.....1969..	1	-	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	-	-	-	-	Other poultry.....1974..	3	(X)	2	(X)
					.....1969..	6	(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.....	227	185	5 937	4 295	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes.....	8	7	81	43	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	2	-	4	-	160
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	160	182	2 286	2 223	114 553	88 688
Other small grains for grain.....	238	263	3 163	4 128	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	20	(NA)	121	(NA)	20 796	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	505	513	15 763	13 180	47 764	45 098
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	48	52	575	714	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards.....	50	66	454	764	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale.....	1	2	(Z)	(Z)	(X)	(X)
Other crops.....	66	(NA)	1 841	1 953	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		
Corn for grain or seed (bushels).....	20	13	331	155	33 019	17 080	20	13	331	155
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	169	143	5 195	3 672	94 394	64 259	169	143	5 195	3 672
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	2	2	42	23	(X)	(X)	2	2	42	23
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	2	1	28	5	(D)	460	2	1	28	5
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	4	(NA)	49	22	(X)	(X)	4	(NA)	49	22
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	292	256	8 612	8 422	31 349	31 806	258	228	7 247	6 925

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.....1974..	185	9 307	(X)	126	4 547	41	1 993	40	194	1	(Z)
.....1969..	203	11 026	(X)	133	3 342	54	1 194	54	154	-	-
Improved pasture.....1974..	75	5 470	(X)	77	2 237	11	569	11	54	-	-
.....1969..	77	7 408	(X)	34	2 061	11	234	11	35	-	-
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	178	5 568	(X)	178	5 568	111	3 789	110	918	3	3
.....1969..	149	3 850	(X)	149	3 850	98	2 560	98	446	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	6	77	(X)	6	77	3	34	3	7	-	-
.....1969..	4	27	(X)	4	27	3	22	3	6	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	116	1 977	99 949	104	1 563	66	1 341	65	196	1	1
.....1969..	102	1 712	67 512	91	775	44	1 243	(NA)	109	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels).....1974..	22	205	10 916	18	187	6	34	6	4	-	-
.....1969..	43	576	35 428	38	412	17	173	(NA)	27	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels).....1974..	148	2 220	127 196	129	1 996	60	957	59	156	1	1
.....1969..	153	2 400	124 301	146	2 181	52	749	(NA)	84	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	4	95	(X)	4	95	1	49	1	8	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	329	12 985	40 540	291	11 260	57	4 227	55	520	2	3
.....1969..	273	9 647	34 554	244	8 056	43	914	43	132	-	-
Field seed crops.....1974..	6	140	(X)	5	40	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	1	60	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	16	117	20 160	16	115	10	108	(NA)	10	36	-
.....1969..	29	200	32 359	29	200	19	166	(NA)	70	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	34	528	(X)	33	523	18	338	18	163	-	-
.....1969..	38	661	(X)	37	657	20	421	20	144	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974..	23	354	(X)	19	335	7	68	7	7	-	-
.....1969..	30	579	(X)	29	567	22	447	22	94	-	-

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	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	9	26	(X)	7	16	7	20	7	11	—	—	—
1974	6	41	(X)	4	40	5	33	4	6	1	10	—
1969	38	1 647	(X)	38	1 647	38	1 647	38	680	1	1	1
Other crops												
1974												

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	321		315		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	10		16	
lime	\$1,000		245		Disorders in crops and orchards	197		426	
Commercial fertilizer	273		245		acres on which used	5		4	
acres on which used	15 177		9 890		Weeds or grass in crops	92		109	
tons	2 961		2 006		acres on which used	3 491		3 703	
\$1,000	459		170		acres on which used	21		15	
Lime	—		—		Weeds or brush in pasture	7		21	
acres on which used	—		—		acres on which used	418		453	
tons	—		—		acres on which used	2		1	
\$1,000	—		—		Weeds on all other land	55		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	486		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	38		15		acres on which used	2		(NA)	
acres on which used	1 133		309		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000	4		1		of crops or thinning of fruit	5		6	
Insects on other crops	77		52		acres on which used	47		130	
acres on which used	3 220		1 057		acres on which used	(Z)		1	
\$1,000	34		9		Insect control on livestock and poultry	46		98	
Nematodes in crops	20		50		acres on which used	4		4	
acres on which used	878		1 195		Other chemicals (see text)	35		(NA)	
\$1,000	31		38		acres on which used	7		(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	393		333		Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms	90.6		87.1		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	—		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	29 957		24 031		acres	—		(NA)	
Average per farm	76.2		72.1		Other sprinkler systems	43		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	389		330		acres	2 052		(NA)	
acres	27 720		21 970		Land in irrigated farms	195 671		125 770	
Harvested cropland irrigated	372		322		Cropland	33 385		32 079	
acres	23 065		18 431		Harvested cropland	25 131		20 361	
Cropland pasture irrigated	126		133		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres	4 547		3 342		between 1970 and 1973	2		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated	9		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	30		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	108		197		Farms with artificial drainage	77		130	
acres	37		34		Proportion of farms	17.7		34.0	
acres	2 237		2 061		Land in farms with drainage	30 951		16 695	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	56 569		54 639		Land drained	6 094		8 065	
Average per acre irrigated	1.9		2.3		Average per farm	79.1		62.0	
Land irrigated by—					Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Furrows or ditches	227		(NA)		tanks	40		(NA)	
acres	9 823		(NA)		number	148		(NA)	
					acres	102		(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)	—	—	156		110		99	
			8 146		5 024		3 121	
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			24		12		27	
\$5,000 to \$9,999			23		15		25	
\$10,000 to \$29,999			62		50		27	
\$30,000 to \$49,999			18		16		9	
\$50,000 and over			29		17		11	

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	80	70	186	136	813		232	80	73	174	
25 to 149 days	73		246		218		1 170	813	218	139	
Less than 25 days	174	258	1 383	1 982	139		1 815	186	246	1 383	
Total contract labor	38	45	(NA)	(NA)	64						
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	21	(NA)	294	(NA)	52						
Farms with—											
1 worker							62	37	17	42	
2 workers							21	28	30	29	
3 or 4 workers							35	6	12	28	
5 to 9 workers							64	7	6	37	
10 workers and over							50	2	8	38	