



**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	2	14	2	14			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	33		33				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	35	41	35	41			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	68	48	68	48			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	134	114	134	114			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	181	191	181	191			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	583	930	4	7			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	81	109	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	125	137	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	131	135	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	246	549	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>							
\$1,000	6 433	5 082	5 755	4 167			
Average per farm	6 209	3 798	12 593	10 041			
<b>Crops, including hay</b>							
farms	509	654	264	(NA)			
\$1,000	1 080	754	857	492			
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products</b>							
farms				1			
\$1,000				4			
<b>Forest products</b>							
farms	45	61	34	31			
\$1,000	103	74	99	67			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
farms	896	1 058	441	397			
\$1,000	5 249	4 254	4 799	3 604			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b>							
farms	21	(NA)	9	17			
\$1,000	1	(NA)	(Z)	3			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
<b>Crops</b>							
farms					264	(NA)	
\$1,000					857	492	
<b>Grains</b>					13	18	
farms					17	24	
\$1,000					183	146	
<b>Tobacco</b>					425	212	
farms							
\$1,000							
<b>Cotton and cottonseed</b>							
farms							
\$1,000							
<b>Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage</b>					100	103	
farms					250	207	
\$1,000							
<b>Other field crops</b>					13	7	
farms					35	11	
\$1,000					6	3	
<b>Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons</b>					106	1	
farms					7	10	
\$1,000					24	37	
<b>Fruits, nuts, and berries</b>							
farms							
\$1,000							
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>					441	397	
farms					4 799	3 604	
\$1,000					9	17	
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b>					(Z)	3	
farms					94	176	
\$1,000					1 759	1 393	
<b>Cattle and calves</b>					439	(NA)	
farms					2 945	2 126	
\$1,000					16	(NA)	
<b>Hogs and pigs</b>					11	82	
farms					25		
\$1,000					25		
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool</b>							
farms							
\$1,000							
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b>					18		
farms					60		
\$1,000							

**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		
<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>	607	(NA)	168	(NA)		
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b>						
farms	219	(NA)	129	(NA)		
\$1,000	153	(NA)	118	(NA)		
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b>						
farms	66	99	43	50		
\$1,000	55	78	45	57		
<b>Recreational services</b>						
farms	2	5	1	3		
\$1,000	(Z)	29	(Z)	27		
<b>Government farm programs</b>						
farms	131	400	84	170		
\$1,000	50	72	42	39		
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments</b>						
farms	52	(NA)	21	(NA)		
\$1,000	30	(NA)	17	(NA)		
<b>Other farm-related sources</b>						
farms	14	(NA)	7	(NA)		
\$1,000	16	(NA)	15	(NA)		
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup></b>						
farms	68	(NA)	36	(NA)		
\$1,000	57	(NA)	43	(NA)		
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b>						305
farms						2 716
\$1,000						
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related</b>						60
farms						557
\$1,000						
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips</b>						197
farms						1 616
\$1,000						
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties</b>						105
farms						218
\$1,000						
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.</b>						78
farms						245
\$1,000						
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property</b>						27
farms						79
\$1,000						

<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	1 034	1 338	457	415					
\$1,000	5 234	3 916	4 494	3 148					
<b>Farms with—</b>									
\$1 to \$999	340	653	22	95					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	182	288	36						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	150	126	88	72					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	143	120	106	107					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	115	64	101	54					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48		48	52					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	32		32	26					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	15	87	15						
\$60,000 and over	9		9						
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	460	557	218	253					
\$1,000	1 270	979	1 107	847					
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	807	993	370	360					
\$1,000	1 082	693	911	548					
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b>									
farms	586	577	329	306					
\$1,000	874	539	795	484					
<b>Feed ingredients</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	140	76					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	43	27					
<b>Whole grains</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	131	53					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	46	20					
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	47	53					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	27	17					
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	259	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	37	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b>									
farms	361	510	223	274					
\$1,000	78	41	71	32					
<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased</b>									
farms	762	1 071	377	380					
\$1,000	504	329	415	246					
<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b>									
farms	247	(NA)	163	(NA)					
\$1,000	67	58	60	45					
<b>Lime</b>									
farms	(NA)	214	47	101					
\$1,000	(NA)	23	12	16					
<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b>									
farms	957	1 192	445	410					
\$1,000	322	231	244	147					
<b>Gasoline</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	414	405					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	167	114					
<b>Diesel oil</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	192	113					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	51	12					
<b>L.P. gas, butane, and propane</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	4	14					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	(Z)	1					
<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	445	410					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	26	20					
<b>Hired farm labor</b>									
farms	399	703	224	288					
\$1,000	352	380	320	312					
<b>Contract labor</b>									
farms	26	562	13	23					
\$1,000	11	124	8	16		</			

**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>					<b>Selected Machinery &amp; Equip. — Con.</b>				
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	975	1 179	429	400	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	1	2	—	2
farms	9 083	4 600	5 472	2 760	number	1	2	—	2
\$1,000 and over	9 316	3 901	12 756	6 900	mfd in last 5 years, number	—	2	—	2
<b>Farms by value group:</b>					<b>Other cornpickers and picker-shellers</b>				
\$1 to \$999	22	224	5	204	farms	8	13	8	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999	318	695	121	—	number	8	13	8	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	372	164	105	113	mfd in last 5 years, number	1	5	1	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999	156	55	103	48	<b>Other cornpickers and picker-shellers</b>				
\$20,000 to \$29,999	64	—	57	28	farms	8	—	5	11
\$30,000 to \$49,999	36	—	31	6	number	8	—	5	11
\$50,000 to \$69,999	5	—	5	1	mfd in last 5 years, number	—	—	—	4
\$70,000 and over	2	—	2	—	<b>Mower conditioners</b>				
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>					farms				
Automobiles	754	848	343	297	number	137	(NA)	94	(NA)
number	933	1 030	432	378	mfd in last 5 years, number	153	(NA)	106	(NA)
mfd in last 5 years, number	348	502	214	214	number	60	(NA)	51	(NA)
Motor trucks, including pickups	768	735	348	302	<b>Pickup balers</b>				
number	981	933	533	449	farms	286	310	199	214
mfd in last 5 years, number	284	352	193	178	number	293	315	204	219
Wheel tractors	714	785	338	340	mfd in last 5 years, number	88	106	75	77
number	995	1 043	574	526	<b>Windrowers, pull and self-propelled</b>				
mfd in last 5 years, number	220	313	181	175	farms	104	(NA)	72	118
Crawler tractors	29	—	20	19	number	110	(NA)	78	123
number	32	—	23	20	mfd in last 5 years, number	30	(NA)	27	42
mfd in last 5 years, number	5	—	4	8	<b>Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type</b>				
					farms	83	(NA)	67	83
					number	84	(NA)	68	86
					mfd in last 5 years, number	25	(NA)	20	47

**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	925	(X)	420	(X)	896	(X)	441	(X)	4 799
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	910	(X)	415	(X)	881	(X)	439	(X)	2 980
1969	1 058	(X)	365	(X)	1 031	(X)	394	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	903	34 970	415	26 625	873	19 164	439	16 190	2 945
1969	1 043	28 817	365	21 196	1 011	19 023	394	14 448	2 126
<b>Farms with—</b>									
1 to 4	54	132	9	25	214	596	36	101	16
5 to 9	122	842	17	118	190	1 299	41	299	53
10 to 19	229	3 102	53	785	207	2 805	116	1 675	288
20 to 49	297	9 345	151	5 050	183	5 360	167	5 011	874
50 to 99	127	8 414	111	7 512	46	3 110	46	3 110	610
100 to 199	57	7 516	57	7 516	22	3 094	22	3 094	696
200 to 499	15	(D)	15	(D)	11	2 900	11	2 900	409
500 and over	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Cows and heifers that had calved</b>									
1974	773	17 273	374	12 879	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	862	13 906	329	10 401	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	660	14 472	322	10 488	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	9 720	237	7 063	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	335	2 801	168	2 391	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	558	4 186	234	3 338	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	94	(X)	1 759
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	176	(X)	1 393
<b>Inventory, 1974</b>									
All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974—		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Dollars (1,000)	
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Beef cows	660	14 472	322	10 488	Cattle sold	357	10 618	2 349	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	84	233	16	49	1 to 4	48	120	27	
5 to 9	116	782	22	149	5 to 9	51	370	82	
10 to 19	208	2 827	92	1 299	10 to 19	105	1 480	309	
20 to 49	195	5 681	139	4 257	20 to 49	105	3 282	682	
50 to 99	43	2 674	39	2 459	50 to 99	27	1 823	434	
100 to 199	11	1 545	11	1 545	100 to 199	17	2 438	577	
200 to 499	3	730	3	730	200 to 499	4	1 105	238	
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	—	—	—	
Milk cows	335	2 801	168	2 391	Calves sold	255	5 572	596	
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	181	247	68	96	1 or 2	33	56	6	
3 or 4	53	187	20	73	3 or 4	21	69	7	
5 to 9	40	265	22	150	5 to 9	50	325	33	
10 to 19	23	289	20	259	10 to 19	74	1 043	109	
20 to 49	25	779	25	779	20 to 49	54	1 467	173	
50 to 99	12	(D)	12	(D)	50 to 99	15	940	133	
100 to 199	—	—	—	—	100 to 199	3	440	54	
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499	5	1 232	81	
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	74	1 315	4	80	Turkeys	4	19	—	—
1969	78	2 084	3	100	1969	5	35	1	5
Hens for table or market egg production	73	1 286	4	80	Turkeys for slaughter	1	7	—	—
1974	73	1 286	4	80	Heavy breed	1	7	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	2	29	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
1974	2	29	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	4	12	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	1	15	—	—	1969	5	11	—	—
1969	9	101	—	—	1974	5	(X)	—	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	32	66	1	2	1969	1	(X)	1	(X)
1974	32	66	1	2					
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	—	—	—	—					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested					
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974		1969			
Corn for all purposes	265	336	3 091	3 657	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Sorghums for all purposes	5	15	52	238	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	2	—	30	—	—	—	600		
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Wheat (bushels)	17	14	115	63	2 950	—	—	2 065		
Other small grains for grain	15	19	86	99	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Tobacco (pounds)	362	451	311	285	602 465	—	—	595 783		
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	60	(NA)	78	(NA)	8 769	—	—	(NA)		
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	3	(NA)	(Z)	(NA)	8 23	—	—	(NA)		
Hay crops (tons, dry)	775	882	17 370	17 739	30 545	—	—	28 555		
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	8	6	285	6	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Land in orchards	18	40	95	248	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Berries for sale	2	6	(Z)	10	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)		
Other crops	3	(NA)	25	90	(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)	43	55	255	349	19 530	30 707	—	—	—	—
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	145	199	2 537	2 704	37 573	46 899	—	—	—	—
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	3	—	7	(X)	(X)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1	(NA)	5	60	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	66	82	1 044	1 341	2 808	3 411	—	—	—	—

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	317	33 339	(X)	—	—	88	2 555	88	601	1	20
1969	255	29 806	(X)	—	—	140	4 270	138	1 024	4	22
Improved pasture	113	14 511	(X)	—	—	41	2 709	41	381	1	2
1969	193	17 394	(X)	—	—	109	4 773	108	938	2	11
Corn for all purposes	173	2 792	(X)	—	—	152	2 538	152	1 074	16	96
1969	220	3 060	(X)	—	—	179	2 576	176	1 120	24	41
Sorghums for all purposes	1	5	(X)	—	—	1	5	1	1	—	—
1969	4	60	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	15	100	2 535	—	—	5	23	5	5	—	—
1969	14	63	2 065	—	—	11	60	(NA)	21	(NA)	—
Oats (bushels)	3	24	1 428	—	—	1	1	1	(Z)	—	—
1969	8	29	1 498	—	—	3	20	(NA)	6	(NA)	—
Barley (bushels)	2	20	395	—	—	1	16	1	3	—	—
1969	2	26	950	—	—	2	26	(NA)	7	(NA)	—
Rye (bushels)	5	26	786	—	—	2	9	2	3	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	381	12 136	23 038	—	—	123	2 993	123	746	1	10
1969	311	11 227	20 932	—	—	127	3 173	125	797	4	32
Field seed crops	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	1	21	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	186	221	432 851	—	—	186	222	185	281	1	1
1974	147	134	314 220	2	2	147	133	(NA)	160	(NA)	1
1969	29	65	7 333	—	—	17	61	17	62	—	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	50	14	1 063	—	—	15	14	(NA)	7	(NA)	—
1974	7	285	(X)	—	—	6	285	6	159	—	—
1969	2	4	(X)	—	—	2	4	2	2	—	—
Land in orchards	9	83	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	9	83	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	10	217	(X)	—	—	8	112	8	65	—	—

**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	1	(Z)	(X)	-	-	1	(Z)	-	-	-	-
1969	3	9	(X)	-	-	2	(Z)	2	(Z)	1	1	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	1	2	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops .....	1974	1	1	(X)	-	1	1	2	(Z)	-	-	-

**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 .....	381	475	386	475	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	-	-	-	-
Commercial fertilizer .....	377	447	356	447	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	2	65	2	200
Lime .....	47	28	101	28	acres on which used .....	3	3	8	8
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	-	-	-	-	Weeds or grass in crops .....	59	178	59	178
Insects on hay crops .....	6	1	10	1	acres on which used .....	19	19	11	11
Insects on other crops .....	50	987	35	987	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	12	215	12	370
Nematodes in crops .....	21	1	3	1	acres on which used .....	1	1	1	1
Land irrigated by—	-	-	-	-	Weeds on all other land .....	7	51	7	(NA)
Furrows or ditches .....	-	-	-	-	acres on which used .....	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(NA)
Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	-	-	-	-	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	4	16	9	38
of crops or thinning of fruit .....	16	(Z)	16	(Z)	acres on which used .....	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)
Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	23	1	23	1	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	23	1	23	1
Other chemicals (see text) .....	35	3	35	3	Other chemicals (see text) .....	35	3	35	3

**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 .....	1	-	1	-	Land irrigated by—	-	-	-	-
Proportion of farms .....	0.2	-	0.2	-	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	-	-	-	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	1	1.0	1	1.0	Other sprinkler systems .....	-	-	-	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	1	1	1	1	Land in irrigated farms .....	-	-	-	(NA)
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	1	1	1	1	Cropland .....	-	-	-	223
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	-	-	-	-	Harvested cropland .....	-	-	-	8
Other cropland irrigated .....	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	-	-	-	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	-	-	-	-	between 1970 and 1973 .....	-	-	-	(X)
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	(Z)	acres irrigated in most recent year .....	-	-	-	(X)
Land irrigated by—	-	-	-	-	Farms with artificial drainage .....	41	9.0	41	19.5
Furrows or ditches .....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	Proportion of farms .....	9.0	16	9.0	26
Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks .....	28	48	28	48	Land in farms with drainage .....	16	312	16	628
	39	39	39	39	Land drained .....	1	208	1	765
	-	-	-	-	Average per farm .....	29.5	21.7	29.5	21.7

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

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate		
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	114	3	002	76	2	130	68	872
Farms by size of debt owed:	32	17	44	10	11	13	16	31
Under \$5,000 .....	17	44	10	11	13	16	31	19
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....	44	10	11	13	16	31	19	1
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....	10	11	13	16	31	19	1	3
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....	11	13	16	31	19	1	3	3
\$50,000 and over .....	11	13	16	31	19	1	3	3

**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—	45	51	69	84	221	312	224	45	32	183
150 days or more .....	32	261	89	786	38	61	320	221	38	61
25 to 149 days .....	183	937	937	786	61	16	1 095	69	89	937
Less than 25 days .....	13	23	(NA)	(NA)	8	16				
Total contract labor .....	13	23	(NA)	(NA)	8	16				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	3	(NA)	9	(NA)	2	(NA)				
Farms with—	70	31	16	54						
1 worker .....	26	7	7	20						
2 workers .....	48	6	4	40						
3 or 4 workers .....	53	1	4	46						
5 to 9 workers .....	27	-	1	23						
10 workers and over .....										