

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.....	212	149	212	149			
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	260		260				
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	95	185	94	185			
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	45	170	45	170			
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	32	117	31	117			
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	30	45	30	43			
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	25	44	2	1			
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	1	7	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	2	6	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	9	7	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	13	24	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000.....	86 006	30 687	85 955	30 129			
Average per farm.....dollars	123 041	43 220	127 530	45 306			
Crops, including hay.....farms	636	664	630	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	79 169	22 724	79 134	22 280			
Nursery and greenhouse products.....farms	11		11	2			
\$1,000.....	376		376	(D)			
Forest products.....farms	1	1	1	1			
\$1,000.....	(D)	1	(D)	1			
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms	271	290	256	272			
\$1,000.....	6 434	7 962	6 419	7 848			
Poultry and poultry products.....farms	24	(NA)	24	30			
\$1,000.....	(D)	(NA)	(D)	14			
Specified products sold:							
Crops.....farms					630	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					79 134	22 280	
Grains.....farms					585	591	
\$1,000.....					50 331	11 799	
Tobacco.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Cotton and cottonseed.....farms							
\$1,000.....							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....farms					154	170	
\$1,000.....					4 166	1 716	
Other field crops.....farms					77	83	
\$1,000.....					22 761	8 055	
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....farms					21	33	
\$1,000.....					1 392	444	
Fruits, nuts, and berries.....farms					8	8	
\$1,000.....					483	(D)	
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....farms					256	272	
\$1,000.....					6 419	7 848	
Poultry and poultry products.....farms					24	30	
\$1,000.....					18	6	
Dairy products.....farms					11	6	
\$1,000.....					808	47	
Cattle and calves.....farms					233	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					5 057	7 564	
Hogs and pigs.....farms					26	(NA)	
\$1,000.....					492	223	
Sheep, lambs, and wool.....farms					19		
\$1,000.....					26		
Other livestock and livestock products.....farms					15		
\$1,000.....					18		

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
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold¹	70	(NA)	48	(NA)			
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses¹.....farms	181	(NA)	175	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	1 350	(NA)	1 265	(NA)			
Customwork and other agricultural services.....farms	83	105	83	102			
\$1,000.....	614	436	614	430			
Recreational services.....farms	7	15	7	15			
\$1,000.....	3	45	3	45			
Government farm programs.....farms	51	503	51	490			
\$1,000.....	209	4 240	209	4 172			
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....farms	65	(NA)	59	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	445	(NA)	359	(NA)			
Other farm-related sources.....farms	33	(NA)	33	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	81	(NA)	81	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹.....farms	62	(NA)	60	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	312	(NA)	307	(NA)			
Total family income from off-farm sources².....farms							365
\$1,000.....							2 692
Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....farms							50
\$1,000.....							383
Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....farms							216
\$1,000.....							1 674
Interest, dividends, or royalties.....farms							224
\$1,000.....							479
Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc......farms							48
\$1,000.....							122
Rent income of nonfarm property.....farms							30
\$1,000.....							35

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	699	710	674	665					
\$1,000.....	50 884	27 140	50 833	26 603					
Farms with—									
\$1 to \$999.....	23	13	5						
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	9	8	7						
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	8	37	8	17					
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	26	41	23	39					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	68	143	67	143					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	125		124	184					
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	147		147	145					
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	110		110						
\$60,000 and over.....	183		183	137					
Livestock and poultry purchased.....farms	143	206	134	190					
\$1,000.....	2 116	3 673	2 111	3 657					
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....farms	292	318	270	300					
\$1,000.....	2 324	1 631	2 314	1 608					
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....farms	225	186	204	172					
\$1,000.....	903	546	895	534					
Feed ingredients.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	50	34					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	143	75					
Whole grains.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	95	128					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	586	612					
Hay, green chop, and silage.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	99	125					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	689	387					
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	192	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	121	(NA)					
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....farms	321	351	319	344					
\$1,000.....	2 570	1 028	2 570	1 027					
Commercial fertilizer purchased.....farms	601	606	593	587					
\$1,000.....	7 871	3 389	7 867	3 287					
Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....farms	481	(NA)	479	(NA)					
\$1,000.....	1 907	779	1 906	765					
Lime.....farms	(NA)			2					
\$1,000.....	(NA)			(D)					
Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....farms	687	701	668	662					
\$1,000.....	2 713	1 564	2 710	1 536					
Gasoline.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	664	655					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 422	832					
Diesel oil.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	578	586					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	991	515					
LP gas, butane, and propane.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	51	90					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	42	24					
Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....farms	(NA)	(NA)	668	662					
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	255	165					
Hired farm labor.....farms	430	534	428	522					
\$1,000.....	5 210	3 498	5 194	3 330					
Contract labor.....farms	48	333	47	67					
\$1,000.....	341	1 131	(D)	346					
Machine hire and customwork.....farms	341		333	308					
\$1,000.....	1 483		1 481	775					
All other production expenses.....farms	697	698	674	665					
\$1,000.....	24 350	10 447	24 221	10 271					

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All forms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All forms		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	687	695	662	660					
farms	38 717	24 097	38 437	23 561					
\$1,000	56 356	34 672	58 062	35 697					
dollars									
Average per farm									
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999	4	3	4	41					
\$1,000 to \$4,999	22	58	18						
\$5,000 to \$9,999	49	71	33	69					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	86	154	83	150					
\$20,000 to \$29,999	75		75	111					
\$30,000 to \$49,999	168		167	135					
\$50,000 to \$69,999	107	409	107						
\$70,000 and over	176		175	154					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles	621	641	598	615					
farms	1 052	1 032	1 025	994					
mfd in last 5 years, number	654	608	637	595					
Motor trucks, including pickups	651	671	628	641					
farms	2 776	2 427	2 745	2 357					
mfd in last 5 years, number	762	640	759	611					
Wheel tractors	530	659	510	450					
farms	1 220	1 656	1 183	856					
mfd in last 5 years, number	349	359	335	234					
Crawler tractors	391		389	478					
farms	597		594	745					
mfd in last 5 years, number	54		54	111					
Selected Machinery & Equip.—Con.									
Grain and bean combines,									
self-propelled	454	437	453	429					
farms	640	637	639	626					
number	137	190	137	184					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Corn heads for combines	16	18	16	12					
farms	21	26	21	16					
number	10	4	10	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Other cornpickers and									
picker-shellers	41		41	9					
farms	41		41	10					
number	3		3	2					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Mower conditioners	43	(NA)	43	(NA)					
farms	47	(NA)	47	(NA)					
number	17	(NA)	17	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Pickup balers	154	179	153	174					
farms	168	194	167	189					
number	51	73	51	72					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Windrowers, pull and									
self-propelled	108	(NA)	108	106					
farms	114	(NA)	114	114					
number	37	(NA)	37	48					
mfd in last 5 years, number									
Field forage harvesters, shear bar									
or flywheel type	33	(NA)	33	35					
farms	43	(NA)	43	43					
number	17	(NA)	17	14					
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	328	(X)	312	(X)	271	(X)	256	(X)	6 419
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	271	(X)	258	(X)	258	(X)	246	(X)	5 575
1969	287	(X)	270	(X)	268	(X)	252	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	258	36 618	249	36 501	241	21 144	233	21 105	5 057
1969	271	35 403	259	35 030	247	32 152	237	31 949	7 564
Farms with—									
1 to 4	24	66	22	62	30	77	28	74	17
5 to 9	23	156	22	148	37	253	31	217	55
10 to 19	19	302	16	259	40	561	40	561	137
20 to 49	68	2 346	65	2 284	71	2 180	71	2 180	458
50 to 99	53	3 648	53	3 648	27	1 781	27	1 781	340
100 to 199	34	4 594	34	4 594	15	1 780	15	1 780	358
200 to 499	25	7 166	25	7 166	14	3 780	14	3 780	888
500 and over	12	18 340	12	18 340	7	10 732	7	10 732	2 804
Cows and heifers that had calved	225	18 746	217	18 702	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	214	13 933	207	13 735	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	217	17 703	209	17 659	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	13 700	192	13 582	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974	27	1 043	27	1 043	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	50	233	44	153	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X)	808
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	6	(X)	47
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	217	17 703	209	17 659	Cattle sold				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	21	54	17	45	37	101	37	101	26
5 to 9	17	105	16	100	33	227	33	227	56
10 to 19	40	558	37	528	41	573	41	573	151
20 to 49	69	2 220	69	2 220	51	1 541	51	1 541	381
50 to 99	35	2 445	35	2 445	18	1 202	18	1 202	283
100 to 199	21	2 882	21	2 882	14	1 543	14	1 543	382
200 to 499	7	2 133	7	2 133	9	2 635	9	2 635	698
500 and over	7	7 306	7	7 306	5	6 490	5	6 490	2 263
Milk cows	27	1 043	27	1 043	Calves sold				
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	17	24	17	24	5	7	5	7	1
3 or 4	3	10	3	10	1	4	1	4	(Z)
5 to 9	1	7	1	7	10	68	10	68	10
10 to 19	1	12	1	12	14	192	14	192	24
20 to 49	2	40	2	40	22	681	22	681	82
50 to 99					12	706	12	706	76
100 to 199	1	(D)	1	(D)	8	1 050	8	1 050	118
200 to 499	1	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
500 and over	1	(D)	1	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)	(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	65	2 420	6	561	Turkeys	3	23	—	—
1969	87	4 154	8	444	1969	2	24	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	63	2 055	5	369	Turkeys for slaughter	2	11	—	—
1974	63	2 055	5	369	1974	1	10	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	4	365	1	192	Heavy breed	1	1	—	—
1974	4	365	1	192	Light breed	1	1	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	6	90	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	1	12	—	—
1974	6	90	—	—	1969	2	18	—	—
1969	4	307	—	—	1974	4	(X)	1	(X)
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	17	92	1	19	1969	11	(X)	1	(X)
1974	17	92	1	19					
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	2	251	—	—					
1974	2	251	—	—					

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	44	36	4 974	3 407	(X)	(X)
1969	—	2	—	(D)	—	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1	—	73	—	3 500	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	576	585	406 604	330 781	13 404 171	7 740 864
Other small grains for grain	35	107	5 027	25 149	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	44	(NA)	9 253	(NA)	4 002 455	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	185	236	15 812	22 044	73 657	85 844
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	21	32	2 032	2 213	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	11	16	466	559	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1	—	(Z)	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	100	(NA)	18 324	18 070	(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)	29	21	3 206	1 446	210 225	150 856	22	20	1 305	1 289
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	19	19	1 768	1 909	36 553	46 953	18	18	1 568	1 309
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	2	—	52	(X)	(X)	—	2	—	52
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	—	2	—	(D)	—	(D)	—	—	—	—
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	—	(NA)	—	—	(X)	(X)	—	(NA)	—	—
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	168	170	14 520	16 162	69 759	78 091	151	152	13 254	14 606

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

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	140	19 423	(X)	59	3 525	41	2 691	37	284	5	43
1969	146	18 739	(X)	67	5 151	53	3 802	41	609	13	38
Improved pasture	47	23 303	(X)	16	1 566	15	1 398	10	90	7	31
1969	44	43 397	(X)	15	2 568	13	944	9	52	4	17
Corn for all purposes	44	4 974	(X)	36	2 873	44	4 974	37	802	18	369
1969	36	3 407	(X)	34	2 650	34	2 603	23	543	18	189
Sorghums for all purposes	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	2	506	(X)	—	—	1	387	—	—	1	8
Wheat (bushels)	572	406 332	13 393 561	187	51 506	518	386 369	145	5 627	406	17 726
1969	571	325 691	7 624 207	167	41 391	511	301 214	(NA)	1 955	(NA)	15 015
Oats (bushels)	7	1 706	43 005	2	50	5	963	1	12	4	19
1969	41	1 729	88 032	17	895	26	1 450	(NA)	8	(NA)	93
Barley (bushels)	30	3 296	109 452	7	459	25	2 761	7	72	20	86
1969	67	17 859	546 579	20	1 335	55	15 617	(NA)	80	(NA)	612
Rye (bushels)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	8	3 118	58 252	—	—	3	703	(NA)	—	(NA)	19
Other small grains for grain	1	25	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	1	73	3 500	1	73	1	73	1	6	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	179	15 752	73 431	159	14 131	74	5 723	54	543	25	198
1969	227	21 704	84 698	161	15 520	51	4 689	42	441	12	86
Field seed crops	25	2 899	(X)	25	2 899	7	409	6	65	1	7
1974	18	1 578	(X)	17	1 577	7	500	3	23	4	24
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	44	9 253	4 002 455	44	9 253	44	9 253	38	4 677	20	1 920
1969	59	8 255	3 613 253	59	8 255	59	8 252	(NA)	3 735	(NA)	753
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	21	2 032	(X)	21	2 032	21	2 032	11	341	10	99
1974	32	2 213	(X)	32	2 213	32	2 148	28	657	10	171
1969	11	466	(X)	9	444	8	278	8	40	—	—
Land in orchards	13	527	(X)	13	527	10	405	9	46	1	1
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	(Z)	(X)	1	(Z)	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	11	424	(X)	10	419	6	280	3	12	3	32
1969	2	(D)	(X)	1	(D)	1	(Z)	1	(Z)	-	-
1974	91	15 001	(X)	91	14 841	89	14 588	59	3 235	36	1 507

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
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime			Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—		
lime	611	621	Diseases in crops and orchards	18	22
..... farms	9 773	4 052	..... farms	5 096	6 070
Commercial fertilizer	593	569	acres on which used	58	34
..... farms	431 842	356 225	Weeds or grass in crops	364	431
acres on which used	37 871	28 714	..... farms	264 554	249 654
tons	7 867	3 287	acres on which used	868	393
..... farms	2	-	Weeds or brush in pasture	4	17
acres on which used	1 056	-	..... farms	358	1 438
tons	929	-	acres on which used	2	8
..... farms	18	-	Weeds on all other land	75	(NA)
..... farms	20	10	acres on which used	3 432	(NA)
Insects on hay crops	1 850	2 151	..... farms	21	(NA)
acres on which used	14	13	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control		
..... farms	180	84	of crops or thinning of fruit	28	33
acres on which used	90 798	22 390	..... farms	4 591	3 697
..... farms	736	258	acres on which used	48	29
Nematodes in crops	19	10	..... farms	49	90
acres on which used	2 600	621	Insect control on livestock and poultry	7	7
..... farms	109	21	..... farms	64	(NA)
..... farms			Other chemicals (see text)	25	(NA)
..... farms .....			..... farms		

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 irrigated in census year	290	278	Land irrigated by—Continued		
Proportion of farms	43.0	41.8	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	35	(NA)
Total land irrigated	105 542	105 425	..... farms	22 673	(NA)
Average per farm	363.9	379.2	acres	191	(NA)
Cropland irrigated	288	274	Other sprinkler systems	41 934	(NA)
..... farms	103 976	102 857	..... farms	395 702	551 776
acres	278	264	Land in irrigated farms	257 488	302 037
Harvested cropland irrigated	97 978	90 352	Cropland	167 781	162 436
..... farms	59	67	Harvested cropland		
acres	3 525	5 151	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated		
Cropland pasture irrigated	11	(NA)	between 1970 and 1973	3	(X)
..... farms	2 473	7 354	acres irrigated in most recent year	140	(X)
acres	16	15	Farms with artificial drainage	36	60
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	1 566	2 568	Proportion of farms	5.3	9.0
..... farms	216 102	243 418	Land in farms with drainage	22 157	65 450
acres	2.0	2.3	Land drained	6 356	10 164
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied			Average per farm	176.6	169.4
Average per acre irrigated			Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen		
Land irrigated by—			tanks	54	(NA)
Furrows or ditches	160	(NA)	..... farms	109	(NA)
..... farms	41 026	(NA)	acres	129	(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)	338	263	206
..... farms	30 996	19 570	11 426
Farms by size of debt owed:			
Under \$5,000	29	18	35
\$5,000 to \$9,999	21	18	28
\$10,000 to \$29,999	78	65	65
\$30,000 to \$49,999	51	41	31
\$50,000 and over	159	121	47

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—											
150 days or more	195	216	541	507	3 317	3 330	428	195	237	208	
25 to 149 days	237	471	1 306	2 506	1 585		Cash wages paid—\$1,000	5 194	3 317	1 585	292
Less than 25 days	208		1 448		(NA)		292	Number of workers	3 295	541	1 306	1 448
Total contract labor	47	67	(NA)	(NA)	339	Farms with—					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	29	(NA)	745	(NA)	249	1 worker	90	93	81	50	
						2 workers	90	39	51	41	
						3 or 4 workers	87	39	41	39	
						5 to 9 workers	81	18	34	38	
						10 workers and over	80	6	30	40	