



**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	104	143	104	143			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	92		92				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	76	100	76	100			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	73	82	73	82			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	100	97	100	97			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	141	112	141	112			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	436	678	30	40			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	60	59	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	85	66	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	113	100	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	178	453	(X)	(X)			
<b>Market value of agricultural products sold</b>							
\$1,000	40 496	22 389	40 035	21 897			
Average per farm dollars	39 624	18 472	64 992	38 148			
<b>Crops, including hay</b>							
farms	201	334	122	(NA)			
\$1,000	2 658	6 952	2 597	2 224			
<b>Nursery and greenhouse products</b>							
farms	161		120	85			
\$1,000	7 916		7 858	4 647			
<b>Forest products</b>							
farms	30	18	19	10			
\$1,000	88	32	82	31			
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
farms	728	856	417	393			
\$1,000	29 834	15 406	29 498	14 995			
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b>							
farms	79	(NA)	37	51			
\$1,000	6 450	(NA)	6 443	3 590			
<b>Specified products sold:</b>							
Crops							
farms					122	(NA)	
\$1,000					2 597	2 224	
Grains					1	3	
\$1,000					6	6	
Tobacco							
farms							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage					31	36	
\$1,000					321	79	
Other field crops						4	
farms						8	
\$1,000							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons					64	69	
\$1,000					1 374	1 077	
Fruits, nuts, and berries					50	64	
farms					896	1 054	
\$1,000							
<b>Livestock, poultry, and their products</b>							
farms					417	393	
\$1,000					29 498	14 995	
<b>Poultry and poultry products</b>							
farms					37	51	
\$1,000					6 443	3 590	
<b>Dairy products</b>							
farms					139	146	
\$1,000					18 483	8 482	
<b>Cattle and calves</b>							
farms					349	(NA)	
\$1,000					3 552	2 281	
<b>Hogs and pigs</b>							
farms					48	(NA)	
\$1,000					181	642	
<b>Sheep, lambs, and wool</b>							
farms					14		
\$1,000					10		
<b>Other livestock and livestock products</b>							
farms					66		
\$1,000					828		

**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>	577	(NA)	222	(NA)			
<b>Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses<sup>1</sup></b>							
farms	147	(NA)	89	(NA)			
\$1,000	466	(NA)	368	(NA)			
<b>Customwork and other agricultural services</b>							
farms	65	61	30	34			
\$1,000	215	100	167	57			
<b>Recreational services</b>							
farms	12	28	7	11			
\$1,000	62	55	56	28			
<b>Government farm programs</b>							
farms	13	29	10	23			
\$1,000	12	17	10	17			
<b>Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments</b>							
farms	54	(NA)	35	(NA)			
\$1,000	84	(NA)	44	(NA)			
<b>Other farm-related sources</b>							
farms	19	(NA)	16	(NA)			
\$1,000	92	(NA)	91	(NA)			
<b>Expenses for farm-related income sources<sup>1</sup></b>							
farms	57	(NA)	36	(NA)			
\$1,000	212	(NA)	161	(NA)			
<b>Total family income from off-farm sources<sup>2</sup></b>							
farms					394		
\$1,000					4 963		
<b>Nonfarm business, excluding farm related</b>							
farms					64		
\$1,000					883		
<b>Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips</b>							
farms					237		
\$1,000					3 044		
<b>Interest, dividends, or royalties</b>							
farms					190		
\$1,000					491		
<b>Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.</b>							
farms					93		
\$1,000					370		
<b>Rent income of nonfarm property</b>							
farms					48		
\$1,000					175		

<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	1 022	1 212	616	574					
\$1,000	32 240	19 520	31 485	18 429					
<b>Farms with</b>									
\$1 to \$999	145	242	8	36					
\$1,000 to \$1,999	139	240	14						
\$2,000 to \$2,999	116	131	49	37					
\$3,000 to \$4,999	113	141	54	72					
\$5,000 to \$9,999	163	160	145	131					
\$10,000 to \$19,999	106		106	99					
\$20,000 to \$39,999	73		73	84					
\$40,000 to \$59,999	34	298	34						
\$60,000 and over	133		133	115					
<b>Livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	410	597	251	279					
\$1,000	2 505	2 760	2 417	2 595					
<b>Feed for livestock and poultry purchased</b>									
farms	729	903	410	384					
\$1,000	13 492	6 105	13 238	5 847					
<b>Commercially mixed formula feeds</b>									
farms	560	605	368	328					
\$1,000	9 486	4 492	9 391	4 395					
<b>Feed ingredients</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	60	24					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	90	153					
<b>Whole grains</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	129	56					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	838	209					
<b>Hay, green chop, and silage</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	205	249					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2 920	1 089					
<b>Animal health costs for livestock and poultry</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	311	(NA)					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	305	(NA)					
<b>Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased</b>									
farms	282	265	192	162					
\$1,000	979	878	969	870					
<b>Commercial fertilizer purchased</b>									
farms	400	370	288	244					
\$1,000	545	233	530	217					
<b>Other agricultural chemicals purchased</b>									
farms	273	(NA)	211	(NA)					
\$1,000	150	92	147	86					
<b>Lime</b>									
farms	(NA)	54	31	43					
\$1,000	(NA)	12	12	12					
<b>Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business</b>									
farms	984	1 186	606	572					
\$1,000	1 033	618	976	523					
<b>Gasoline</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	588	568					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	511	277					
<b>Diesel oil</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	207	121					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	123	37					
<b>LP gas, butane, and propane</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	71	41					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	40	40					
<b>Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil</b>									
farms	(NA)	(NA)	605	568					
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	302	169					
<b>Hired farm labor</b>									
farms	411	578	323						

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..... farms.....	959	1 152	584	555	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	2	4	—	4
..... \$1,000.....	11 790	6 784	9 269	4 831	..... number.....	2	4	—	4
Average per farm..... dollars.....	12 294	5 888	15 872	8 704	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	1	—	1
Farms by value group:					Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	1	7	1	1
\$1 to \$999.....	23	119	8	230	..... number.....	3	9	3	—
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	277	589	123	162	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	—	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	257	252	129	105	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	4	—	3	6
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	213	129	147	105	..... number.....	4	—	3	7
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	103	—	95	33	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	2	—	2	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	66	63	62	18	Mower conditioners..... farms.....	70	(NA)	45	(NA)
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	9	—	9	7	..... number.....	76	(NA)	48	(NA)
\$70,000 and over.....	11	—	11	—	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	23	(NA)	15	(NA)
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>					Pickup balers..... farms.....	83	85	63	61
Automobiles..... farms.....	627	817	394	408	..... number.....	86	87	64	62
..... number.....	901	1 110	588	562	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	22	30	22	25
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	433	621	299	347	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	32	(NA)	24	28
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	805	938	504	471	..... number.....	37	(NA)	27	30
..... number.....	1 346	1 430	976	883	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	12	(NA)	12	10
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	374	544	291	308	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	74	(NA)	65	33
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	709	776	461	422	..... number.....	89	(NA)	79	36
..... number.....	1 196	1 260	886	732	..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	20	(NA)	17	11
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	252	261	209	175					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	129	—	90	96					
..... number.....	139	—	97	107					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	—	8	11					

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.....	743	(X)	409	(X)	728	(X)	417	(X)	29 498
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	661	(X)	357	(X)	641	(X)	369	(X)	3 744
..... 1969.....	728	(X)	323	(X)	677	(X)	322	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	625	34 578	342	30 913	592	19 295	349	18 139	3 552
..... 1969.....	692	29 149	313	24 607	640	16 874	307	14 888	2 281
Farms with —									
1 to 4..... 1974.....	58	154	18	37	172	418	41	101	33
5 to 9..... 1974.....	108	740	20	142	133	873	41	295	94
10 to 19..... 1974.....	144	1 927	42	562	76	988	57	751	239
20 to 49..... 1974.....	150	4 530	100	3 135	105	3 208	104	3 184	696
50 to 99..... 1974.....	70	4 923	67	4 733	63	4 323	63	4 323	863
100 to 199..... 1974.....	51	7 394	51	7 394	29	4 194	29	4 194	834
200 to 499..... 1974.....	41	11 860	41	11 860	12	(D)	12	(D)	(D)
500 and over..... 1974.....	3	3 050	3	3 050	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	491	19 702	268	17 972	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	487	16 198	262	14 926	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows..... 1974.....	333	4 343	128	2 715	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	(NA)	3 635	126	2 451	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows..... 1974.....	226	15 359	172	15 257	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
..... 1969.....	202	12 563	154	12 475	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	139	(X)	18 483
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	146	(X)	8 482
<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.....	333	4 343	128	2 715	Cattle sold.....	311	9 303	3 090	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 to 4.....	140	355	49	114	1 to 4.....	46	127	49	
5 to 9.....	73	464	15	95	5 to 9.....	49	343	119	
10 to 19.....	62	829	25	330	10 to 19.....	88	1 189	420	
20 to 49.....	47	1 305	29	836	20 to 49.....	83	2 379	751	
50 to 99.....	3	(D)	2	(D)	50 to 99.....	26	1 708	639	
100 to 199.....	7	970	7	970	100 to 199.....	14	1 881	583	
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	4	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	—	—	—	—	500 and over.....	1	(D)	(D)	
Milk cows.....	226	15 359	172	15 257	Calves sold.....	201	8 836	463	
Farms with —					Farms with —				
1 or 2.....	78	108	32	41	1 or 2.....	19	24	3	
3 or 4.....	10	32	5	17	3 or 4.....	14	48	7	
5 to 9.....	9	47	7	37	5 to 9.....	21	133	15	
10 to 19.....	7	95	6	85	10 to 19.....	37	500	37	
20 to 49.....	19	623	19	623	20 to 49.....	59	1 789	120	
50 to 99.....	44	3 224	44	3 224	50 to 99.....	32	2 049	87	
100 to 199.....	45	6 268	45	6 268	100 to 199.....	11	1 350	67	
200 to 499.....	13	(D)	13	(D)	200 to 499.....	6	(D)	(D)	
500 and over.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	500 and over.....	2	(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.....1974..	56	94 191	19	116 555	Turkeys.....1974..	2	7	1	4
.....1969..	48	183 232	24	94 165	.....1969..	2	10	1	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production.....1974..	54	35 665	19	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter.....1974..	2	7	1	4
Hens for hatching egg production.....1974..	6	58 526	1	(D)	Heavy breed.....1974..	1	2	1	4
Pullets 3 months old or older.....1974..	5	197 969	2	(D)	Light breed.....1974..	2	5	-	-
.....1969..	5	47 652	3	33 000	Turkey hens for breeding.....1974..	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding.....1974..	27	24 313	2	(D)	.....1969..	2	7	-	-
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old.....1974..	2	(D)	-	-	Other poultry.....1974..	14	(X)	4	(X)
					.....1969..	16	(X)	2	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes.....	21	17	1 788	692	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes.....	1	-	5	-	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....	4	4	53	184	1 536	2 901	-	-	-	-
Other small grains for grain.....	3	8	19	62	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tobacco (pounds).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....	6	(NA)	4	(NA)	139	(NA)	-	-	-	-
Sweetpotatoes (bushels).....	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....	296	280	10 276	7 169	24 042	16 775	-	-	-	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....	83	86	1 806	1 954	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Land in orchards.....	22	35	167	216	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Berries for sale.....	67	80	766	901	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Other crops.....	155	(NA)	494	251	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-

  

	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).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green).....	18	13	1 755	666	22 755	12 452	2	-	90	-
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed.....	1	1	30	10	(X)	(X)	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for grain (bushels).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.....	-	(NA)	-	-	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	-
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry).....	9	14	506	760	2 095	2 683	2	6	251	508

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					
			Quantity			Total		Dry		Liquid	
	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture.....1974..	247	12 852	(X)	18	616	54	2 785	54	355	-	-
.....1969..	268	14 756	(X)	17	499	57	1 912	54	258	6	38
Improved pasture.....1974..	75	3 743	(X)	4	201	23	967	22	184	2	11
.....1969..	54	3 000	(X)	1	10	8	399	8	57	2	9
Corn for all purposes.....1974..	19	1 785	(X)	2	90	18	1 415	18	210	3	35
.....1969..	13	676	(X)	-	-	11	657	11	141	-	-
Sorghums for all purposes.....1974..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wheat (bushels).....1974..	1	50	1 500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	2	64	2 001	1	29	1	29	(NA)	7	(NA)	-
Oats (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barley (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	2	35	2 626	1	20	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Rye (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain.....1974..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry).....1974..	159	8 414	21 346	12	454	41	3 245	41	518	-	-
.....1969..	136	5 467	14 081	13	858	16	1 105	14	189	3	2
Field seed crops.....1974..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton (bales).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds).....1974..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....1969..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight).....1974..	2	(Z)	12	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
.....1969..	4	12	2 001	3	11	2	11	(NA)	4	(NA)	-
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale.....1974..	64	1 774	(X)	35	383	54	1 576	54	693	2	4
.....1969..	68	1 901	(X)	34	585	62	1 763	62	842	-	-
Land in orchards.....1974..	2	(D)	(X)	1	34	2	(D)	2	61	1	3
.....1969..	9	140	(X)	2	9	4	131	4	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					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
				Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	50	726	(X)	10	41	27	488	27	183	-	-
1969	61	882	(X)	12	65	41	605	41	263	2	12
Nursery and greenhouse products	120	451	(X)	61	357	77	375	77	148	21	18
1969	85	218	(X)	40	96	73	168	66	79	20	8
Other crops	-	-	(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	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	329		299		Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
\$1,000	677		304		Diseases in crops and orchards	28		48	
Commercial fertilizer	289		225		acres on which used	262		532	
acres on which used	11 005		7 605		\$1,000	8		15	
tons	2 424		1 962		Weeds or grass in crops	71		67	
\$1,000	530		217		acres on which used	3 286		1 487	
Lime	31		43		\$1,000	48		18	
acres on which used	691		737		Weeds or brush in pasture	10		14	
tons	837		1 082		acres on which used	344		366	
\$1,000	12		12		\$1,000	1		2	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					Weeds on all other land	13		(NA)	
Insects on hay crops	2		-		acres on which used	45		(NA)	
acres on which used	95		-		\$1,000	(Z)		(NA)	
\$1,000	1		-		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
Insects on other crops	77		84		of crops or thinning of fruit	5		3	
acres on which used	2 059		1 997		acres on which used	9		3	
\$1,000	45		28		\$1,000	(Z)		(Z)	
Nematodes in crops	3		8		Insect control on livestock and poultry	34		73	
acres on which used	41		114		\$1,000	18		4	
\$1,000	(Z)		3		Other chemicals (see text)	54		(NA)	
					\$1,000	13		(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	129		100		Land irrigated by— Continued				
Proportion of farms	20.9		17.4		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	10		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	2 143		2 107		acres	137		(NA)	
Average per farm	16.6		21.0		Other sprinkler systems	118		(NA)	
Cropland irrigated	1 942		2 097		acres	1 996		(NA)	
Harvested cropland irrigated	112		90		Land in irrigated farms	5 157		6 817	
acres	1 326		1 596		Cropland	3 723		3 717	
Cropland pasture irrigated	18		17		Harvested cropland	1 977		2 410	
acres	616		499		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated between 1970 and 1973	9		(X)	
Other cropland irrigated	-		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	324		(X)	
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	4		2		Farms with artificial drainage	131		183	
acres	201		10		Proportion of farms	21.3		31.8	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	3 286		2 568		Land in farms with drainage	15 194		15 916	
Average per acre irrigated	1.5		1.2		Land drained	7 154		7 791	
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm	54.6		42.5	
Furrows or ditches	3		(NA)		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks				
acres	8		(NA)		farms	33		(NA)	
					number	58		(NA)	
					acres	31		(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)			258		197		138	
			13 235		9 121		4 114	
Farms by size of debt owed:								
Under \$5,000			33		24		33	
\$5,000 to \$9,999			38		25		34	
\$10,000 to \$29,999			83		68		38	
\$30,000 to \$49,999			32		28		14	
\$50,000 and over			72		52		19	

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	144	140	718	479	3 344		323	144	161	175	
25 to 149 days	161	360	1 141	5 448	724		4 308	3 344	724	240	
Less than 25 days	175		3 847	(NA)	240		5 706	718	1 141	3 847	
Total contract labor	29	57	(NA)	(NA)	47						
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	11	(NA)	59	(NA)	21	(NA)					
Farms with—											
1 worker							84	60	47	49	
2 workers							40	25	31	27	
3 or 4 workers							65	28	36	28	
5 to 9 workers							59	17	17	34	
10 workers and over							75	14	30	37	