



**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:					Specified products sold:		
\$100,000 and over.....	90		88		Crops.....	1 335	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	629	228	628	228	Grains.....	\$1,000.....	16 477
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	722	799	722	799	Tobacco.....	\$1,000.....	7 318
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	495	779	495	779	Cotton and cottonseed.....	\$1,000.....	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	289	387	289	387	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....	\$1,000.....	652
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	152	238	152	235	Other field crops.....	\$1,000.....	1 873
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	223	448	8	33	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....	\$1,000.....	7
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	53	63	(X)	(X)	Fruits, nuts, and berries.....	\$1,000.....	202
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	53	68	(X)	(X)	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	\$1,000.....	488
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	44	98	(X)	(X)	Poultry and poultry products.....	\$1,000.....	7 016
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	73	219	(X)	(X)	Dairy products.....	\$1,000.....	9
Market value of agricultural products sold.....					Cattle and calves.....	\$1,000.....	62
Average per farm.....	\$1,000.....	88 107	53 767	87 418	Hogs and pigs.....	\$1,000.....	2 136
Crops, including hay.....	dollars.....	33 887	18 675	36 700	Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	\$1,000.....	70 833
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	farms.....	1 459	1 847	1 335	Other livestock and livestock products.....	\$1,000.....	338
Forest products.....	farms.....	16 634	6 890	16 477	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	\$1,000.....	70 833
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	farms.....	7	4	5	Poultry and poultry products.....	\$1,000.....	338
Poultry and poultry products.....	\$1,000.....	93	89	28	Dairy products.....	\$1,000.....	1 561
					Cattle and calves.....	\$1,000.....	47 095
					Hogs and pigs.....	\$1,000.....	1 945
					Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	\$1,000.....	14 519
					Other livestock and livestock products.....	\$1,000.....	786
							6 538
							76
							69
							62
							1 132

**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 sold <sup>1</sup> .....	474	(NA)	299	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources <sup>2</sup> .....	farms.....	1 308
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses <sup>1</sup> .....	584	(NA)	521	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....	\$1,000.....	9 560
Customwork and other agricultural services.....	\$1,000.....	963	(NA)	896	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....	\$1,000.....	1 667
Recreational services.....	farms.....	278	371	269	Interest, dividends, or royalties.....	\$1,000.....	830
Government farm programs.....	\$1,000.....	450	352	444	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....	\$1,000.....	6 522
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....	farms.....	33	57	29	Rent income of nonfarm property.....	farms.....	658
Other farm-related sources.....	\$1,000.....	17	26	16		\$1,000.....	845
Expenses for farm-related income sources <sup>1</sup> .....	farms.....	140	784	131		\$1,000.....	159
	\$1,000.....	117	1 146	111		\$1,000.....	360
							98
							166

<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
Total farm production expenses.....	farms.....	2 593	2 879	2 382	2 461	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	farms.....	2 348	2 576
Farms with.....	\$1,000.....	62 820	36 815	62 082	35 881	Commercial fertilizer purchased.....	\$1,000.....	2 372	1 081
\$1 to \$999.....		72	174	3	56	Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....	farms.....	2 234	2 404
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....		92	179	27	99	Lime.....	\$1,000.....	4 968	2 165
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....		119	168	82	99	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....	farms.....	2 560	2 870
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....		208	361	186	318	Gasoline.....	\$1,000.....	3 354	2 020
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....		461	721	446	715	Diesel oil.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 320
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....		707	819	707	819	LP gas, butane, and propane.....	\$1,000.....	(NA)	2 029
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....		582	357	582	357	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....	farms.....	1 502	795
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....		191		191		Hired farm labor.....	\$1,000.....	811	1 218
\$60,000 and over.....		161		159		Contract labor.....	farms.....	3 317	1 875
Livestock and poultry purchased.....	farms.....	1 198	1 633	1 086	1 444	Machine hire and customwork.....	\$1,000.....	57	1 856
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	\$1,000.....	6 122	3 852	5 980	3 726	All other production expenses.....	\$1,000.....	54	964
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	farms.....	2 092	2 457	1 939	2 211			1 415	1 633
Feed ingredients.....	\$1,000.....	13 579	6 705	13 455	6 598			1 079	1 063
Whole grains.....	farms.....	1 591	1 928	1 506	1 787			2 532	2 380
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	\$1,000.....	7 950	4 099	7 895	4 057			26 473	17 358
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	farms.....	(NA)	(NA)	1 695	(NA)				
	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	908	(NA)				

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>									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment	2 552	2 848	2 351	2 444	Grain and bean combines, self-propelled	395	324	391	313
\$1,000	71 491	36 985	69 356	34 850	number	402	330	398	319
Average per farm	28 014	12 986	29 500	14 259	mfd in last 5 years, number	87	145	85	142
<b>Farms by value group:</b>									
\$1 to \$999	4	44	4	472	Corn heads for combines	183	1 390	177	149
\$1,000 to \$4,999	192	708	126	563	number	189	1 489	183	153
\$5,000 to \$9,999	326	648	253	563	mfd in last 5 years, number	76	527	74	95
\$10,000 to \$19,999	523	779	484	758	Other cornpickers and picker-shellers	1 222	1 186	1 186	1 242
\$20,000 to \$29,999	559	669	548	389	number	1 261	1 225	1 225	1 269
\$30,000 to \$49,999	584		575	203	mfd in last 5 years, number	306	304	304	420
\$50,000 to \$69,999	216		215	59	Mower conditioners	1 106	(NA)	1 078	(NA)
\$70,000 and over	148		146		number	1 121	(NA)	1 092	(NA)
					mfd in last 5 years, number	448	(NA)	440	(NA)
<b>Selected Machinery and Equipment</b>									
Automobiles	2 411	2 665	2 239	2 329	Pickup balers	1 611	1 647	1 559	1 553
number	3 390	3 643	3 161	3 164	number	1 618	1 671	1 566	1 571
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 578	1 936	1 473	1 699	mfd in last 5 years, number	330	600	323	576
Motor trucks, including pickups	2 181	2 309	2 042	2 069	Windrowers, pull and self-propelled	555	(NA)	539	506
number	2 752	2 740	2 592	2 457	number	576	(NA)	560	523
mfd in last 5 years, number	853	941	806	821	mfd in last 5 years, number	202	(NA)	201	293
Wheel tractors	2 402	2 649	2 226	2 302	Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type	1 382	(NA)	1 356	1 164
number	7 605	7 471	7 271	6 740	number	1 607	(NA)	1 574	1 229
mfd in last 5 years, number	1 274	1 885	1 252	1 743	mfd in last 5 years, number	464	(NA)	457	497
Crawler tractors	68		66	87					
number	90		88	139					
mfd in last 5 years, number	10		10	22					

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	2 269	(X)	2 106	(X)	2 280	(X)	2 136	(X)	70 833
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep	2 193	(X)	2 060	(X)	2 214	(X)	2 093	(X)	21 126
1969	2 468	(X)	2 261	(X)	2 495	(X)	2 302	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves	2 053	138 494	1 939	136 490	2 035	65 298	1 945	64 525	14 519
1969	2 269	129 884	2 115	127 299	2 273	58 642	2 148	57 610	9 123
Farms with—									
1 to 4	46	126	26	72	195	544	147	421	115
5 to 9	83	554	55	371	250	1 711	225	1 556	377
10 to 19	170	2 375	128	1 839	586	8 356	574	8 218	1 630
20 to 49	605	21 495	587	20 962	826	24 646	824	24 618	4 290
50 to 99	770	53 819	766	53 573	128	8 226	127	8 160	1 848
100 to 199	325	40 930	325	40 930	27	3 555	25	3 312	1 053
200 to 499	48	12 935	46	12 483	13	3 637	13	3 637	1 043
500 and over	6	6 260	6	6 260	10	14 603	10	14 603	4 163
Cows and heifers that had calved	1 777	65 171	1 712	64 628	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 985	64 840	1 918	64 224	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	297	3 867	247	3 527	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	(NA)	4 594	319	4 239	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1 597	61 304	1 578	61 101	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969	1 826	60 246	1 801	59 985	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1 561	(X)	47 095
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	1 813	(X)	29 860
<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	297	3 867	247	3 527	Cattle sold	1 782	28 860		10 370
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4	98	218	76	167	1 to 4	424	1 167		374
5 to 9	73	477	55	358	5 to 9	505	3 405		1 098
10 to 19	66	854	61	799	10 to 19	505	6 551		2 137
20 to 49	47	1 298	42	1 183	20 to 49	277	7 742		2 587
50 to 99	8	495	8	495	50 to 99	49	3 192		1 107
100 to 199	5	525	5	525	100 to 199	14	1 858		795
200 to 499	—	—	—	—	200 to 499	6	(D)		(D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	2	(D)		(D)
Milk cows	1 597	61 304	1 578	61 101	Calves sold	1 396	35 665		4 149
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2	32	40	25	32	1 or 2	84	124		8
3 or 4	11	41	8	29	3 or 4	85	293		18
5 to 9	19	133	13	89	5 to 9	256	1 748		99
10 to 19	144	2 168	142	2 141	10 to 19	512	7 037		374
20 to 49	1 047	35 070	1 047	35 070	20 to 49	410	11 060		554
50 to 99	304	18 600	304	18 600	50 to 99	30	1 902		199
100 to 199	36	4 315	35	4 203	100 to 199	3	340		39
200 to 499	4	937	4	937	200 to 499	8	2 213		444
500 and over	—	—	—	—	500 and over	8	10 948		2 414

Table 7. **Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued**

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	1 590	40 894	1974.....	495	8 191	3 011
1969.....	1 886	40 817	1969.....	409	9 424	(NA)
Beef heifers	336	4 676	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	1 423	36 218	1 to 9.....	245	1 142	419
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	1 431	30 968	10 to 19.....	135	1 822	679
1969.....	1 641	22 258	20 to 49.....	78	2 148	759
			50 to 99.....	29	1 810	649
			100 to 199.....	7	(D)	(D)
			200 to 499.....	1	(D)	(D)
			500 and over.....	—	—	—

Table 8. **Hogs, Sheep, Goats, and Horses—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)
Hogs and pigs	758	58 162	713	56 709	822	120 816	786	118 683	6 538
1969.....	1 157	78 210	1 078	76 182	1 214	155 026	1 139	151 417	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....	73	213	55	162	25	62	22	53	5
5 to 9.....	81	539	73	489	39	279	38	270	18
10 to 24.....	148	2 234	138	2 103	115	1 906	108	1 792	111
25 to 49.....	153	5 226	149	5 088	159	5 492	144	4 965	311
50 to 99.....	143	9 577	140	9 385	177	12 197	172	11 915	707
100 to 199.....	85	11 170	85	11 170	146	19 739	143	19 409	1 075
200 to 499.....	58	16 342	57	16 067	105	31 692	103	30 830	1 738
500 and over.....	17	12 861	16	12 245	56	49 449	56	49 449	2 574
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	348	46 457	322	45 403	994
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	426	55 391	395	53 349	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	100	2 357	78	2 087	81	2 449	66	2 288	(NA)
1969.....	147	4 367	103	3 178	136	3 050	92	2 021	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	67	1 541	12 615
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	76	(X)	69
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	3	23	(NA)	(NA)	2	22	(2)
1969.....	(NA)	(NA)	9	17	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	228	803	184	677	41	171	34	156	207
1969.....	325	862	(NA)	(NA)	28	85	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over				Inventory				
	Farms	Number			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
					Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	572	8 969	Litters of pigs farrowed between—						
1969.....	853	12 438	December 1 of preceding year and November 30.....	654	14 120	623	13 804		
Other hogs and pigs	633	47 740	1969.....	930	17 073	888	16 638		
1969.....	965	63 744	December 1 of preceding year and May 31.....	597	7 485	575	7 269		
Lambs under 1 year old	46	438	1969.....	855	8 670	822	8 449		
Ewes 1 year old or older	72	1 566	June 1 and November 30.....	558	6 635	533	6 535		
1974.....	49	83	1969.....	828	8 403	790	8 189		

<sup>1</sup>Pounds of wool.

Table 9. **Poultry—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
Any poultry	494	(X)	434	(X)	244	(X)	222	(X)
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	669	(X)	(NA)	(X)	378	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	437	117 129	383	109 022	180	74 090	165	68 741
1969.....	701	221 645	631	207 401	361	169 525	344	160 670
Hens and pullets of laying age	429	114 089	375	106 016	176	72 346	162	67 052
1969.....	664	191 441	604	179 274	332	114 439	319	106 184
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	196	7 118	159	6 081	65	3 568	55	3 128
100 to 399.....	201	36 702	186	34 567	100	16 973	98	16 673
400 to 1,599.....	26	14 714	25	13 552	6	4 814	5	3 760
1,600 to 3,199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999.....	2	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999.....	2	(D)	2	(D)	3	(D)	3	(D)
20,000 to 49,999.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	87	8 904	69	8 023	67	7 667	56	7 076
1969.....	9	756	8	681	18	5 691	10	4 063
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	383	1 533	338	1 481
1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	571	1 081

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..	375	106 016	162	67 052	Turkeys	1974..	5	217	2	(D)
	1969..	604	179 274	319	106 184		1969..	3	17	2	(D)
Hens for table or market egg production	1974..	368	85 443	160	(D)	Turkeys for slaughter	1974..	4	214	2	(D)
Hens for hatching egg production	1974..	19	20 573	2	(D)	Heavy breed	1974..	4	214	2	(D)
	1974..					Light breed	1974..				
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974..	5	467			Turkey hens for breeding	1974..	2	3		
	1969..	21	24 910	6	46 200		1969..	3	8	1	6
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974..	52	2 539	8	1 689	Other poultry	1974..	81	(X)	33	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974..	7	36 284	3	35 740		1969..	118	(X)	60	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

		All farms					
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	1974..	2 270	2 333	144 346	111 030	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	1969..	41	9	276	184	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	79	30	1 533	365	38 009	9 350
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974..						
Wheat (bushels)	1969..	240	109	3 079	798	133 088	31 448
Other small grains for grain	1974..	1 926	2 225	42 064	52 856	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	1974..						
Tobacco (pounds)	1974..	2	4	3	14	7 550	22 192
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1969..	9	(NA)	2	(NA)	370	(NA)
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)	1974..	1	(NA)	1	(NA)	50	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	2 185	2 315	99 042	88 025	301 194	286 330
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1969..	496	588	38 355	37 769	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	1974..	17	25	43	103	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	1969..	12	13	8	2	(X)	(X)
Other crops	1974..	56	(NA)	1 025	754	(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)	1974..	2 015	2 070	93 340	72 165	7 045 797	7 015 108	2	2	107	41
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	1969..	1 625	1 730	48 291	35 376	545 954	429 064	5	5	139	79
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	1974..	69	153	1 036	992	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	1969..	4	1	30	128	2 437	(D)				
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	1974..	36	(NA)	56	56	211	(X)	(NA)			
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	1969..	1 885	1 849	64 194	59 691	221 499	215 115	2	1	7	5

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					
						Total		Dry		Liquid	
		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974..	1 160	26 444	(X)	1	1	21	328	21	41	
	1969..	1 482	35 866	(X)	1	8	75	1 309	69	194	6
Improved pasture	1974..	199	4 872	(X)			5	76	4	6	1
	1969..	201	5 005	(X)			12	165	11	38	1
Corn for all purposes	1974..	2 163	142 667	(X)	6	246	1 922	128 817	1 868	16 996	510
	1969..	2 193	108 533	(X)	6	120	1 881	96 649	1 859	14 000	505
Sorghums for all purposes	1974..	37	241	(X)			10	62	8	6	2
	1969..	9	184	(X)			4	21	4	4	
Wheat (bushels)	1974..	226	2 998	130 486			70	1 218	68	133	4
	1969..	100	746	29 642			36	251	(NA)	29	(NA)
Oats (bushels)	1974..	1 825	40 005	2 723 310	3	49	401	9 818	393	960	9
	1969..	2 014	48 323	3 471 214	2	34	588	14 683	(NA)	1 459	(NA)
Barley (bushels)	1974..	51	689	36 587			23	357	22	38	1
	1969..	101	1 947	98 508			53	1 300	(NA)	122	(NA)
Rye (bushels)	1974..	6	20	620							
	1969..	6	32	1 090							
Other small grains for grain	1974..	38	486	(X)			6	102	6	11	
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974..	76	1 526	37 795	1	5	36	831	35	81	1
	1969..	24	286	7 678			12	134	(NA)	16	(NA)
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974..										
	1969..										
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974..	2 069	97 209	297 024	3	32	498	21 662	488	2 942	11
	1969..	2 074	84 147	277 150	1	5	393	14 482	382	2 078	15
Field seed crops	1974..	32	284	(X)			1	6	1	4	
	1969..	50	404	(X)							
Cotton (bales)	1974..										
	1969..										
Tobacco (pounds)	1974..	2	3	7 550			2	3	2	1	
	1969..	4	14	22 192			4	11	(NA)	4	(NA)
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974..	6	1	247							
	1969..	22	7	820			4	2	(NA)	1	(NA)
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974..	489	38 181	(X)	5	913	275	31 132	268	3 984	61
	1969..	546	37 310	(X)	2	(D)	442	33 801	437	4 548	109
Land in orchards	1974..	8	34	(X)			1	25	1	4	
	1969..	16	76	(X)			7	47	7	7	

**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 .....	10	8	(X)	2	2	3	2	3	1	-	-
1969 .....	11	2	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products .....	4	19	(X)	1	1	3	12	2	3	1	(Z)
1969 .....	3	6	(X)	1	(Z)	3	4	3	3	-	-
Other crops .....	15	715	(X)	-	-	11	614	11	145	-	-

**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	
	Quantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost		Quantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime .....	farms	2 177	farms	2 296	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—Con.				
.....	\$1,000	6 425	.....	2 909	Diseases in crops and orchards .....	farms	18	farms	24
Commercial fertilizer .....	farms	2 127	.....	2 069	.....	acres on which used	1 183	.....	1 008
.....	acres on which used	196 924	.....	163 120	.....	\$1,000	18	.....	11
.....	tons	29 836	.....	26 780	Weeds or grass in crops .....	farms	1 132	farms	1 556
.....	\$1,000	4 929	.....	2 129	.....	acres on which used	108 042	.....	104 615
Lime .....	farms	130	.....	192	Weeds or brush in pasture .....	farms	16	.....	82
.....	acres on which used	4 634	.....	5 459	.....	acres on which used	301	.....	1 003
.....	tons	6 139	.....	8 853	.....	\$1,000	3	.....	3
.....	\$1,000	37	.....	31	Weeds on all other land .....	farms	58	.....	(NA)
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					.....	acres on which used	273	.....	(NA)
Insects on hay crops .....	farms	148	.....	14	.....	\$1,000	2	.....	(NA)
.....	acres on which used	5 629	.....	415	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
.....	\$1,000	40	.....	3	of crops or thinning of fruit .....	farms	22	.....	30
Insects on other crops .....	farms	856	.....	617	.....	acres on which used	912	.....	1 171
.....	acres on which used	84 156	.....	48 790	.....	\$1,000	7	.....	5
.....	\$1,000	428	.....	144	Insect control on livestock and poultry .....	farms	374	.....	911
Nematodes in crops .....	farms	20	.....	15	.....	\$1,000	31	.....	51
.....	acres on which used	1 205	.....	762	Other chemicals (see text) .....	farms	510	.....	(NA)
.....	\$1,000	7	.....	2	.....	\$1,000	99	.....	(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	
	Quantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost		Quantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost
Farms irrigated in census year .....	farms	18	.....	12	Land irrigated by—Continued				
Proportion of farms .....	percent	0.8	.....	0.4	Self-propelled sprinkler systems .....	farms	1	.....	(NA)
Total land irrigated .....	acres	1 246	.....	1 381	.....	acres	550	.....	(NA)
Average per farm .....	acres	69.2	.....	115.0	Other sprinkler systems .....	farms	16	.....	(NA)
Cropland irrigated .....	farms	18	.....	12	.....	acres	674	.....	(NA)
.....	acres	1 246	.....	1 381	Land in irrigated farms .....	farms	8 455	.....	6 378
Harvested cropland irrigated .....	farms	17	.....	11	.....	acres	7 913	.....	6 138
.....	acres	1 245	.....	1 373	Harvested cropland .....	acres	7 217	.....	5 875
Cropland pasture irrigated .....	farms	1	.....	1	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
.....	acres	1	.....	8	between 1970 and 1973 .....	farms	-	.....	(X)
Other cropland irrigated .....	farms	-	.....	(NA)	.....	acres irrigated in most recent year	-	.....	(X)
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture .....	farms	-	.....	-	Farms with artificial drainage .....	farms	583	.....	770
.....	acres	-	.....	-	.....	percent	24.5	.....	31.2
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied .....	acre-feet	509	.....	498	Land in farms with drainage .....	acres	125 002	.....	157 398
Average per acre irrigated .....	acre-feet	0.4	.....	0.4	Land drained .....	acres	26 871	.....	32 784
Land irrigated by—					Average per farm .....	acres	46.1	.....	42.5
Furrows or ditches .....	farms	1	.....	(NA)	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
.....	acres	22	.....	(NA)	tanks .....	farms	109	.....	(NA)
					.....	number	253	.....	(NA)
					.....	acres	275	.....	(NA)

**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	
		Quantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text) .....	farms	1 145	905	762			
.....	\$1,000	52 663	33 414	19 249			
Farms by size of debt owed:							
Under \$5,000 .....		120	76	177			
\$5,000 to \$9,999 .....		129	115	98			
\$10,000 to \$29,999 .....		344	345	267			
\$30,000 to \$49,999 .....		182	142	107			
\$50,000 and over .....		370	227	113			

**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 .....	330	306	629	420	2 515	1 747	782	330	240	406	
25 to 149 days .....	240	948	660	2 402	467	188	3 170	2 515	467	188	
Less than 25 days .....	406		1 411		188		2 700	629	660	1 411	
Total contract labor .....	57	78	(NA)	(NA)	54	151					
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor .....	25	(NA)	69	(NA)	27	(NA)					
Farms with—											
Cash wages paid—\$1,000 .....							782	330	240	406	
Number of workers .....							3 170	2 515	467	188	
Farms with—							2 700	629	660	1 411	
1 worker .....							355	208	119	190	
2 workers .....							138	63	59	75	
3 or 4 workers .....							159	45	41	64	
5 to 9 workers .....							85	8	8	55	
10 workers and over .....							45	6	13	22	