

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.....	60	56	60	56	Crops.....	365	(NA)
\$40,000 to \$99,999.....	91	88	91	88	Grains.....	15 536	4 660
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	108	88	108	88	\$1,000.....	364	378
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	53	100	53	100	\$1,000.....	14 138	4 254
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	40	96	40	96	Tobacco.....	—	—
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	28	53	28	53	\$1,000.....	—	—
Under \$2,500 (see text).....	33	65	1	4	\$1,000.....	—	—
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	20	14	(X)	(X)	Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage.....	88	147
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	5	9	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	1 398	406
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	3	8	(X)	(X)	Other field crops.....	—	—
Under \$1,000 (see text).....	5	34	(X)	(X)	\$1,000.....	—	—
Market value of agricultural products sold.....	\$1,000 26 010	10 193	25 950	10 127	Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons.....	1	—
Average per farm.....	dollars 62 979	22 256	68 111	25 509	\$1,000.....	(Z)	—
Crops, including hay.....	farms 388	422	365	(NA)	Fruits, nuts, and berries.....	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products.....	\$1,000 15 580	4 705	15 536	4 660	\$1,000.....	—	—
Forest products.....	farms —	2	—	2	Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	247	280
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....	\$1,000 —	1	—	1	\$1,000.....	10 414	5 467
Poultry and poultry products.....	farms 14	(NA)	14	20	\$1,000.....	14	20
\$1,000.....	11	(NA)	11	18	Dairy products.....	11	18
					\$1,000.....	14	17
					Cattle and calves.....	369	132
					\$1,000.....	239	(NA)
					Hogs and pigs.....	9 805	5 051
					\$1,000.....	33	(NA)
					Sheep, lambs, and wool.....	192	265
					\$1,000.....	33	—
					Other livestock and livestock products.....	6	3
					\$1,000.....	3	—

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 ¹	58	(NA)	34	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms 194	1 550
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	farms 155	(NA)	138	(NA)	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related.....	farms 32	318
Customwork and other agricultural services.....	\$1,000 596	(NA)	549	(NA)	\$1,000.....	318	—
\$1,000.....	65	80	63	73	Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips.....	farms 93	785
Recreational services.....	farms 3	6	3	6	\$1,000.....	113	317
\$1,000.....	(Z)	17	(Z)	17	Interest, dividends, or royalties.....	farms 113	317
Government farm programs.....	farms 36	326	36	294	\$1,000.....	42	99
\$1,000.....	83	1 807	83	1 766	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.....	farms 42	99
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments.....	farms 69	(NA)	54	(NA)	\$1,000.....	26	30
\$1,000.....	244	(NA)	198	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property.....	farms 26	30
Other farm-related sources.....	farms 23	(NA)	23	(NA)	\$1,000.....	—	—
\$1,000.....	27	(NA)	27	(NA)			
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	farms 51	(NA)	50	(NA)			
\$1,000.....	159	(NA)	154	(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 413	458	381	397	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased.....	farms 250	325	246	307
\$1,000.....	20 339	9 540	20 273	9 454	\$1,000.....	378	158	377	155
Farms with —					Commercial fertilizer purchased.....	farms 238	223	234	217
\$1 to \$999.....	11	38	4	25	\$1,000.....	1 509	399	1 509	398
\$1,000 to \$1,999.....	17	37	11	25	Other agricultural chemicals purchased.....	farms 129	(NA)	127	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999.....	35	29	18	25	\$1,000.....	203	47	203	47
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	45	48	43	44	Lime.....	farms (NA)	—	2	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	70	94	70	91	\$1,000.....	(NA)	—	9	—
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	75	212	75	92	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business.....	farms 405	443	373	389
\$20,000 to \$39,999.....	67	—	67	77	\$1,000.....	974	524	965	514
\$40,000 to \$59,999.....	37	—	37	43	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	363	374
\$60,000 and over.....	56	—	56	—	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	436	264
Livestock and poultry purchased.....	farms 152	198	133	183	Diesel oil.....	farms (NA)	(NA)	261	224
\$1,000.....	7 145	4 340	7 141	4 328	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	324	133
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased.....	farms 221	243	196	225	LP gas, butane, and propane.....	farms (NA)	(NA)	165	192
\$1,000.....	3 213	575	3 186	566	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	127	72
Commercially mixed formula feeds.....	farms 125	147	120	140	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil.....	farms (NA)	(NA)	373	389
\$1,000.....	508	161	506	159	\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	77	44
Feed ingredients.....	farms (NA)	(NA)	47	60	Hired farm labor.....	farms 181	280	166	263
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	84	65	\$1,000.....	658	361	657	350
Whole grains.....	farms (NA)	(NA)	94	83	Contract labor.....	farms 17	311	17	22
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	2 338	236	\$1,000.....	45	491	45	23
Hay, green chop, and silage.....	farms (NA)	(NA)	40	74	Machine hire and customwork.....	farms 251	774	227	272
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	258	106	\$1,000.....	774	—	767	453
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry.....	farms (NA)	(NA)	174	(NA)	All other production expenses.....	farms 406	425	380	397
\$1,000.....	(NA)	(NA)	68	(NA)	\$1,000.....	5 440	2 644	5 355	2 620

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									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	385	440	354	384					
..... \$1,000.....	13 802	6 580	13 532	6 447					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	35 848	14 954	38 227	16 788					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	1	26	-	84					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	33	110	25	-					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	24	82	23	79					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	70	92	51	92					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	63	-	61	70					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	113	130	113	39					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	45	-	45	-					
\$70,000 and over.....	36	-	36	20					
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	354	396	324	351					
..... number.....	497	535	463	477					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	291	339	281	314					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	365	408	341	365					
..... number.....	991	943	962	892					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	279	274	277	266					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	355	405	330	360					
..... number.....	895	908	863	827					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	159	200	154	191					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	6	-	6	21					
..... number.....	6	-	6	24					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	-	-	3					
Selected Machinery & Equip. - Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	232	261	230	255					
..... number.....	306	328	304	320					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	32	68	32	66					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	26	8	26	7					
..... number.....	26	9	26	8					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	15	5	15	5					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	3	-	3	1					
..... number.....	4	-	4	1					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	1	-	1	-					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	32	(NA)	32	(NA)					
..... number.....	32	(NA)	32	(NA)					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	9	(NA)	9	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	100	97	98	95					
..... number.....	107	101	105	99					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	37	33	37	33					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	69	(NA)	69	41					
..... number.....	74	(NA)	74	42					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	32	(NA)	32	22					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	50	(NA)	50	77					
..... number.....	60	(NA)	60	80					
..... mfd in last 5 years, number.....	5	(NA)	5	29					

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.....	273	(X)	250	(X)	272	(X)	247	(X)	10 414
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep.....1974.....	263	(X)	240	(X)	271	(X)	246	(X)	10 030
.....1969.....	286	(X)	264	(X)	298	(X)	276	(X)	(NA)
Cattle and calves.....1974.....	260	35 309	237	34 732	262	44 448	239	44 383	9 805
.....1969.....	273	40 384	255	40 147	283	26 556	267	26 467	5 051
Farms with—									
1 to 4.....1974.....	4	9	4	9	29	48	11	24	7
5 to 9.....1974.....	5	33	4	25	30	211	26	185	40
10 to 19.....1974.....	18	274	14	216	38	533	37	518	95
20 to 49.....1974.....	75	2 283	58	1 844	64	1 878	64	1 878	362
50 to 99.....1974.....	75	5 234	74	5 162	58	3 834	58	3 834	765
100 to 199.....1974.....	43	5 621	43	5 621	16	2 024	16	2 024	495
200 to 499.....1974.....	30	8 946	30	8 946	14	4 016	14	4 016	1 042
500 and over.....1974.....	10	12 909	10	12 909	13	31 904	13	31 904	6 999
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1974.....	199	7 732	177	7 482	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	186	6 927	169	6 829	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1974.....	190	7 076	168	6 826	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	6 566	161	6 481	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1974.....	24	656	24	656	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	26	361	19	348	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dairy products sold.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	14	(X)	369
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)	132
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.....	190	7 076	168	6 826	Cattle sold.....	206	41 733		9 434
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 to 4.....	9	20	9	20	1 to 4.....	30	67		18
5 to 9.....	12	90	9	65	5 to 9.....	27	177		43
10 to 19.....	50	642	33	463	10 to 19.....	25	340		77
20 to 49.....	65	2 088	63	2 042	20 to 49.....	47	1 401		322
50 to 99.....	42	2 691	42	2 691	50 to 99.....	36	2 382		547
100 to 199.....	11	(D)	11	(D)	100 to 199.....	14	1 786		464
200 to 499.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	200 to 499.....	15	4 510		1 168
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	12	31 070		6 794
Milk cows.....	24	656	24	656	Calves sold.....	103	2 650		371
Farms with—					Farms with—				
1 or 2.....	10	13	10	13	1 or 2.....	11	15		2
3 or 4.....	1	4	1	4	3 or 4.....	5	19		3
5 to 9.....	4	31	4	31	5 to 9.....	12	70		9
10 to 19.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	10 to 19.....	29	385		48
20 to 49.....	3	(D)	3	(D)	20 to 49.....	30	886		113
50 to 99.....	5	343	5	343	50 to 99.....	14	815		106
100 to 199.....	1	(D)	1	(D)	100 to 199.....	1	(D)		(D)
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....	1	(D)		(D)
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....	-	-		(D)

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

	Inventory— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Sales— Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)
Heifers and heifer calves	150	7 231	Cattle fattened on grains and concentrates	20	21 327	4 895
1969	180	8 508	1969	9	2 646	(NA)
Beef heifers	139	6 407	Farms with—			
Milk heifers	14	824	1 to 9	5	16	3
Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	190	20 019	10 to 19	1	12	4
1969	229	24 810	20 to 49	4	98	30
			50 to 99	2	(D)	(D)
			100 to 199	4	579	246
			200 to 499	2	(D)	(D)
			500 and over	2	(D)	(D)

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	27	1 713	27	1 713	35	3 250	33	3 200	192
1969	45	2 476	40	2 427	45	4 338	40	4 151	(NA)
Farms with—									
1 to 4	9	17	9	17	1	4	1	4	1
5 to 9	1	8	1	8	4	30	4	30	2
10 to 24	4	58	4	58	4	52	4	52	4
25 to 49	3	102	3	102	9	317	7	267	20
50 to 99	3	157	3	157	8	604	8	604	37
100 to 199	4	458	4	458	6	739	6	739	46
200 to 499	3	913	3	913	1	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
500 and over	—	—	—	—	2	(D)	2	(D)	(D)
Feeder pigs sold	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	5	820	5	820	17
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	9	1 449	7	1 293	(NA)
Sheep and lambs	6	1 380	6	1 380	7	1 242	7	1 242	(NA)
1969	20	2 372	15	2 176	20	3 683	15	3 597	(NA)
Sheep and lambs shorn	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	6	1 921	10 812
Sheep, lambs, and wool	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	7	(X)	33
Goats	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—
1969	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	(NA)
Horses and ponies	52	114	50	110	6	11	5	10	3
1969	96	268	(NA)	(NA)	16	33	(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	Farms	Number
Hogs and pigs used or to be used for breeding	10	165	Litters of pigs farrowed between—			
1969	19	313	December 1 of preceding year and November 30			
Other hogs and pigs	24	1 548	12	266	12	266
1969	39	2 114	25	405	21	383
Lambs under 1 year old	5	585	10	139	10	139
Ewes 1 year old or older	6	771	21	192	17	182
Rams and wethers	6	24	9	127	9	127
			25	213	21	201

¹Pounds 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	40	(X)	25	(X)	5	(X)	5	(X)
1969	(NA)	(X)	40	(X)	(NA)	(X)	12	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	39	2 080	24	1 942	4	275	4	275
1969	51	4 600	40	4 148	11	1 090	11	1 090
Hens and pullets of laying age	38	2 046	23	1 908	4	275	4	275
1969	49	4 530	40	4 130	11	1 090	11	1 090
Farms with—								
1 to 99	33	686	18	548	3	175	3	175
100 to 399	3	460	3	460	1	100	1	100
400 to 1,599	2	900	2	900	—	—	—	—
1,600 to 3,199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 and over	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4	432	4	432	1	100	1	100
1969	1	48	1	48	—	—	—	—
Poultry and poultry products sold, (\$1,000)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	14	11	14	11
1969	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(NA)	20	18

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	23	1 908	4	275	Turkeys	—	—	—	—
1969	40	4 130	11	1 090	1969	—	—	—	—
Hens for table or market egg production	23	1 908	4	275	Turkeys for slaughter	—	—	—	—
Hens for hatching egg production	—	—	—	—	Heavy breed	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	Light breed	—	—	—	—
Pullets 3 months old or older	—	—	—	—	Turkey hens for breeding	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	4	34	—	—	Other poultry	—	(X)	—	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1	25	—	—	1974	2	(X)	1	(X)
1974	—	—	—	—	1969	—	—	—	—

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

	All farms					
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested	
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes	64	29	11 929	1 399	(X)	(X)
Sorghums for all purposes	177	277	24 744	27 419	(X)	(X)
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	15	5	997	273	22 150	9 966
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wheat (bushels)	381	404	123 658	116 206	2 857 765	3 413 652
Other small grains for grain	20	38	906	1 669	(X)	(X)
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Sweet potatoes (bushels)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—	(NA)
Hay crops (tons, dry)	165	147	14 748	9 124	43 303	30 749
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	1	3	2	(X)	(X)
Land in orchards	—	6	—	17	(X)	(X)
Berries for sale	—	—	—	—	(X)	(X)
Other crops	6	(NA)	130	231	(X)	(X)

	Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over									
	Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	Farms	Acres	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)	58	12	11 487	888	1 146 605	77 790	45	12	10 701	888
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)	19	22	442	497	4 580	7 362	6	21	210	467
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed	—	1	—	14	(X)	(X)	—	1	—	14
Sorghums for grain (bushels)	151	204	20 878	20 358	773 439	1 088 632	43	63	4 932	6 123
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.	74	(NA)	3 856	6 830	(X)	(X)	7	(NA)	321	636
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)	128	121	13 002	7 796	40 251	27 008	28	33	3 394	2 377

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	94	15 590	(X)	3	335	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	147	20 240	(X)	6	233	2	151	—	—	2	18
Improved pasture	49	10 021	(X)	1	35	1	1 500	1	150	—	—
1969	46	14 461	(X)	—	—	2	215	—	—	2	11
Corn for all purposes	64	11 929	(X)	46	10 911	61	11 751	45	816	55	1 443
1969	29	1 399	(X)	28	1 369	29	1 389	21	130	21	200
Sorghums for all purposes	176	24 734	(X)	44	5 253	93	15 968	68	625	52	462
1969	267	27 188	(X)	70	6 759	155	19 418	114	1 180	79	771
Wheat (bushels)	360	123 171	2 847 427	18	3 254	188	67 424	118	2 210	97	1 539
1969	369	114 406	3 365 761	21	2 132	150	39 294	(NA)	1 510	(NA)	683
Oats (bushels)	4	125	3 670	—	—	1	10	1	1	—	—
1969	4	58	2 080	—	—	2	48	(NA)	2	(NA)	2
Barley (bushels)	11	551	19 770	—	—	4	323	2	2	2	10
1969	27	1 313	42 945	—	—	2	18	(NA)	—	(NA)	1
Rye (bushels)	5	230	1 848	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	6	268	3 265	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Other small grains for grain	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	15	997	22 150	6	652	2	370	2	34	—	—
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	5	273	9 966	5	273	5	273	(NA)	29	(NA)	7
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hay crops (tons, dry)	149	14 635	43 151	29	3 597	18	1 646	18	166	—	—
1969	144	9 070	30 578	34	2 554	15	798	14	49	2	2
Field seed crops	6	130	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	13	231	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton (bales)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Tobacco (pounds)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	4	—	23	—	—	—	—	(NA)	—	(NA)	—
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1	3	(X)	1	2	1	3	1	1	—	—
1969	1	2	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1974	—	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1969	5	12	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1969	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other crops	1974	-	(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					Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—				
farms	256		269		Diseases in crops and orchards	1		3	
\$1,000	1 712		445		acres on which used	153		325	
Commercial fertilizer	234		196		\$1,000	1		1	
farms	99 065	61	634	61	Weeds or grass in crops	54		66	
acres on which used	7 472	4	597	4	acres on which used	11 807	11	5 929	11
tons	1 509		398		\$1,000	69		19	
Lime	2		-		Weeds or brush in pasture	7		4	
farms	1 000		-		acres on which used	1 034	1	180	1
acres on which used	1 000		-		\$1,000	3		(2)	
tons	9		-		Weeds on all other land	10		(NA)	
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—					acres on which used	205		(NA)	
Insects on soy crops	45		13		\$1,000	1		(NA)	
acres on which used	6 507		902		Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control				
\$1,000	39		3		of crops or thinning of fruit				
farms	49		57		acres on which used				
acres on which used	12 145	6	147	6	\$1,000				
\$1,000	66		17		Insect control on livestock and poultry	25		63	
Nematodes in crops	2		-		farms	4		6	
farms	194		-		\$1,000	17		(NA)	
acres on which used	1		-		farms	11		(NA)	
\$1,000					\$1,000				

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	84		89		Land irrigated by— Continued				
Proportion of farms	22.0		22.4		Self-propelled sprinkler systems	45		(NA)	
Total land irrigated	24 382		13 731		acres	14 167		(NA)	
Average per farm	290.3		154.2		Other sprinkler systems	22		(NA)	
farms	83		89		acres	4 224		(NA)	
acres	24 347		13 731		Land in irrigated farms	117 406		126 775	
Harvested cropland irrigated	83		88		Cropland	84 194		87 322	
acres	23 471		13 085		Harvested cropland	61 744		50 864	
farms	3		6		Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated				
acres	335		233		between 1970 and 1973	4		(X)	
farms	4		(NA)		acres irrigated in most recent year	347		(X)	
acres	541		413		Farms with artificial drainage	9		16	
Other cropland irrigated	1		-		Proportion of farms	2.4		4.0	
farms	35		-		Land in farms with drainage	12 534		15 413	
acres					Land drained	3 064		2 854	
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	36 050		15 684		Average per farm	340.4		178.3	
Average per acre irrigated	1.5		1.1		Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen				
Land irrigated by—					tanks	55		(NA)	
Furrows or ditches	27		(NA)		number	141		(NA)	
acres	4 577		(NA)		acres	137		(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	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)		156		115		102	
Farms by size of debt owed:		9 177		5 360		3 817	
Under \$5,000		17		8		16	
\$5,000 to \$9,999		5		8		10	
\$10,000 to \$29,999		54		44		43	
\$30,000 to \$49,999		25		16		11	
\$50,000 and over		55		39		22	

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	51	40	82	53	489	350	166	51	73	97
25 to 149 days	73	248	110	649	114		657	489	114	55
Less than 25 days	97		307		55		499	82	110	307
Total contract labor	17	22	(NA)	(NA)	45	23				
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	8	(NA)	30	(NA)	20	(NA)				
Farms with—										
1 worker							65	36	48	45
2 workers							32	9	15	17
3 or 4 workers							43	4	10	17
5 to 9 workers							19	1	-	13
10 workers and over							7	1	-	5