



**Table 26. Sources of Information Relied on for Reducing Irrigation Costs and Conserving Water: 2018 (continued)**

[Excludes institutional, research, and experimental farms. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols see introductory text.]

Geographic area	NRCS, local Conservation district, other Federal or State agencies		Media reports or information in the press		Neighboring farmers		Electronic information services (DTN and other Internet links)	
	Farms	Acres irrigated <sup>2</sup>	Farms	Acres irrigated <sup>2</sup>	Farms	Acres irrigated <sup>2</sup>	Farms	Acres irrigated <sup>2</sup>
United States .....	21,872	9,126,823	15,031	4,577,249	47,136	11,370,987	23,376	10,102,887
Alabama .....	95	11,735	95	13,658	283	29,027	99	25,087
Alaska .....	19	79	-	-	31	62	11	33
Arizona .....	336	185,284	222	78,010	689	152,199	287	205,061
Arkansas .....	593	985,567	245	434,899	765	1,210,353	422	749,484
California .....	3,435	1,317,165	3,350	712,957	7,782	1,581,171	5,676	1,746,931
Colorado .....	2,010	420,646	839	97,342	4,116	572,077	842	351,423
Connecticut .....	74	665	85	815	31	514	32	315
Delaware .....	46	31,345	47	27,656	134	61,924	61	54,677
Florida .....	856	315,260	489	86,865	839	95,172	838	150,956
Georgia .....	348	225,766	212	101,233	510	224,498	392	171,764
Hawaii .....	101	7,422	61	1,857	302	2,329	119	4,630
Idaho .....	897	346,313	518	182,743	3,626	770,350	810	457,187
Illinois .....	66	15,801	107	28,191	339	107,021	341	116,969
Indiana .....	121	46,659	183	66,430	311	138,062	311	143,011
Iowa .....	22	(D)	59	17,256	138	37,432	183	38,070
Kansas .....	258	215,823	359	154,713	768	377,998	568	470,538
Kentucky .....	50	(D)	63	8,035	244	10,289	50	11,567
Louisiana .....	296	208,172	149	103,560	324	274,603	132	166,883
Maine .....	118	5,178	45	3,712	124	3,961	61	13,817
Maryland .....	27	5,303	54	14,103	86	24,291	61	14,377
Massachusetts .....	114	3,020	128	592	212	3,421	145	3,436
Michigan .....	294	91,154	332	92,411	820	243,206	594	211,653
Minnesota .....	232	85,569	215	39,418	338	82,289	376	100,574
Mississippi .....	280	438,881	118	116,392	330	401,295	215	350,474
Missouri .....	264	293,634	170	91,090	457	232,287	238	146,845
Montana .....	1,038	415,946	319	163,593	1,920	456,899	411	222,143
Nebraska .....	1,653	1,188,990	1,391	862,135	2,058	1,189,775	2,494	1,964,079
Nevada .....	309	100,857	102	78,002	578	242,086	98	102,935
New Hampshire .....	72	848	7	247	76	367	165	629
New Jersey .....	173	20,001	156	4,168	189	19,822	145	11,044
New Mexico .....	1,344	175,107	682	96,163	3,309	274,130	762	144,536
New York .....	160	9,418	251	4,114	360	6,914	306	7,979
North Carolina .....	152	6,973	94	2,333	231	12,603	156	9,378
North Dakota .....	122	76,600	43	38,214	122	72,812	99	66,872
Ohio .....	76	137	86	420	201	2,738	179	6,810
Oklahoma .....	118	63,554	103	92,767	247	64,650	161	38,956
Oregon .....	842	221,049	879	95,241	3,110	394,224	1,020	199,899
Pennsylvania .....	39	15,368	105	15,726	385	2,497	131	1,759
Rhode Island .....	50	248	5	800	45	559	40	668
South Carolina .....	129	70,480	40	9,871	162	46,204	185	58,484
South Dakota .....	89	37,267	83	33,965	280	78,090	159	78,598
Tennessee .....	50	15,587	43	64	165	21,375	201	29,404
Texas .....	913	648,299	729	245,306	1,836	632,713	991	525,063
Utah .....	1,511	290,102	384	96,105	3,689	354,210	494	135,364
Vermont .....	26	210	11	66	90	383	37	270
Virginia .....	33	1,867	1	(D)	257	5,008	111	634
Washington .....	1,124	150,227	999	152,603	2,415	354,785	1,476	458,777
West Virginia .....	72	187	44	(D)	3	15	32	5,454
Wisconsin .....	74	43,143	120	33,279	445	104,756	334	195,202
Wyoming .....	751	314,171	209	77,784	1,364	397,541	325	132,188
<b>Water Resources Regions</b>								
Region 01 New England .....	439	10,095	278	6,224	527	8,989	443	18,865
Region 02 Mid-Atlantic .....	428	81,875	542	63,589	1,073	116,718	624	91,771
Region 03 South Atlantic-Gulf .....	1,625	633,710	904	214,573	2,048	414,220	1,690	419,009
Region 04 Great Lakes .....	385	92,804	479	100,358	1,386	293,693	987	288,707
Region 05 Ohio .....	302	38,295	369	61,609	772	107,931	464	98,469
Region 06 Tennessee .....	34	8,527	52	134	123	9,139	110	10,206
Region 07 Upper Mississippi .....	346	118,068	480	113,499	1,134	315,489	1,169	406,648
Region 08 Lower Mississippi .....	1,178	1,793,183	463	696,631	1,397	1,975,916	758	1,339,875
Region 09 Souris-Red-Rainy .....	69	40,233	68	18,751	52	27,575	60	43,295
Region 10 Missouri .....	3,666	2,086,333	2,278	1,216,758	6,495	2,274,276	3,980	2,801,808
Region 11 Arkansas-White-Red .....	1,018	656,091	678	388,776	1,846	864,432	1,223	795,486
Region 12 Texas-Gulf .....	754	460,736	617	138,957	1,673	450,985	770	286,209
Region 13 Rio Grande .....	1,001	87,235	542	25,125	2,621	147,025	578	75,527
Region 14 Upper Colorado .....	2,274	348,614	685	104,788	3,668	407,022	423	86,099
Region 15 Lower Colorado .....	373	198,417	226	78,022	931	184,967	344	209,458
Region 16 Great Basin .....	1,276	359,405	476	173,105	3,564	619,862	540	227,611
Region 17 Pacific Northwest .....	3,147	791,856	2,460	461,444	9,654	1,555,449	3,405	1,149,442
Region 18 California .....	3,437	1,313,845	3,373	713,049	7,839	1,594,908	5,678	1,749,739
Region 19 Alaska .....	19	79	-	-	31	62	11	33
Region 20 Hawaii .....	101	7,422	61	1,857	302	2,329	119	4,630

<sup>1</sup> Respondents could choose more than one source of information.

<sup>2</sup> Acres irrigated are totals for all irrigation on these farms.