

TABLE 3.—SPECIFIED LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS OF FARMS—FARMS REPORTING, 1899 TO 1934; QUANTITY, 1899 TO 1934; AND VALUE, 1899 TO 1934; IN THE UNITED STATES

[Figures in italics indicate average quantity per specified animal on hand on census date. Figures for divisions and States in tables 10, 11, 12, 17, 19, 20, 22, 24, 25, and 26]

ITEM AND YEAR	MILK PRODUCTION			WOOL PRODUCTION		MOHAIR PRODUCTION		CHICKEN EGG PRODUCTION AND CHICKENS RAISED		
	Cows milked or kept for milk ¹	Milk	Butter churned	Sheep shorn ²	Wool	Goats clipped ²	Mohair	Chickens on hand ³	Chicken eggs	Chickens raised
	Number	Gallons	Pounds	Number	Pounds	Number	Pounds	Number	Dozens	Number
Farms reporting.....1934..	5,236,885	5,236,885	3,816,340	575,187	575,187	21,534	21,534	5,833,079	5,579,199	5,212,762
1929..	4,615,529	4,615,529	3,038,100	472,917	472,917			5,372,597		5,293,208
1924..	4,988,493	4,988,493						5,505,617		
1919..	4,461,296		3,565,305	411,666	411,666	12,403	12,403	5,837,367	5,362,771	4,578,202
1909..			3,787,749	458,311	458,311	9,186	9,186	5,578,425	4,883,507	4,832,496
1899..	4,513,895		3,617,366	756,063	756,063	4,081	4,081	5,095,280		
Percent of all farms.....1934..	76.9	76.9	56.0	8.4	8.4	0.3	0.3	85.6	81.9	76.5
1929..	73.4	73.4	48.3	7.5	7.5			85.4		84.2
1924..	78.3	78.3						86.4		
1919..	69.2		55.3	6.4	6.4	0.2	0.2	90.5	83.2	71.0
1909..			59.5	7.2	7.2	0.1	0.1	87.7	76.8	76.0
1899..	78.7		63.0	13.2	13.2	0.1	0.1	88.8		
Number or quantity ⁴1934..	24,581,669	10,666,065,473	558,648,632	42,910,749	338,682,406		12,818,512	371,603,136	2,160,906,310	598,867,134
1929..	21,124,221	11,052,023,357	542,064,289	38,283,567	295,984,506	3,479,315	14,460,572	378,878,281	2,689,719,158	673,092,052
1924..	20,899,647	9,198,303,635	642,803,267	29,859,162	227,105,177	2,207,426	8,425,942	409,290,849	1,913,245,129	545,848,035
1919..	19,675,297 ¹³	7,805,143,792	707,666,492	31,554,300 ¹⁴	228,795,354	1,932,631	6,808,890	359,537,127	1,654,044,932	473,200,699
1909..	17,125,471 ¹⁵	7,466,406,384	994,650,610	42,320,580 ¹⁷	289,419,977	1,682,912	3,778,706	280,340,959	1,574,979,416	460,611,201
1899..	17,135,633	7,265,804,304	1,071,626,056	43,999,229 ¹⁸	276,567,584	18,454,932	18,961,328	233,566,021 ¹⁹	1,293,662,433	
1889..	16,511,950	5,210,125,567	1,024,223,468	32,126,868 ²¹	191,278,084			258,871,125	819,722,916	
1879..	12,443,120		777,250,287		202,681,751			102,272,135	456,910,916	
1869..	8,935,332		514,092,683		100,102,387					
1859..	8,585,735		459,681,372		60,264,913					
1849..	6,385,094		313,345,306		52,516,959					
1839..					35,802,114					
Average per farm reporting.....1934..	4.7	2,036.8	146.4	74.6	588.8		595.3	63.7	387.3	114.9
1929..	4.6	2,394.5	178.4	81.0	625.8			70.5		127.2
1924..	4.2	1,843.9						74.3		
1919..	4.4		198.5	76.7	555.8	155.8	549.0	61.6	308.4	103.4
1909..			282.6	92.3	631.5	183.2	411.4	50.3	322.5	95.3
1899..	3.8		296.2	58.2	365.8	111.5	235.6	45.8		
Average per animal.....1934..		433.9			7.9				5.8	1.6
1929..		523.2			7.7		4.2		7.1	1.8
1924..		440.1			7.6		3.8		4.7	1.3
1919..		396.7			7.3		3.5		4.6	1.3
1909..		436.0			6.8		2.2		5.6	1.6
1899..		474.0			6.3		2.1			
1889..		515.5			5.1					
Value.....1934..			Dollars		Dollars		Dollars		Dollars	Dollars
1929..			123,734,400		73,745,042		2,522,627		365,182,017	305,714,262
1924..			216,897,575		89,415,164		6,799,437		799,261,156	581,110,136
1919..			228,139,047		88,630,257		4,491,452		671,938,492	419,380,528
1909..			346,355,759		120,417,549		3,589,310		4,661,082,803	589,111,767
1899..			222,861,440		65,472,328		801,597		303,295,012	184,902,527
1889..					45,670,053		267,864		144,240,541	136,830,152
Average per farm reporting.....1934..			32.42		128.21		117.15		65.45	58.65
1929..			71.39		189.07					109.78
1924..										
1919..			97.15		292.51		289.39		123.27	84.34
1909..			58.84		142.86		98.15		62.11	38.26
1899..					60.41		65.64			
Average per unit.....1934..		Cents per pound	22.1		21.8		19.7		Cents per dozen	Cents per head
1929..			40.0		30.2		47.0		16.9	51.0
1924..			35.5		39.0		53.3		29.7	86.3
1919..			48.9		52.6		52.7		29.9	76.8
1909..			22.4		22.6		23.9		40.0	81.6
1899..					16.5		27.9		19.3	40.1
Average per animal.....1934..					Dollars		Dollars		Dollars	Dollars
(Sheep shorn, goats					1.72				0.98	0.82
clipped, number of					2.34		1.95		2.10	1.53
chickens on hand.)					2.97		2.03		1.40	1.02
1919..					3.82		1.86		1.84	1.07
1909..					1.55		0.54		1.08	0.66
1899..					1.04		0.59			

¹ Figures represent cows milked 1934, 1929, and 1924. Prior to 1924, figures represent cows kept for milk production designated in the various censuses as follows: Dairy cows and heifers 2 years old and over, 1920; cows and heifers 2 years old and over kept for milk production, 1910 and 1900; and milk cows 1850 to 1890.

² Number of fleeces for 1909, 1899, and 1889.

³ In 1935, 1930, 1910, and 1900, chickens over 3 months old were specified.

⁴ Includes estimate of 82,715,742 dozens of eggs valued at \$34,305,877 for farms reporting chickens with no report for eggs produced. Farms reporting not increased.

⁵ Includes estimate of 67,788,435 chickens raised, valued at \$53,969,236, for farms reporting chickens with no report for chickens raised. Farms reporting not increased.

⁶ Farms reporting eggs of all kinds. The production and value represent estimates for chicken eggs only. Total eggs of all kinds were 1,591,311,371 dozens valued at \$306,688,960 which includes an estimate of 133,925,599 dozens valued at \$25,530,980 for incomplete reports. Of the total number 16,331,955 dozens valued at \$3,392,943 were estimated to be eggs other than chicken eggs.

⁷ Farms reporting poultry of all kinds raised. The number and value of chickens raised represent estimates for chickens only. Total poultry raised of all kinds were 438,468,354 valued at \$202,506,272 which includes an estimate of 42,818,230 valued at \$17,115,416 for incomplete reports. Of the total number 27,857,153 fowls valued at \$17,603,745 were estimated to be poultry other than chickens.

⁸ Farms reporting poultry of all kinds. (In 1910 poultry of all kinds were reported by 5,585,032 farms, of which 5,578,425, or 99.9 percent, reported chickens.)

⁹ Quantity produced during calendar year indicated in censuses from 1880 to 1935, inclusive. In censuses of 1870, 1860, and 1850, production shown is for 12-month period ending June 1 of census year. In census of 1840 no period was specified.

¹⁰ Includes estimates for incomplete reports.

¹¹ Figures include estimates for farms reporting chickens on hand with no report for eggs produced.

¹² Figures include estimates for farms reporting chickens on hand with no report for chickens raised.

¹³ Includes an estimate of 911,416,374 gallons on farms reporting dairy cows on hand but no milk produced.

¹⁴ Figures include estimates for incomplete reports as follows: 5,116,165 sheep shorn and 37,197,033 pounds of wool valued at \$19,119,569.

¹⁵ Cows and heifers 2 years old and over on Jan. 1, 1910, as estimated; number born before Jan. 1, 1909, as reported Apr. 15, 1910, numbered 20,625,432.

¹⁶ Includes 1,652,706,910 gallons estimated as produced on farms which reported cows kept for milk, but no milk produced.

¹⁷ Figures include estimates for incomplete reports as follows: 6,983,750 fleeces and 47,537,659 pounds of wool valued at \$10,508,308. Fleeces instead of sheep shorn.

¹⁸ Figures are for fleeces clipped spring of 1900 and fall of 1899.

¹⁹ Includes guinea fowls.

²⁰ Includes all poultry eggs.

²¹ Fleeces clipped fall of 1889 and spring of 1890 to June 1. Wool includes 25,828,845 pounds from sheep on ranges for which number of fleeces was not available.

²² Wool shorn spring of 1880 and fall of 1879. The 1880 schedule called for the clip for the spring of 1880. Wool produced on enumerated farms amounted to 155,681,751 pounds; wool from other (ranch) sheep to 34,000,000 pounds; and fall clip in Texas and California, to 13,000,000 pounds. These latter figures are shown in 1880 publications as obtained by special investigations.

²³ Number shown excludes "other" than barnyard fowls and is exclusive of spring hatching.

²⁴ Figures for censuses prior to 1880 exclude range livestock and products.

²⁵ Includes value of all poultry raised. Schedule did not call for number.