

State Table 12.—COMPARABILITY OF DATA ON LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: CENSUSES OF 1920 TO 1954

| Item (For definitions and explanations, see text) | Age, sex, and other groups enumerated with approximately comparable groups in the Censuses of 1920 to 1954 | | | | | | | |
|--|--|---|--|--|--|---|--|--|
| | Census of 1954 (Oct.-Nov.) | Census of 1950 (April 1) | Census of 1945 (January 1) | Census of 1940 (April 1) | Census of 1935 (January 1) | Census of 1930 (April 1) | Census of 1925 (January 1) | Census of 1920 (January 1) |
| Cattle and calvesfarms reporting.. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | Over 3 months old. | All ages. | All ages. | (NA) | All ages. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | Ditto. |
| Cowsfarms reporting.. | Cows, including heifers that have calved. | Cows, including heifers that have calved. | Cows and heifers 2 years old and over. | Cows and heifers 2 years old and over Jan. 1, 1940. | Cows and heifers 2 years old and over. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | | | |
| Milk cowsfarms reporting.. | Milk cows, including dry milk cows and milk heifers that have calved. | Milk cows, including dry milk cows and milk heifers that have calved. | (NA) | Cows kept mainly for milk production 2 years old and over Jan. 1, 1940. | (NA) | Cows and heifers born before 1928. Cows and heifers born before 1928 kept mainly for milk production. | Cows and heifers 2 years old and over. Dairy cows and heifers, 2 years old and over. | Cows and heifers 2 years old and over. Dairy cows and heifers, 2 years old and over. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | Ditto. | (NA) | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. |
| Cows and heifers milkedfarms reporting.. | (NA) | (NA) | Milked during all or any part of 1944. | Milked during any part of 1939. | Milked during all or any part of 1934. | Milked during all or any part of 1929. | Milked during all or any part of 1924. | (NA) |
|number.. | (NA) | (NA) | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) |
| Heifers and heifer calvesfarms reporting.. | Excluding heifers that have calved. | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|number.. | Ditto. | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Steers, bulls, and steer and bull calvesfarms reporting.. | Steers, bulls, and steer and bull calves. | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|number.. | Ditto. | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (**) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Horses and/or mulesfarms reporting.. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | Over 3 months old. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. |
| Horses and colts, including poniesfarms reporting.. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | Over 3 months old. | All ages. | (NA) | (NA) | All ages. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | | | Ditto. |
| Males and mule coltsfarms reporting.. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | Over 3 months old. | All ages. | (NA) | (NA) | All ages. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | | | Ditto. |
| Hogs and pigsfarms reporting.. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | Over 4 months old. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. |
| 4 months old and overfarms reporting.. | Born before June 1, 1954. | 4 months old and over. | (NA) | Over 4 months old. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (**) |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | Ditto. | (NA) | Born before Jan. 1, 1930. | (**) | (**) |
| Less than 4 months oldfarms reporting.. | Born since June 1, 1954. | Less than 4 months old. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | Pigs born since Jan. 1, 1930. | (NA) | (**) |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | Ditto. | (**) | (**) |
| Sows and gilts for spring farrowingfarms reporting.. | Farrowing between Dec. 1, 1953, and June 1, 1954. | Farrowing between Dec. 1, 1949, and June 1, 1950. | On farms on Census date--Farrowing between Dec. 1, 1944, and June 1, 1945. | On farms on Census date--Farrowing between Dec. 1, 1939, and June 1, 1940. | On farms on Census date--Farrowing between Jan. 1, and June 1, 1935. | On farms on Census date--Farrowing between Jan. 1, and June 1, 1930. | (NA) | On farms on Census date for breeding purposes, 6 months old and over. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | On farms on Census date for breeding purposes, 6 months old and over. | Ditto. |
| Sows and gilts for fall farrowingfarms reporting.. | Farrowing between June 1, and Dec. 1, 1954. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|number.. | Ditto. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
| Sheep and lambsfarms reporting.. | Ewes, rams, wethers, and lambs of all ages. | All ages. | All ages. | Over 6 months old. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. |
| Ewesfarms reporting.. | 1 year old and over. | All ewes and ewe lambs born before Oct. 1, 1949. | All ewes and ewe lambs (excluding 1944 fall lambs) kept for breeding ewes. | All ewes over 6 months old. | 1 year old and over. | (NA) | (NA) | 1 year old and over. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Born before Oct. 1, 1929. | 1 year old and over. | Ditto. |
| Rams and wethersfarms reporting.. | 1 year old and over. | Born before Oct. 1, 1949. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | Born before Oct. 1, 1929. | 1 year old and over. | 1 year old and over. |
| Lambsfarms reporting.. | Lambs under 1 year old. | Born since Oct. 1, 1949. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | Under 1 year of age. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | (NA) | (NA) | Born since Oct. 1, 1929. | Under 1 year of age. | Ditto. |
| Chickensfarms reporting.. | 4 months old and over. | 4 months old and over. | Over 4 months old. | Over 4 months old. | Over 3 months old. | Over 3 months old. | Age not specified. | Age not specified. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. |
| Turkeysfarms reporting.. | Turkey hens kept for breeding in 1955. | 4 months old and over. | (NA) | Over 4 months old. | Over 3 months old. | (NA) | (NA) | Age not specified. |
|number.. | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | Ditto. | Ditto. | (NA) | (NA) | Ditto. |
| Goats and kidsfarms reporting.. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | Over 4 months old. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. | All ages. |
|number.. | Ditto. | (NA) | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. | Ditto. |

**Available data not comparable.
NA Not available.