

State Table 6.—LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY ON FARMS, NUMBER AND VALUE: CENSUSES OF 1920 TO 1959

[Data for number of livestock not fully comparable for the several Censuses. See text.]

Item (For definitions and explanations, see text)	Census of—								
	1959 (Oct.-Nov.)	1954 (Oct.-Nov.)	1950 (April 1)	1945 (January 1)	1940 (April 1)	1935 (January 1)	1930 (April 1)	1925 (January 1)	1920 (January 1)
Total value of specified classes of livestock and poultry.....dollars...	391,958,404	297,866,034	253,353,908	174,609,960	82,234,543	60,015,001	118,514,715	88,678,519	153,935,235
Cattle and calves.....farms reporting...	22,017	26,724	27,932	31,184	32,435	40,830	37,670	NA	45,475
number...	2,458,512	2,600,105	1,758,243	1,817,069	1,039,669	1,530,015	1,290,353	1,321,604	1,268,516
value, dollars...	344,690,292	257,764,381	217,918,429	136,113,929	48,160,937	27,158,468	68,313,045	37,960,609	73,938,253
Cows, including heifers that have calved...farms reporting...	21,301	26,111	27,453	30,139	31,842	40,373	NA	NA	NA
number...	1,162,002	1,181,228	896,801	902,110	514,482	725,139	511,226	590,432	511,729
value, dollars...	187,082,322	135,841,220	155,731,799	83,540,739	28,803,775	15,953,058	36,546,597	21,252,196	37,760,945
Milk cows.....farms reporting...	14,575	19,980	23,023	NA	29,054	NA	29,196	17,586	29,393
number...	73,398	98,716	111,321	NA	143,229	NA	151,014	102,769	127,581
value, dollars...	14,459,406	NA	NA	NA	8,502,702	NA	11,653,005	4,807,701	10,847,070
Heifers and heifer calves.....farms reporting...	19,836	24,328	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
number...	664,656	716,600	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
value, dollars...	82,417,344	56,611,400	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Steers and bulls, including steer and bull calves.....farms reporting...	19,798	24,016	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
number...	631,854	702,277	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
value, dollars...	75,190,626	65,311,761	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Horses and/or mules.....farms reporting...	15,602	18,473	21,919	NA	30,784	41,344	40,965	44,088	NA
number...	86,445	95,337	142,903	229,248	239,903	350,234	458,417	604,625	678,185
value, dollars...	9,681,840	4,480,839	4,188,002	7,416,106	10,911,734	13,650,185	13,833,913	21,524,283	49,397,521
Horses and colts, including ponies.....farms reporting...	NA	NA	21,816	27,358	30,724	41,213	NA	NA	53,019
number...	NA	NA	141,092	227,438	238,556	346,697	450,264	594,173	668,723
value, dollars...	NA	NA	4,108,955	7,276,933	10,823,171	13,450,376	13,455,125	21,053,309	48,277,891
Mules and mule colts.....farms reporting...	NA	NA	504	441	535	1,278	NA	NA	3,453
number...	NA	NA	1,811	1,810	1,347	3,537	8,153	10,452	9,462
value, dollars...	NA	NA	79,047	139,173	88,563	199,809	378,788	470,974	1,119,630
Hogs and pigs.....farms reporting...	7,962	9,993	11,183	16,304	16,374	18,215	18,842	24,913	26,065
number...	188,777	129,088	105,961	182,295	90,346	98,370	210,036	277,603	167,060
value, dollars...	3,790,024	4,256,310	2,302,359	4,062,429	912,769	570,546	2,675,685	3,098,859	2,888,694
Born since June 1.....farms reporting...	4,618	5,033	3,506	NA	NA	NA	4,995	NA	NA
number...	100,535	61,894	46,819	NA	NA	NA	77,514	NA	NA
value, dollars...	1,407,490	1,299,774	644,872	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Born before June 1.....farms reporting...	6,108	7,733	10,175	NA	16,374	NA	NA	NA	NA
number...	88,242	67,194	59,142	NA	90,346	NA	132,522	NA	NA
value, dollars...	2,382,534	2,956,536	1,657,487	NA	912,769	NA	NA	NA	NA
Sheep and lambs.....farms reporting...	4,967	4,916	3,572	5,559	6,483	8,509	7,858	4,552	5,037
number...	1,816,395	1,731,659	1,336,612	2,906,249	3,009,814	3,822,875	4,027,457	2,187,928	2,082,919
value, dollars...	32,336,509	29,313,929	27,189,019	24,888,534	21,162,091	17,585,225	32,186,608	24,239,845	25,775,607
Lambs under 1 year old.....farms reporting...	3,810	3,797	1,856	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,499
number...	528,733	588,004	182,382	NA	NA	NA	438,128	520,322	509,400
value, dollars...	8,459,728	9,408,064	2,948,575	NA	NA	NA	7,495,335	NA	4,671,552
Sheep 1 year old and over.....farms reporting...	4,503	4,195	3,381	NA	6,483	NA	NA	NA	NA
number...	1,287,662	1,143,655	1,154,230	NA	3,009,814	NA	3,589,329	1,667,606	1,573,519
value, dollars...	23,876,781	19,905,865	24,240,444	NA	21,162,091	NA	30,237,073	NA	21,104,055
Ewes.....farms reporting...	4,409	4,090	3,284	4,868	6,116	7,460	NA	NA	3,880
number...	1,241,071	1,097,282	1,112,036	2,365,519	2,831,948	2,963,156	3,482,273	1,612,887	1,468,732
value, dollars...	22,339,278	18,653,794	23,234,871	19,401,828	20,132,125	14,074,991	29,227,205	NA	19,364,203
Rams and wethers.....farms reporting...	3,555	3,044	2,350	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
number...	46,591	46,373	42,194	NA	177,866	NA	107,056	54,719	104,787
value, dollars...	1,537,503	1,252,071	1,005,573	NA	1,029,966	NA	1,009,868	NA	1,739,852
Chickens 4 months old and over.....farms reporting...	16,850	22,870	25,108	29,734	32,426	38,779	37,938	38,051	44,266
number...	1,259,164	1,628,605	1,401,467	2,028,781	1,795,474	1,988,665	2,117,057	2,544,698	2,055,120
value, dollars...	1,448,039	2,035,756	1,702,412	2,128,962	1,008,620	855,126	1,505,464	1,854,923	1,847,287
Turkey hens kept for brooding.....farms reporting...	637	955	1,893	NA	5,696	11,946	NA	NA	5,974
number...	2,250	4,003	9,055	NA	36,539	86,867	NA	NA	29,432
value, dollars...	11,700	14,819	53,687	NA	78,392	195,451	NA	NA	87,873

NA Not available.