

TABLE 20. Farms, Chickens 4 Months Old and Over and Eggs Sold, for Farms Classified by Dozens of Eggs Sold, for the United States: 1949 to 1964

Subject and dozens of eggs sold per farm	1964		1959 ¹		1954 ²		1949 ²	
	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution	Number	Percent distribution
Farms with eggs sold, total.....	526,530	100.0	1,114,596	100.0	1,684,531	100.0	2,420,718	100.0
1 to 399 dozens.....	199,841	38.0	456,947	41.0	773,613	45.9	1,337,433	55.2
400 to 1,599 dozens.....	138,798	26.4	328,946	29.5	560,813	33.3	719,789	29.7
1,600 to 4,999 dozens.....	103,905	19.7	213,192	19.1	268,227	15.9	299,250	12.4
5,000 or more dozens.....	83,986	16.0	115,511	10.4	81,878	4.9	64,246	2.7
5,000 to 19,999 dozens.....	54,441	10.3	84,120	7.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20,000 to 49,999 dozens.....	13,138	2.5	19,558	1.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 or more dozens.....	16,407	3.1	11,833	1.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 to 99,999 dozens.....	7,929	1.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100,000 to 499,999 dozens.....	7,577	1.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500,000 to 1,999,999 dozens.....	820	0.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000,000 or more dozens.....	81	(?)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Dozens of eggs sold, total (1,000).....	4,282,304	100.0	3,618,203	100.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 399 dozens.....	25,806	0.6	57,554	1.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
400 to 1,599 dozens.....	129,405	3.0	307,910	8.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1,600 to 4,999 dozens.....	308,558	7.2	612,996	16.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5,000 or more dozens.....	3,818,535	89.2	2,639,744	73.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5,000 to 19,999 dozens.....	482,398	11.3	745,904	20.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20,000 to 49,999 dozens.....	411,408	9.6	600,528	16.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 or more dozens.....	2,924,729	68.3	1,293,312	35.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 to 99,999 dozens.....	553,700	12.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100,000 to 499,999 dozens.....	1,415,333	33.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500,000 to 1,999,999 dozens.....	676,987	15.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000,000 or more dozens.....	278,710	6.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with chickens 4 months old and over by dozens of eggs sold, total.....	517,557	100.0	1,099,173	100.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 399 dozens.....	196,659	38.0	450,739	41.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
400 to 1,599 dozens.....	136,096	26.3	323,948	29.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1,600 to 4,999 dozens.....	102,188	19.7	210,511	19.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5,000 or more dozens.....	82,614	16.0	113,975	10.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5,000 to 19,999 dozens.....	53,589	10.4	82,978	7.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20,000 to 49,999 dozens.....	12,832	2.5	19,249	1.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 or more dozens.....	16,193	3.1	11,748	1.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 to 99,999 dozens.....	7,795	1.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100,000 to 499,999 dozens.....	7,497	1.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500,000 to 1,999,999 dozens.....	820	0.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000,000 or more dozens.....	81	(?)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
No eggs sold.....	693,112	-	1,108,636	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Chickens 4 months old and over for farms with eggs sold, total (1,000).....	316,577	100.0	341,099	100.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1 to 399 dozens.....	11,708	3.7	27,193	8.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
400 to 1,599 dozens.....	17,710	5.6	48,138	14.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1,600 to 4,999 dozens.....	27,180	8.6	61,010	17.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5,000 or more dozens.....	259,979	82.1	204,758	60.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
5,000 to 19,999 dozens.....	35,547	11.2	65,107	19.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
20,000 to 49,999 dozens.....	31,559	10.0	47,829	14.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 or more dozens.....	192,873	60.9	91,822	26.9	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
50,000 to 99,999 dozens.....	39,446	12.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
100,000 to 499,999 dozens.....	91,739	29.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
500,000 to 1,999,999 dozens.....	42,822	13.5	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
2,000,000 or more dozens.....	18,865	6.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
No eggs sold.....	26,585	-	28,768	-	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

NA Not available.
¹Data are based on reports for only a sample of farms.
²Data for Alaska and Hawaii not included.
³Less than 0.05 percent.

TABLE 21.—Farms, Chickens 4 Months Old and Over on the Farms, and Eggs Sold, by Size of Flock, for the United States: 1964 and 1959

Subject	All farms, total	Size of flock (number of chickens 4 months old and over on hand)										None on hand	
		1 to 99	100 to 399	400 to 1,599	1,600 to 3,199	3,200 to 9,999	10,000 or more	10,000 to 19,999	20,000 to 49,999	50,000 to 99,999	100,000 or more		
Chickens 4 months old and over on hand:													
Farms.....	1,210,669	896,701	223,133	62,394	9,734	12,910	5,797	3,738	1,577	342	138	-	-
Percent distribution.....	1959.. 2,207,809	1,575,262	483,618	115,020	17,833	13,575	2,531	2,501	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Number on hand (1,000).....	1964.. 100.0	74.1	18.4	5.1	0.8	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Percent distribution.....	1959.. 100.0	71.3	21.9	5.2	0.8	0.6	0.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms.....	1964.. 343,162	25,052	41,782	40,966	22,401	71,940	141,021	48,263	45,004	21,914	25,840	-	-
Percent distribution.....	1959.. 369,867	48,692	89,830	75,893	40,266	69,243	45,943	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Eggs sold:	1964.. 100.0	7.3	12.2	11.9	6.5	21.0	41.1	34.1	13.1	6.4	7.5	-	-
Farms.....	1959.. 100.0	13.2	24.3	20.5	10.9	18.7	12.4	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Farms.....	1964.. 526,530	204,913	223,114	62,281	9,515	12,284	5,447	3,489	1,490	333	135	8,976	
Percent distribution.....	1959.. 1,114,596	468,683	481,994	114,822	17,754	13,446	2,474	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	15,423	
Dozen sold (1,000).....	1964.. 100.0	38.9	42.4	11.8	1.8	2.3	1.0	0.7	0.3	(?)	(?)	1.7	
Percent distribution.....	1959.. 100.0	42.0	43.2	10.3	1.6	1.2	0.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.4	
Farms.....	1964.. 4,282,304	55,480	405,037	535,465	313,056	975,064	1,951,779	651,912	627,994	311,221	360,652	46,422	
Percent distribution.....	1959.. 3,618,203	129,050	801,651	817,059	464,042	802,590	565,624	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	38,188	
Farms.....	1964.. 100.0	1.3	9.5	12.5	7.3	22.8	15.2	14.7	7.3	7.3	8.4	1.1	
Percent distribution.....	1959.. 100.0	3.6	22.1	22.6	12.8	22.2	15.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.1	

NA Not available.
¹Less than 0.05 percent.