Table 23. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Inventory of—		
Sheep and lambs—farms	1 889	2 329
number	76 743	101 424
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	1 295	1 527
number	22 320	27 350
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	1 728	2 130
number	49 113	67 355
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	1 484	1 867
number	5 310	6 719

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	1 595	1 993
number	55 628	66 111
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	1 502	(NA)
number	60 061	(NA)
pounds of wool	421 654	(NA)
Value of sales from sheep, lambs, and wool—farms	1 730	(NA)
$1,000	1 690	(NA)

	Inventory, 1974								Sales of sheep and lambs, 1974		Sheep and lambs shorn, 1974			Value of sheep, lambs, and wool, 1974	
	Total		Lambs under 1 year old		Ewes 1 year old or older		Rams and wethers 1 year old or older								
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Sales ($1,000)
Farms with sheep and lambs inventory	1 889	76 743	1 295	22 320	1 728	49 113	1 484	5 310	1 510	53 873	1 478	59 529	418 107	1 645	1 642
1 to 24 sheep and lambs	1 148	9 921	689	2 691	996	6 226	800	1 004	776	7 004	747	6 415	44 044	904	210
25 to 99 sheep and lambs	528	26 620	405	6 947	522	18 249	484	1 424	525	19 589	521	20 706	146 674	528	630
100 to 299 sheep and lambs	191	30 173	179	8 248	189	19 696	181	2 229	188	19 884	189	23 784	172 766	191	585
300 to 999 sheep and lambs	21	(D)	21	(D)	21	4 942	19	653	20	(D)	21	8 624	54 623	21	(D)
1,000 to 2,499 sheep and lambs	1	(D)	1	(D)	–	–	–	–	1	(D)	–	–	–	1	(D)
2,500 to 4,999 sheep and lambs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 sheep and lambs and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No sheep or lambs	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	85	1 755	24	532	3 547	85	48
Farms with ewes 1 year old or older inventory	1 728	74 573	1 199	20 618	1 728	49 113	1 399	4 842	1 463	51 778	1 440	59 275	416 401	1 582	1 578
1 to 24 ewes	1 154	14 940	747	4 670	1 154	9 010	874	1 260	895	10 509	866	9 931	69 728	1 008	323
25 to 99 ewes	472	35 485	359	10 176	472	23 031	423	2 278	469	25 352	472	27 743	199 013	472	784
100 to 199 ewes	84	17 196	76	4 092	84	11 973	84	1 131	82	12 600	84	15 897	109 094	84	363
200 to 499 ewes	17	(D)	16	1 480	17	(D)	17	153	16	3 017	17	5 304	35 866	17	96
500 to 999 ewes	1	(D)	1	200	1	(D)	1	20	1	300	1	400	2 700	1	12
1,000 to 2,499 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,500 to 4,999 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 ewes and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No ewes	161	2 170	96	1 702	(X)	(X)	85	468	132	3 850	62	786	5 253	148	112

Table 24. Other Livestock and Livestock Products—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	Inventory				Sales				
	1974		1969		1974			1969	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number
Horses and ponies	5 873	31 764	7 393	42 436	1 013	6 130	10 082	1 326	6 457
Horses	5 024	27 468	5 387	33 328	940	5 603	10 021	1 091	5 031
Ponies	1 892	4 296	3 665	9 108	134	527	60	362	1 426
Mules, burros, and donkeys	569	1 898	805	2 744	89	191	36	184	323
Mink and their pelts	41	90 679	82	86 715	42	101 060	1 800	89	170 770
Colonies of bees	210	11 350	447	12 656	8	389	6	(NA)	(NA)
Honey sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	141	529 187	266	247	804 221
Goats	125	1 078	323	1 502	48	559	48	54	300
Angora goats	2	2	15	26	–	–	–	–	–
Mohair sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2	12	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk goats	66	695	157	928	30	370	44	25	98
Goats' milk sold (gallons)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	28	81 333	91	(NA)	(NA)
Other goats	78	381	205	548	23	189	4	39	202
Rabbits and their pelts	117	15 568	651	18 308	84	70 191	342	309	92 765
Chinchillas and their pelts	9	3 357	21	8 071	12	1 818	24	19	3 833
Foxes and their pelts	1	1	(NA)	(NA)	1	5	(Z)	(NA)	(NA)
Poultry hatched	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	30	91 396 154	18 016	(NA)	(NA)
Other livestock and livestock products	510	(X)	190	(X)	129	(X)	2 023	74	(X)

	Fish sales, 1974										Acres under water for fish production	
	Total		Any			Only pounds			Only number			
	Farms	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Pounds	Farms	Number	Farms	Pounds	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Number	Sales ($1,000)	Farms	Acres
Catfish	1	5	–	–	1	3 000	–	–	–	1	3 000	5	1	16
Trout	11	446	5	253 000	6	159 923	5	253 000	278	6	159 923	168	10	33
Other food-type fish	5	234	4	103 268	1	3 900	4	103 268	229	1	3 900	5	5	112
Tropical fish	2	(D)	–	–	2	(D)	–	–	–	2	(D)	(D)	1	120
Other fish	3	10	2	9 100	1	23 000	2	9 100	9	1	23 000	1	3	24