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	500	1 127
number	18 961	49 888
Lambs under 1 year old—farms	396	846
number	6 393	14 969
Ewes 1 year old or older—farms	464	1 063
number	11 449	32 186
Rams and wethers 1 year old or older—farms	440	1 011
number	1 119	2 733

Farms With Sales of $2,500 and Over	1974	1969
Sheep and lambs sold—farms	472	1 157
number	14 934	41 306
Sheep and lambs shorn—farms	415	(NA)
number	13 423	(NA)
pounds of wool	75 739	(NA)
Value of sales from sheep, lambs, and wool—farms	481	(NA)
$1,000	498	(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	500	18 961	396	6 393	464	11 449	440	1 119	436	13 263	397	12 910	72 829	445	457
1 to 24 sheep and lambs	235	2 786	162	743	201	1 730	180	313	172	2 941	132	1 860	10 470	180	107
25 to 99 sheep and lambs	239	11 429	209	3 373	237	7 392	235	664	239	7 572	239	8 384	47 099	239	252
100 to 299 sheep and lambs	20	2 541	19	1 128	20	1 333	20	80	19	1 670	20	1 560	9 090	20	58
300 to 999 sheep and lambs	6	2 205	6	1 149	6	994	5	62	6	1 080	6	1 106	6 170	6	39
1,000 to 2,499 sheep and lambs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
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)	36	1 671	18	513	2 910	36	41
Farms with ewes 1 year old or older inventory	464	18 689	375	6 254	464	11 449	417	986	419	12 750	387	12 745	72 021	427	411
1 to 24 ewes	281	5 192	219	1 563	281	3 252	236	377	237	4 084	204	3 578	20 286	244	115
25 to 99 ewes	177	11 502	151	3 812	177	7 140	176	550	176	7 796	177	7 991	44 613	177	270
100 to 199 ewes	4	1 095	3	465	4	607	3	23	4	550	4	690	4 450	4	19
200 to 499 ewes	2	900	2	414	2	450	2	36	2	320	2	486	2 672	2	7
500 to 999 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,000 to 2,499 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
2,500 to 4,999 ewes	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
5,000 ewes and over	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
No ewes	36	272	21	139	(X)	(X)	23	133	53	2 184	28	678	3 718	54	86

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	7 800	28 664	11 146	42 869	1 064	5 500	3 164	1 659	6 703
Horses	6 861	24 373	9 218	32 986	972	4 977	3 095	1 380	5 425
Ponies	2 076	4 291	4 051	9 883	137	523	69	403	1 278
Mules, burros, and donkeys	1 984	3 249	4 818	7 683	158	815	160	394	995
Mink and their pelts	6	143	4	13	3	235	4	–	–
Colonies of bees	256	6 985	737	6 540	6	211	5	(NA)	(NA)
Honey sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	161	324 809	176	345	224 630
Goats	282	6 932	1 141	19 506	106	2 343	48	313	4 802
Angora goats	9	222	82	1 196	5	32	1	22	241
Mohair sold (pounds)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	9	1 508	3	(NA)	(NA)
Milk goats	24	236	97	699	8	199	7	11	131
Goats' milk sold (gallons)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	16	30 200	58	(NA)	(NA)
Other goats	254	6 474	1 010	17 611	96	2 112	41	283	4 430
Rabbits and their pelts	26	1 123	174	2 691	14	5 976	17	24	4 860
Chinchillas and their pelts	1	15	25	2 793	1	30	1	20	14 192
Foxes and their pelts	–	–	(NA)	(NA)	–	–	–	(NA)	(NA)
Poultry hatched	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	10	36 589 791	5 028	(NA)	(NA)
Other livestock and livestock products	1 249	(X)	1 021	(X)	97	(X)	532	148	(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	47	369	35	410 974	15	72 640	32	407 792	336	12	34 990	27	43	614
Trout	14	242	5	142 730	9	49 872	5	142 730	169	9	49 872	73	14	108
Other food-type fish	1	14	1	26 923	–	–	1	26 923	14	–	–	–	2	2
Tropical fish	2	(Z)	–	–	2	60	–	–	–	2	60	(Z)	2	(Z)
Other fish	4	144	1	(D)	3	2 700 000	1	(D)	(D)	3	2 700 000	84	4	68