

Table 18. **Livestock and Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1978, 1974, and 1969**

		Inventory			Sales		
		Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
All Farms							
Value of livestock and poultry ¹	1978...	5 353	(X)	97 152	4 558	(X)	289 482
	1974...	4 045	(X)	67 869	3 690	(X)	224 145
	1969...	(NA)	(X)	48 325	4 281	(X)	132 772
Value of poultry	1978...	1 922	(X)	28 771	1 125	(X)	202 868
Value of livestock	1978...	4 932	(X)	68 381	3 976	(X)	86 614
Cattle and calves	1978...	3 760	133 398	65 285	3 094	62 873	15 403
	1974...	3 250	137 366	37 776	2 716	58 771	(NA)
	1969...	3 389	127 018	29 240	2 904	54 500	(NA)
Cows and heifers that had calved	1978...	3 218	69 569	45 753	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1974...	2 808	72 444	27 388	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969...	2 874	65 840	20 488	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1978...	1 698	12 271	5 645	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1974...	1 281	11 151	2 565	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969...	(NA)	9 104	2 048	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1978...	2 060	57 298	40 109	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1974...	2 034	61 293	24 824	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969...	2 246	56 736	18 439	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hogs and pigs	1978...	1 062	9 324	807	595	12 122	611
	1974...	769	6 480	332	324	7 844	(NA)
	1969...	609	7 350	247	288	9 257	(NA)
Feeder pigs sold	1978...	(X)	(X)	(X)	151	5 635	177
	1974...	(X)	(X)	(X)	108	3 414	(NA)
Sheep and lambs ²	1978...	564	10 978	593	362	6 437	312
	1974...	402	11 546	416	279	7 588	(NA)
	1969...	504	14 330	245	373	9 911	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1978...	1 570	5 656	1 697	359	824	582
	1974...	1 010	3 766	758	137	370	(NA)
	1969...	1 379	4 930	862	205	688	(NA)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1978...	1 393	9 159 528	20 528	417	14 257 911	(NA)
	1974...	805	9 861 717	22 104	391	8 439 981	(NA)
	1969...	1 011	7 373 553	12 247	610	7 493 722	(NA)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1978...	1 325	7 625 720	17 920	305	7 455 616	(NA)
	1974...	729	7 254 681	17 411	294	5 304 137	(NA)
	1969...	889	5 523 363	10 494	461	4 369 490	(NA)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1978...	449	13 497 708	8 234	345	69 137 035	(NA)
	1974...	359	12 005 042	6 483	387	64 457 259	(NA)
	1969...	459	13 057 223	5 484	554	59 906 919	(NA)
Turkeys	1978...	165	1 349	10	89	1 720	(NA)

¹Value of major poultry and livestock inventory items.
²Value of sales includes sheep, lambs, and wool sold.

Table 19. **Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1978 and 1974**

		Inventory				Sales			
		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 or more	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Any poultry	1978...	1 922	(X)	1 016	(X)	1 062	(X)	781	(X)
	1974...	1 170	(X)	849	(X)	772	(X)	717	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1978...	1 393	9 159 528	653	9 136 171	417	14 257 911	342	14 247 651
	1974...	805	9 861 717	497	9 842 610	391	8 439 981	342	8 417 225
Farms with—									
1 to 1,599	1978...	1 158	32 234	420	(D)	123	10 762	50	7 896
1,600 to 3,199	1978...	7	14 350	7	14 350	7	15 852	6	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1978...	41	273 930	39	(D)	60	437 641	59	(D)
10,000 or more	1978...	187	8 839 014	187	8 839 014	227	13 793 656	227	13 793 656
Hens and pullets of laying age	1978...	1 325	7 625 720	589	7 603 965	305	7 455 616	231	7 445 530
	1974...	729	7 254 681	444	7 237 647	294	5 304 137	247	5 281 840
Farms with—									
1 to 99	1978...	1 113	21 657	386	9 764	102	2 256	35	920
100 to 399	1978...	32	5 417	26	4 355	10	2 292	7	1 736
400 to 1,599	1978...	3	1 900	2	(D)	7	5 375	5	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	1978...	7	14 350	7	14 350	7	15 852	6	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	1978...	32	218 614	30	(D)	54	388 511	53	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	1978...	48	649 816	48	649 816	55	827 200	55	827 200
20,000 to 49,999	1978...	73	2 074 582	73	2 074 582	53	1 516 090	53	1 516 090
50,000 to 99,999	1978...	11	605 275	11	605 275	10	566 155	10	566 155
100,000 or more	1978...	6	4 034 109	6	4 034 109	7	4 131 885	7	4 131 885
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1978...	449	13 497 708	302	13 494 774	345	69 137 035	321	69 132 638
	1974...	359	12 005 042	321	12 003 356	387	64 457 259	379	64 456 604
Turkeys	1978...	165	1 349	63	616	89	1 720	21	369
	1974...	(NA)	(NA)	16	347	(NA)	(NA)	7	1 391
For slaughter	1978...	147	1 244	54	580	89	1 720	21	369
	1974...	(NA)	(NA)	13	289	(NA)	(NA)	7	1 391
Hens kept for breeding	1978...	36	105	12	36	—	—	—	—
	1974...	(NA)	(NA)	9	58	(NA)	(NA)	—	—
Ducks, geese, and other poultry	1978...	568	(X)	171	(X)	95	(X)	42	(X)
	1974...	(NA)	(X)	47	(X)	(NA)	(X)	17	(X)