

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	73 266	(X)	1 979 511	71 200	(X)	2 461 182
1974.....	73 348	(X)	825 719	73 174	(X)	1 710 584
1969.....	(NA)	(X)	889 012	86 534	(X)	1 187 951
Value of poultry.....	13 008	(X)	45 820	7 978	(X)	303 520
Value of livestock.....	71 287	(X)	1 933 691	69 255	(X)	2 157 662
Cattle and calves.....	56 183	3 301 704	1 537 993	54 573	1 872 748	769 289
1974.....	61 811	3 665 505	654 948	60 460	1 804 408	(NA)
1969.....	71 366	3 632 990	714 883	72 157	2 099 605	(NA)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....	44 814	1 264 103	859 472	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974.....	52 042	1 484 959	395 463	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	59 986	1 408 328	405 079	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....	22 879	497 033	253 487	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974.....	26 342	657 260	134 738	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	(NA)	513 923	123 342	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....	26 087	767 070	605 985	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1974.....	32 227	827 699	260 725	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
1969.....	42 442	894 405	281 738	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hogs and pigs.....	26 765	4 130 975	373 853	27 315	6 697 327	579 980
1974.....	27 538	2 991 801	138 246	29 584	5 398 595	(NA)
1969.....	37 495	3 295 731	134 873	39 058	5 488 114	(NA)
Feeder pigs sold.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	8 989	1 828 754	80 770
1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	7 792	1 130 940	(NA)
Sheep and lambs ²	4 869	244 752	13 706	4 620	214 427	13 373
1974.....	6 283	358 901	10 162	6 057	338 472	(NA)
1969.....	9 946	521 305	11 324	9 930	524 579	(NA)
Horses and ponies.....	12 388	54 255	8 138	2 717	8 614	5 465
1974.....	9 834	39 756	6 051	1 510	6 359	(NA)
1969.....	14 450	51 372	6 051	2 021	7 370	(NA)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	9 427	11 746 153	17 847	3 114	13 207 446	(NA)
1974.....	12 507	9 751 990	15 477	4 737	11 574 295	(NA)
1969.....	19 565	11 110 929	14 781	11 111	10 867 924	(NA)
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	9 224	9 948 861	15 421	3 025	7 929 035	(NA)
1974.....	12 024	8 387 493	13 839	4 502	6 450 346	(NA)
1969.....	18 565	9 310 392	(X)	10 288	6 718 156	(NA)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	3 463	2 798 926	2 239	1 871	11 299 389	(NA)
1974.....	3 011	1 368 093	835	1 516	6 057 267	(NA)
1969.....	580	1 881 870	772	669	8 917 267	(NA)
Turkeys.....	714	4 950 601	25 734	436	23 369 306	(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.....	13 008	(X)	9 332	(X)	6 205	(X)	4 914	(X)
1974.....	14 545	(X)	12 161	(X)	6 674	(X)	5 966	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....	9 427	11 746 153	6 892	11 605 676	3 114	13 207 446	2 644	13 180 985
1974.....	12 507	9 751 990	10 313	9 618 487	4 737	11 574 295	4 265	11 498 315
Farms with—								
1 to 1,599.....	8 894	949 308	6 361	(D)	2 573	483 300	2 103	456 839
1,600 to 3,199.....	53	122 851	53	122 851	50	113 162	50	113 162
3,200 to 9,999.....	204	1 301 756	202	(D)	225	1 403 976	225	1 403 976
10,000 or more.....	276	9 372 238	276	9 372 238	266	11 207 008	266	11 207 008
Hens and pullets of laying age.....	9 224	9 948 861	6 806	9 843 222	3 025	7 929 035	2 567	7 903 685
1974.....	12 024	8 387 493	9 991	8 272 617	4 502	6 450 346	4 093	6 380 872
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....	5 911	174 262	3 812	119 543	981	37 381	613	29 214
100 to 399.....	2 300	421 229	1 987	375 396	1 286	262 331	1 200	247 226
400 to 1,599.....	510	312 144	504	307 057	276	177 089	272	175 011
1,600 to 3,199.....	48	111 151	48	111 151	52	118 242	52	118 242
3,200 to 9,999.....	199	1 264 603	199	1 264 603	223	1 391 476	223	1 391 476
10,000 to 19,999.....	148	2 033 321	148	2 033 321	120	1 589 526	120	1 589 526
20,000 to 49,999.....	81	2 363 901	81	2 363 901	62	1 811 606	62	1 811 606
50,000 to 99,999.....	15	1 019 800	15	1 019 800	17	1 169 352	17	1 169 352
100,000 or more.....	12	2 248 450	12	2 248 450	8	1 372 032	8	1 372 032
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....	3 463	2 798 926	2 437	2 670 489	1 871	11 299 389	1 372	11 230 558
1974.....	3 011	1 368 093	2 530	1 328 063	1 516	6 057 267	1 225	6 018 093
Turkeys.....	714	4 950 601	485	4 943 118	436	23 369 306	390	23 349 513
1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	331	4 518 068	(NA)	(NA)	370	22 252 708
For slaughter.....	493	4 433 548	300	4 427 223	369	22 811 819	325	22 792 623
1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	232	4 045 555	(NA)	(NA)	317	21 369 972
Hens kept for breeding.....	315	517 053	257	515 895	116	557 487	109	556 890
1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	134	472 513	(NA)	(NA)	95	882 736
Ducks, geese, and other poultry.....	3 072	(X)	1 856	(X)	1 055	(X)	722	(X)
1974.....	(NA)	(X)	1 286	(X)	(NA)	(X)	589	(X)

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

Selected poultry inventory, 1978—All farms														
Chickens 3 months old or older						Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old		Broilers and other meat-type chickens						
Total		Hens and pullets of laying age		Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age										
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Farms with chickens 3 months old or older, inventory	9 427	11 746	153	9 224	9 948	861	1 057	1 797	292	148	531	822	1 382	105 405
1 to 99	5 935	183	078	5 871	171	941	683	11 137	108	3 192	1 092	64 218	1 092	64 218
100 to 399	2 436	446	672	2 325	420	025	299	26 647	15	1 960	235	25 818	235	25 818
400 to 1,599	523	319	558	523	312	969	28	6 589	9	17 470	49	12 139	49	12 139
1,600 to 3,199	53	122	851	50	113	851	5	9 000	—	—	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	204	1 301	756	197	1 251	626	9	50 130	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	152	2 073	917	148	2 012	298	6	61 619	1	(D)	4	(D)	4	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	88	2 614	115	79	2 287	901	12	326 214	9	173 500	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	22	1 459	295	18	1 074	800	8	384 495	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	14	3 224	911	13	2 303	450	7	921 461	3	240 000	—	—	—	—
None	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	172	918 475	2 081	2 693 521	2 081	2 693 521

Selected poultry sales, 1978—All farms													
Chickens 3 months old or older						Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Value of poultry and poultry products					
Total		Hens and pullets of laying age		Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age									
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Value (\$1,000)				
Farms with chickens 3 months old or older, inventory	(NA)	10 600	041	2 826	7 510	292	62	3 089	749	602	99 348	5 636	95 618
1 to 99	(NA)	19	059	540	18 684	17	17	375	423	57 096	2 289	491	
100 to 399	(NA)	263	851	1 257	(D)	12	12	(D)	141	19 933	2 293	2 639	
400 to 1,599	(NA)	206	040	522	206	040	—	—	30	12 508	523	2 052	
1,600 to 3,199	(NA)	152	262	51	(D)	2	2	(D)	1	(D)	53	1 060	
3,200 to 9,999	(NA)	1 344	793	199	1 096	735	3	248 058	3	(D)	202	13 728	
10,000 to 19,999	(NA)	1 696	837	148	1 535	937	4	160 900	3	8 806	152	18 016	
20,000 to 49,999	(NA)	2 414	474	78	1 851	760	12	562 714	1	(D)	88	22 604	
50,000 to 99,999	(NA)	1 453	391	18	757	391	8	696 000	—	—	22	10 988	
100,000 or more	(NA)	3 049	334	13	1 693	334	4	1 356 000	1	269	14	24 040	
None	(NA)	2 607	405	199	418	743	54	2 188 662	1 269	11 200 041	2 342	207 902	

Selected poultry sales, 1978—All farms—Con.														
Chickens 3 months old or older		Hens and pullets of laying age		Pullets 3 months old or older not of laying age		Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old						
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number					
Specified poultry sold	3 114	13 207	446	3 025	7 929	035	116	5 278	411	1 871	11 299	389	32	83 193
1 to 1,999	2 586	506	197	2 556	(D)	47	47	(D)	1 775	237 141	24	2 193		
2,000 to 3,999	53	146	068	55	151	148	—	—	14	34 722	—	—		
4,000 to 7,999	156	885	253	155	(D)	1	1	(D)	3	18 882	5	30 000		
8,000 to 15,999	157	1 749	091	151	1 676	071	7	84 000	4	37 250	1	(D)		
16,000 to 29,999	70	1 517	906	59	1 280	006	12	257 900	3	60 400	2	(D)		
30,000 to 59,999	38	1 622	189	27	1 050	475	16	734 614	20	839 264	—	—		
60,000 to 99,999	30	2 149	532	14	1 018	852	19	1 341 840	9	700 930	—	—		
100,000 or more	24	4 631	210	8	1 372	032	14	2 849 058	43	9 370 800	—	—		

Selected poultry sales, 1978—All farms—Con.									
Turkeys		Turkeys for slaughter				Turkey hens kept for breeding			
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Specified poultry sold	436	23 369	306	369	22 811	819	116	557	487
1 to 1,999	130	17	160	116	13 740	37	25 292		
2,000 to 3,999	23	63	376	9	26 800	32	93 709		
4,000 to 7,999	33	196	663	11	66 823	28	156 783		
8,000 to 15,999	39	466	133	29	362 130	14	161 527		
16,000 to 29,999	43	950	923	39	866 122	4	(D)		
30,000 to 59,999	57	2 437	257	55	2 361 357	1	(D)		
60,000 to 99,999	52	3 957	447	52	3 974 447	—	—		
100,000 or more	59	15 280	347	58	15 140 400	—	—		