

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

	Inventory			Sales		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
<b>All Farms</b>						
Value of livestock and poultry <sup>1</sup> .....1978.....	51 446	(X)	2 992 613	51 571	(X)	3 440 502
.....1974.....	53 967	(X)	1 091 491	54 960	(X)	2 166 946
.....1969.....	(NA)	(X)	1 279 115	61 214	(X)	1 611 460
Value of poultry.....1978.....	9 136	(X)	5 995	4 248	(X)	31 625
Value of livestock.....1978.....	50 799	(X)	2 986 617	51 214	(X)	3 408 877
Cattle and calves.....1978.....	43 671	6 427 124	2 636 398	44 680	5 997 652	2 740 143
.....1974.....	48 818	6 214 596	946 240	49 854	5 202 122	(NA)
.....1969.....	54 119	6 131 577	1 138 378	55 836	5 423 007	(NA)
Cows and heifers that had calved.....1978.....	35 584	2 121 375	1 086 328	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974.....	40 852	2 347 818	447 425	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	43 864	2 021 587	465 918	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows.....1978.....	33 174	2 002 115	1 001 058	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974.....	37 761	2 202 496	407 462	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	(NA)	1 864 064	419 305	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows.....1978.....	5 955	119 260	85 271	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1974.....	8 292	145 322	39 964	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
.....1969.....	13 595	157 523	46 612	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hogs and pigs.....1978.....	21 390	3 747 076	331 616	22 460	6 199 890	545 666
.....1974.....	21 301	2 740 440	124 731	23 904	4 992 209	(NA)
.....1969.....	29 029	2 914 892	118 488	31 157	4 788 158	(NA)
Feeder pigs sold.....1978.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	4 950	1 431 018	59 086
.....1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	4 140	743 743	(NA)
.....1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	2 420	190 500	12 805
Sheep and lambs <sup>2</sup> .....1978.....	2 343	172 748	11 229	2 419	238 234	(NA)
.....1974.....	2 796	222 699	6 615	2 819	443 798	(NA)
.....1969.....	4 042	355 796	8 777	4 086	5 877	4 503
Horses and ponies.....1978.....	11 031	49 163	7 374	1 721	5 415	(NA)
.....1974.....	8 898	36 733	7 235	1 252	7 538	(NA)
.....1969.....	15 536	55 833	7 743	1 971		(NA)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....1978.....	8 173	3 168 103	5 660	1 469	1 561 339	(NA)
.....1974.....	11 370	3 660 561	6 512	2 637	2 102 117	(NA)
.....1969.....	19 267	3 967 498	4 351	6 273	2 593 331	(NA)
Hens and pullets of laying age.....1978.....	8 051	3 073 685	5 533	1 457	1 233 647	(NA)
.....1974.....	11 150	3 354 063	6 037	2 571	1 543 642	(NA)
.....1969.....	18 573	3 616 200	4 161	6 026	2 018 464	(NA)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....1978.....	1 965	202 246	136	575	120 813	(NA)
.....1974.....	2 518	267 368	158	634	112 994	(NA)
.....1969.....	455	53 826	19	391	100 140	(NA)
Turkeys.....1978.....	296	26 962	200	88	471 283	(NA)

<sup>1</sup>Value of major poultry and livestock inventory items.  
<sup>2</sup>Value 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.....	9 136	(X)	8 258	(X)	2 372	(X)	2 152	(X)
.....1974.....	12 249	(X)	11 349	(X)	3 296	(X)	3 106	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older.....1978.....	8 173	3 168 103	7 364	3 130 405	1 469	1 561 339	1 338	1 535 039
.....1974.....	11 370	3 660 561	10 500	3 608 185	2 637	2 102 117	2 492	2 084 941
Farms with—								
1 to 1,599.....1978.....	8 106	626 437	7 297	588 739	1 404	197 138	1 275	(D)
1,600 to 3,199.....1978.....	10	22 402	10	22 402	12	29 028	12	29 028
3,200 to 9,999.....1978.....	22	138 024	22	138 024	17	102 920	15	(D)
10,000 or more.....1978.....	35	2 381 240	35	2 381 240	36	1 232 253	36	1 232 253
Hens and pullets of laying age.....1978.....	8 051	3 073 685	7 248	3 039 994	1 457	1 233 647	1 327	1 211 150
.....1974.....	11 150	3 354 063	10 313	3 304 861	2 571	1 543 642	2 438	1 527 323
Farms with—								
1 to 99.....1978.....	6 050	189 294	5 326	168 571	638	27 428	592	26 021
100 to 399.....1978.....	1 729	299 056	1 651	(D)	694	126 522	612	113 432
400 to 1,599.....1978.....	215	119 369	214	(D)	70	39 446	70	39 446
1,600 to 3,199.....1978.....	5	11 902	5	11 902	11	26 528	11	26 528
3,200 to 9,999.....1978.....	19	117 824	19	117 824	16	(D)	14	(D)
10,000 to 19,999.....1978.....	8	119 240	8	119 240	14	191 023	14	191 023
20,000 to 49,999.....1978.....	15	449 900	15	449 900	8	267 380	8	267 380
50,000 to 99,999.....1978.....	5	320 000	5	320 000	5	340 000	5	340 000
100,000 or more.....1978.....	5	1 447 100	5	1 447 100	1	(D)	1	(D)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens.....1978.....	1 965	202 246	1 829	188 875	575	120 813	546	115 900
.....1974.....	2 518	267 368	2 385	257 206	634	112 994	589	107 632
Turkeys.....1978.....	296	26 962	265	26 527	88	471 283	78	470 113
.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	164	18 794	(NA)	(NA)	72	686 804
For slaughter.....1978.....	228	15 164	203	14 812	77	463 118	67	(D)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	131	5 777	(NA)	(NA)	65	673 773
Hens kept for breeding.....1978.....	145	11 798	126	11 715	14	8 165	13	(D)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(NA)	67	13 017	(NA)	(NA)	10	13 031
Ducks, geese, and other poultry.....1978.....	1 399	(X)	1 179	(X)	291	(X)	252	(X)
.....1974.....	(NA)	(X)	776	(X)	(NA)	(X)	194	(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	8 173	3 168 103	8 051	3 073 685	600	94 418	117	73 281	1 383	130 589
1 to 99	6 131	197 039	6 026	187 939	496	9 200	91	3 587	1 059	86 957
100 to 399	1 746	303 143	1 737	296 310	71	6 833	20	2 294	294	34 456
400 to 1,599	229	126 255	227	119 620	22	6 635	1	(D)	29	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	10	22 402	8	13 352	6	9 050	—	—	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	22	138 024	20	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)
10,000 to 19,999	9	136 240	8	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	16	477 900	15	(D)	1	(D)	2	(D)	—	—
50,000 to 99,999	5	320 000	5	320 000	—	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	5	1 447 100	5	1 447 100	—	—	1	(D)	—	—
None	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	80	72 331	582	71 657

  

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)	1 340 127	1 384	1 197 435	83	142 692	318	55 728	3 792	25 589
1 to 99	(NA)	23 711	364	20 389	71	3 322	203	27 061	1 860	366
100 to 399	(NA)	108 869	753	98 749	4	10 120	95	19 527	1 638	1 699
400 to 1,599	(NA)	60 384	208	59 534	3	850	20	9 140	227	837
1,600 to 3,199	(NA)	17 402	9	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	10	514
3,200 to 9,999	(NA)	111 928	19	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	22	1 019
10,000 to 19,999	(NA)	119 600	8	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	9	931
20,000 to 49,999	(NA)	320 233	14	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	16	3 842
50,000 to 99,999	(NA)	270 000	5	270 000	—	—	—	—	5	3 278
100,000 or more	(NA)	308 000	4	308 000	—	—	—	—	5	13 104
None	(NA)	221 212	73	36 212	4	185 000	257	65 085	456	6 036

  

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	1 469	1 561 339	1 457	1 233 647	87	327 692	575	120 813	17	(D)
1 to 1,999	1 405	198 738	1 403	194 996	77	4 292	565	92 013	15	1 118
2,000 to 3,999	12	31 228	11	28 728	1	(D)	7	15 300	—	—
4,000 to 7,999	12	64 620	11	57 020	1	(D)	3	13 500	—	—
8,000 to 15,999	17	201 193	16	191 143	1	(D)	—	—	1	(D)
16,000 to 29,999	7	158 580	5	109 780	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
30,000 to 59,999	10	398 980	7	293 980	3	105 000	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	5	(D)	3	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	1	(D)

  

Selected poultry sales, 1978—All farms—Con.						
Turkeys		Turkeys for slaughter		Turkey hens kept for breeding		
Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Specified poultry sold	88	471 283	77	463 118	14	8 165
1 to 1,999	79	8 181	70	6 016	12	(D)
2,000 to 3,999	1	(D)	—	—	1	(D)
4,000 to 7,999	1	(D)	—	—	1	(D)
8,000 to 15,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—
16,000 to 29,999	3	70 988	3	70 988	—	—
30,000 to 59,999	—	—	—	—	—	—
60,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—
100,000 or more	2	(D)	2	(D)	—	—