

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

All Farms	Inventory			Sales			
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	
Value of livestock and poultry¹	1978.....	25 471	(X)	614 848	22 666	(X)	793 115
	1974.....	18 546	(X)	249 461	17 284	(X)	496 131
	1969.....	(NA)	(X)	241 576	20 402	(X)	345 531
Value of poultry	1978.....	6 798	(X)	15 181	2 263	(X)	73 725
Value of livestock	1978.....	24 984	(X)	599 667	22 111	(X)	719 390
Cattle and calves	1978.....	20 494	1 284 638	580 171	18 233	1 002 155	421 870
	1974.....	16 505	1 222 893	227 454	15 420	856 698	(NA)
	1969.....	18 836	1 147 020	214 828	17 916	933 075	(NA)
Cows and heifers that had calved	1978.....	16 367	546 990	330 109	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1974.....	13 916	554 809	136 595	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	14 709	473 498	118 249	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	1978.....	13 720	351 183	168 568	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1974.....	11 467	389 436	77 887	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	(NA)	323 984	69 657	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Milk cows	1978.....	4 353	195 807	161 541	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1974.....	4 488	165 373	58 707	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
	1969.....	5 583	149 514	48 592	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Hogs and pigs	1978.....	3 599	89 403	7 063	2 613	129 709	10 441
	1974.....	2 056	64 694	2 690	1 579	123 929	(NA)
	1969.....	1 944	65 940	2 388	1 659	119 806	(NA)
Feeder pigs sold	1978.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	889	32 404	1 066
	1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	527	32 038	(NA)
Sheep and lambs²	1978.....	1 619	81 904	5 569	1 295	65 897	4 445
	1974.....	1 282	86 718	2 889	1 041	94 433	(NA)
	1969.....	1 606	130 253	3 471	1 398	136 020	(NA)
Horses and ponies	1978.....	10 183	45 756	6 863	2 907	7 381	8 461
	1974.....	5 975	27 088	5 895	1 141	3 650	(NA)
	1969.....	8 915	39 124	10 298	1 719	6 009	(NA)
Chickens 3 months old or older	1978.....	5 885	5 780 398	13 072	533	4 665 781	(NA)
	1974.....	3 230	4 784 634	9 127	504	3 565 599	(NA)
	1969.....	3 325	5 301 744	7 287	682	4 836 510	(NA)
Hens and pullets of laying age	1978.....	5 786	5 038 562	11 589	494	3 401 039	(NA)
	1974.....	3 114	4 276 156	8 339	457	2 599 770	(NA)
	1969.....	3 087	4 191 435	6 288	596	3 160 421	(NA)
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1978.....	2 248	2 736 566	1 970	338	15 825 631	(NA)
	1974.....	470	2 162 539	1 406	266	14 218 935	(NA)
	1969.....	192	3 383 637	1 421	211	18 008 465	(NA)
Turkeys	1978.....	797	11 760	138	118	(D)	(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	6 798	(X)	2 633	(X)	1 408	(X)	707	(X)
	1974	3 443	(X)	1 937	(X)	757	(X)	508	(X)
Chickens 3 months old or older -----	1978	5 885	5 780 398	2 281	5 679 025	533	4 665 781	245	4 643 474
	1974	3 230	4 784 634	1 767	4 731 647	504	3 565 599	313	3 536 117
Farms with —									
1 to 1,599 -----	1978	5 798	141 695	2 198	60 390	434	24 307	150	14 529
1,600 to 3,199 -----	1978	5	12 735	4	(D)	13	32 538	11	(D)
3,200 to 9,999 -----	1978	24	155 256	21	(D)	26	156 666	24	(D)
10,000 or more -----	1978	58	5 470 712	58	5 470 712	60	4 452 270	60	4 452 270
Hens and pullets of laying age -----	1978	5 786	5 038 562	2 249	4 948 490	494	3 401 039	230	3 379 339
	1974	3 114	4 276 156	1 737	4 231 912	457	2 599 770	294	2 571 414
Farms with —									
1 to 99 -----	1978	5 649	110 920	2 127	40 877	378	9 179	124	3 245
100 to 399 -----	1978	48	6 798	37	5 347	15	3 163	12	2 553
400 to 1,599 -----	1978	10	7 892	10	7 892	12	8 438	9	5 811
1,600 to 3,199 -----	1978	6	15 163	5	(D)	13	32 538	11	(D)
3,200 to 9,999 -----	1978	21	134 138	18	(D)	25	149 666	23	(D)
10,000 to 19,999 -----	1978	14	203 372	14	203 372	19	258 480	19	258 480
20,000 to 49,999 -----	1978	14	427 337	14	427 337	14	381 296	14	381 296
50,000 to 99,999 -----	1978	9	614 513	9	614 513	7	558 194	7	558 194
100,000 or more -----	1978	15	3 518 429	15	3 518 429	11	2 000 085	11	2 000 085
Broilers and other meat-type chickens -----	1978	2 248	2 736 566	577	2 713 073	338	15 825 631	197	15 811 261
	1974	470	2 162 539	261	2 154 555	266	14 218 935	178	14 207 969
Turkeys -----	1978	797	11 760	270	9 457	118	(D)	57	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	80	15 343	(NA)	(NA)	23	312 865
For slaughter -----	1978	645	(D)	210	(D)	115	(D)	56	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	64	549	(NA)	(NA)	20	288 864
Hens kept for breeding -----	1978	291	(D)	129	(D)	8	(D)	2	(D)
	1974	(NA)	(NA)	31	14 794	(NA)	(NA)	5	24 001
Ducks, geese, and other poultry -----	1978	2 666	(X)	750	(X)	338	(X)	199	(X)
	1974	(NA)	(X)	208	(X)	(NA)	(X)	47	(X)