

Table 39. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales by Size of Flock: 1987

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

| Sheep and lambs | Sheep and lambs inventory | | | | Sheep and lambs shorn | | | Sales | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total | | Ewes 1 year old or older | | Farms | Number | Pounds of wool | Sheep and lambs | | Sheep, lambs, and wool | |
| | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | | | | Farms | Number | Farms | Value (\$1,000) |
| Total inventory | 7 821 | 2 054 963 | 6 714 | 1 321 967 | 6 043 | 1 873 724 | 13 587 977 | 6 794 | 1 599 532 | 6 996 | 124 386 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 | 3 084 | 28 213 | 2 181 | 15 797 | 1 517 | 19 056 | 139 215 | 2 072 | 23 669 | 2 268 | 1 473 |
| 25 to 99 | 1 936 | 100 424 | 1 824 | 65 822 | 1 815 | 77 194 | 577 122 | 1 935 | 68 867 | 1 935 | 4 737 |
| 100 to 299 | 1 328 | 227 530 | 1 286 | 151 215 | 1 285 | 174 315 | 1 305 301 | 1 320 | 131 854 | 1 322 | 9 757 |
| 300 to 999 | 954 | 495 229 | 927 | 319 509 | 928 | 404 576 | 3 116 587 | 948 | 293 823 | 952 | 22 697 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 372 | 562 687 | 355 | 365 815 | 355 | 475 851 | 3 655 543 | 372 | 334 677 | 372 | 26 447 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 117 | 378 762 | 111 | 244 275 | 113 | 375 142 | 2 682 325 | 117 | 291 251 | 117 | 23 378 |
| 5,000 or more | 30 | 262 118 | 30 | 159 534 | 30 | 347 590 | 2 131 884 | 30 | 455 391 | 30 | 35 898 |
| No inventory | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | 137 | 29 903 | 218 771 | 299 | 61 821 | 299 | 4 761 |

Table 40. Sheep and Lambs—Inventory and Sales by Size of Ewe Flock: 1987

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| Ewes 1 year old or older | Sheep and lambs inventory | | | | Sheep and lambs shorn | | | Sales | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------------|
| | Total | | Ewes 1 year old or older | | Farms | Number | Pounds of wool | Sheep and lambs | | Sheep, lambs, and wool | |
| | Farms | Number | Farms | Number | | | | Farms | Number | Farms | Value (\$1,000) |
| Total inventory | 6 714 | 1 980 786 | 6 714 | 1 321 967 | 5 876 | 1 866 162 | 13 541 453 | 6 128 | 1 536 368 | 6 287 | 120 012 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 | 2 746 | 57 230 | 2 746 | 25 377 | 1 917 | 37 235 | 271 052 | 2 172 | 57 020 | 2 325 | 4 201 |
| 25 to 99 | 1 786 | 150 389 | 1 786 | 92 707 | 1 782 | 113 996 | 854 284 | 1 784 | 88 475 | 1 785 | 6 300 |
| 100 to 199 | 766 | 179 212 | 766 | 104 079 | 766 | 139 063 | 1 040 705 | 765 | 102 673 | 766 | 7 827 |
| 200 to 499 | 766 | 354 671 | 766 | 225 250 | 762 | 296 547 | 2 279 770 | 758 | 212 390 | 762 | 16 575 |
| 500 to 999 | 340 | 349 121 | 340 | 230 825 | 339 | 298 134 | 2 271 735 | 339 | 200 763 | 339 | 15 995 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 243 | 510 433 | 243 | 364 234 | 243 | 503 944 | 3 667 281 | 243 | 352 666 | 243 | 28 827 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 55 | 238 066 | 55 | 176 472 | 55 | 250 714 | 1 891 108 | 55 | 227 534 | 55 | 16 771 |
| 5,000 or more | 12 | 141 664 | 12 | 103 023 | 12 | 226 529 | 1 265 518 | 12 | 294 847 | 12 | 23 516 |
| No inventory | 1 107 | 74 177 | (X) | (X) | 304 | 37 465 | 265 295 | 965 | 124 985 | 1 008 | 9 135 |