

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 | 92 489 | 11 059 397 | 83 552 | 6 882 048 | 78 634 | 9 283 060 | 72 926 898 | 82 433 | 9 605 540 | 85 837 | 765 213 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 | 45 827 | 486 463 | 38 273 | 325 738 | 33 370 | 407 215 | 3 038 602 | 35 883 | 429 839 | 39 209 | 30 055 |
| 25 to 99 | 31 254 | 1 490 070 | 30 422 | 1 043 538 | 30 379 | 1 280 813 | 9 616 386 | 31 187 | 1 165 040 | 31 236 | 85 939 |
| 100 to 299 | 9 740 | 1 553 213 | 9 515 | 1 049 323 | 9 517 | 1 303 300 | 10 024 631 | 9 712 | 1 154 177 | 9 729 | 89 455 |
| 300 to 999 | 3 713 | 1 851 447 | 3 565 | 1 192 681 | 3 568 | 1 545 694 | 12 342 188 | 3 702 | 1 373 523 | 3 710 | 109 789 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 1 270 | 1 898 380 | 1 155 | 1 168 694 | 1 164 | 1 569 538 | 13 148 737 | 1 265 | 1 415 041 | 1 269 | 114 879 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 447 | 1 486 234 | 401 | 879 462 | 408 | 1 279 075 | 10 515 135 | 446 | 1 304 571 | 446 | 104 958 |
| 5,000 or more | 238 | 2 293 590 | 221 | 1 222 612 | 228 | 1 897 425 | 14 241 219 | 238 | 2 763 348 | 238 | 230 138 |
| No inventory | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | 2 385 | 175 974 | 1 335 155 | 5 423 | 360 023 | 5 423 | 26 006 |

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 | 83 552 | 10 386 740 | 83 552 | 6 882 048 | 76 766 | 9 095 949 | 72 412 143 | 77 066 | 8 620 359 | 79 869 | 695 525 |
| Farms with— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 24 | 48 011 | 836 590 | 48 011 | 495 197 | 41 247 | 678 502 | 5 049 779 | 41 594 | 661 938 | 44 344 | 47 868 |
| 25 to 99 | 25 031 | 1 733 637 | 25 031 | 1 168 238 | 25 017 | 1 500 975 | 11 204 166 | 24 992 | 1 297 536 | 25 021 | 97 578 |
| 100 to 199 | 5 093 | 1 035 731 | 5 093 | 673 049 | 5 090 | 889 447 | 6 808 177 | 5 077 | 792 993 | 5 092 | 82 663 |
| 200 to 499 | 3 177 | 1 534 520 | 3 177 | 925 229 | 3 173 | 1 271 744 | 9 984 302 | 3 167 | 1 585 392 | 3 173 | 134 301 |
| 500 to 999 | 1 104 | 1 116 428 | 1 104 | 750 184 | 1 103 | 979 631 | 8 013 490 | 1 100 | 849 274 | 1 103 | 66 850 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 789 | 1 708 070 | 789 | 1 199 535 | 789 | 1 629 020 | 13 535 254 | 789 | 1 319 037 | 789 | 110 743 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 250 | 1 187 406 | 250 | 840 334 | 250 | 1 048 918 | 9 087 894 | 250 | 1 039 236 | 250 | 86 026 |
| 5,000 or more | 97 | 1 234 358 | 97 | 830 282 | 97 | 1 097 712 | 8 729 081 | 97 | 1 074 953 | 97 | 89 498 |
| No inventory | 8 937 | 672 657 | (X) | (X) | 4 253 | 363 085 | 1 849 910 | 10 790 | 1 345 204 | 11 391 | 95 694 |