

Table 21. Layers, Pullets, and Pullet Chicks—Number Sold: 1997 and 1992

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

Item	1997		1992		Item	1997		1992	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Layers 20 weeks old and older	384	5 374 475	451	4 863 805	Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old	137	3 900 582	109	4 490 518
Farms by number sold—					Farms by number sold—				
1 to 99	228	5 377	307	6 631	1 to 1,999	68	4 435	58	4 636
100 to 399	24	3 788	32	(D)	2,000 to 15,999	13	150 900	12	128 351
400 to 3,199	7	5 379	16	17 289	16,000 to 29,999	21	428 387	20	445 577
3,200 to 9,999	21	142 054	31	219 474	30,000 to 59,999	19	776 360	9	413 000
10,000 to 19,999	59	839 390	40	568 481	60,000 to 99,999	8	613 500	6	494 954
20,000 to 49,999	32	924 425	16	529 907	100,000 or more	8	1 927 000	4	3 004 000
50,000 to 99,999	7	468 012	2	(D)					
100,000 or more	6	2 986 050	7	3 388 125					

Table 22. Poultry—Inventory and Sales by Farms With Layers and Pullets 13 Weeks Old and Older: 1997

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

Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Inventory									
	Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older (see text)						Pullet chicks and pullets less than 13 weeks old		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullets 13 weeks old and older but less than 20 weeks old		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total	3 707	8 846 447	3 559	7 175 652	634	1 670 795	140	541 210	502	220 245
Farms with inventory of—										
1 to 49	3 034	51 985	2 944	46 858	413	5 127	98	1 585	421	69 567
50 to 99	325	20 175	313	16 422	117	3 753	21	600	60	1 703
100 to 399	156	24 301	147	19 106	54	5 195	7	1 125	18	4 915
400 to 1,599	21	(D)	20	(D)	7	(D)	—	—	1	(D)
1,600 to 3,199	5	(D)	5	(D)	—	—	1	(D)	—	—
3,200 to 9,999	17	122 059	16	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	—	—
10,000 to 19,999	72	1 042 135	58	844 161	14	197 974	5	190 600	—	—
20,000 to 49,999	59	1 742 465	43	1 178 555	20	563 910	6	161 400	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	7	424 000	4	210 000	4	214 000	—	—	1	(D)
100,000 or more	11	5 395 347	9	4 734 094	3	661 253	2	(D)	—	—
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	46	605 445	338	30 034 252
Layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older inventory (see text)	Sales									
	Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks (see text)						Broilers and other meat-type chickens		Poultry and poultry products	
	Total		Layers 20 weeks old and older		Pullet chicks and pullets less than 20 weeks old		Farms	Number	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	
Total	410	8 063 038	337	5 252 627	98	2 810 411	86	1 652 171	1 272	93 498
Farms with inventory of—										
1 to 49	148	3 196	126	2 244	31	952	63	(D)	751	850
50 to 99	55	2 865	51	2 566	14	299	10	306	184	128
100 to 399	44	6 598	35	4 985	11	1 613	7	4 983	145	314
400 to 1,599	4	742	4	742	—	—	2	(D)	21	1 218
1,600 to 3,199	1	(D)	1	(D)	—	—	—	—	5	122
3,200 to 9,999	15	(D)	13	(D)	2	(D)	—	—	17	1 613
10,000 to 19,999	72	1 334 836	58	866 836	14	468 000	—	—	72	9 130
20,000 to 49,999	56	1 906 054	39	1 021 344	19	884 710	2	(D)	59	17 846
50,000 to 99,999	7	556 148	4	252 148	4	304 000	2	(D)	7	3 586
100,000 or more	8	3 253 233	6	(D)	3	(D)	—	—	11	58 690
No layers and pullets 13 weeks old and older as of Dec. 31, 1997	81	1 212 019	47	121 848	39	1 090 171	365	201 318 741	1 001	659 441