

**Table 39. Ewes 1 Year Old or Older—Inventory, Shorn, and Sales by Size of Ewe Flock: 1997**

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

Ewes 1 year old or older inventory	Sheep and lambs inventory				Sheep and lambs shorn			Sales			
	Total		Ewes 1 year old or older					Sheep and lambs		Sheep, lambs, and wool	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Pounds of wool	Farms	Number	Farms	Value (\$1,000)
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>273 376</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>187 251</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>233 822</b>	<b>2 170 643</b>	<b>657</b>	<b>169 987</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>14 593</b>
Farms with inventory of—											
1 to 24 .....	457	6 126	457	3 648	337	4 747	36 381	350	3 958	394	288
25 to 99 .....	143	9 663	143	6 387	143	7 841	65 137	143	6 198	143	503
100 to 199 .....	32	10 498	32	4 411	32	7 500	58 977	32	5 995	32	450
200 to 499 .....	42	22 740	42	13 103	42	22 269	206 119	42	14 414	42	1 208
500 to 999 .....	41	38 780	41	29 970	41	36 491	346 306	41	24 606	41	2 034
1,000 to 2,499 .....	40	89 971	40	64 705	40	80 093	787 924	39	49 185	40	4 315
2,500 to 4,999 .....	5	23 740	5	18 394	5	21 581	212 171	5	16 381	5	1 309
5,000 or more .....	5	71 858	5	46 633	5	53 300	457 628	5	49 250	5	4 486
No ewes 1 year old or older as of Dec. 31, 1997 .....	152	18 432	(X)	(X)	37	6 530	61 900	129	33 039	138	2 404

**Table 40. Other Livestock and Livestock Products—Inventory and Sales: 1997 and 1992**

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Item	Inventory		Sales	
	1997	1992	1997	1992
Horses and ponies .....	farms.. 5 859	5 738	984	1 246
	number.. 38 816	41 430	3 524	4 200
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	6 790	4 750
Mules, burros, and donkeys .....	farms.. 394	314	38	29
	number.. 1 056	770	82	97
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	42	18
Colonies of bees .....	farms.. 128	183	5	13
	number.. 11 372	15 768	(D)	142
Honey sold .....	farms.. (X)	(X)	49	71
	pounds.. (X)	(X)	869 005	1 006 928
Bees and honey sold .....	farms.. (X)	(X)	51	76
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	961	798
Goats .....	farms.. 584	533	209	188
	number.. 45 294	70 179	19 264	11 640
Angora goats .....	farms.. 89	126	39	42
	number.. 37 560	62 648	16 134	10 158
Mohair sold .....	farms.. (X)	(X)	68	102
	pounds.. (X)	(X)	265 253	383 158
Angora goats and mohair sold .....	farms.. (X)	(X)	75	105
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	899	919
Milk goats .....	farms.. 154	176	56	48
	number.. 1 651	1 266	601	405
Goats milk sold .....	farms.. (X)	(X)	27	24
	gallons.. (X)	(X)	100 134	42 019
Milk goats and goats milk sold .....	farms.. (X)	(X)	65	61
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	305	127
Other goats .....	farms.. 419	326	134	114
	number.. 6 083	6 265	2 529	1 077
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	171	41
Mink and their pelts .....	farms.. —	—	—	—
	number.. —	—	—	—
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	—	—
Rabbits and their pelts .....	farms.. 123	155	38	54
	number.. 2 308	2 743	2 253	4 418
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	14	20
Fish and other aquaculture products sold .....	farms.. (X)	(X)	12	19
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	329	145
Other livestock and livestock products .....	farms.. 77	37	29	33
	\$1,000.. (X)	(X)	952	860