

Table 27. Poultry - Inventory and Number Sold: 2002 and 1997

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

Item	2002		1997		Item	2002		1997	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
INVENTORY					NUMBER SOLD - Con.				
Layers 20 weeks old and older	58	(D)	90	389,087	Broilers and other meat-type chickens	820	255,873,656	893	260,745,019
Farms with inventory of-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 49	33	659	56	1,158	1 to 1,999	3	425	2	(D)
50 to 99	5	285	9	650	2,000 to 15,999	2	(D)	2	(D)
100 to 399	7	810	4	451	16,000 to 29,999	3	(D)	5	107,580
400 to 3,199	2	(D)	2	(D)	30,000 to 59,999	15	714,670	30	1,383,521
3,200 to 9,999	5	36,827	11	86,550	60,000 to 99,999	36	2,863,864	88	6,907,893
10,000 to 19,999	4	62,829	5	79,258	100,000 to 199,999	131	18,284,966	203	29,338,233
20,000 to 49,999	-	-	1	(D)	200,000 to 299,999	336	83,238,934	249	58,791,452
50,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	2	(D)	300,000 to 499,999	212	77,149,843	205	77,270,980
100,000 or more	1	(D)	-	-	500,000 or more	82	73,534,061	109	86,322,910
Pullets for laying flock replacement	10	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	500,000 to 749,999	41	22,980,037	72	42,703,474
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	634	45,649,977	731	43,479,935	750,000 or more	41	50,554,024	37	44,219,436
Turkeys	7	233	14	345	Turkeys	3	(D)	7	2,836
Emus	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)	Farms by number sold-				
Ostriches	-	-	(NA)	(NA)	1 to 1,999	3	(D)	(NA)	(NA)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry ¹	27	(X)	33	(X)	2,000 to 7,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
NUMBER SOLD					8,000 to 15,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Layers 20 weeks old and older	20	557,675	32	354,473	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Pullets for laying flock replacement	7	513,378	10	(D)	30,000 to 59,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					60,000 to 99,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					100,000 or more	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					Emus	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)
					Ostriches	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					Ducks, geese, and other poultry ¹	6	(X)	13	(X)

¹ 1997 data include emus and ostriches.

Table 28. Layers and Pullets - Number Sold: 2002 and 1997

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Item	2002		1997		Item	2002		1997	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Layers 20 weeks old and older	20	557,675	32	354,473	Pullets for laying flock replacement	7	513,378	10	(D)
Farms by number sold-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 99	7	144	10	380	1 to 1,999	3	436	5	262
100 to 399	3	380	-	-	2,000 to 15,999	1	(D)	2	(D)
400 to 3,199	-	-	2	(D)	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	5	(D)	12	82,910	30,000 to 59,999	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	3	45,240	5	72,223	60,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	-	-	1	(D)	100,000 or more	2	(D)	1	(D)
50,000 to 99,999	1	(D)	2	(D)					
100,000 or more	1	(D)	-	-					

Table 29. Sheep and Lambs - Inventory, Wool Production, and Number Sold: 2002 and 1997

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Item	2002		1997		Item	2002		1997	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text)	54	1,028	58	1,276	Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) - Con.				
Farms with-					Ewes 1 year old or older	50	476	43	765
1 to 24	39	294	48	(D)	Wool production (pounds)	27	4,217	41	5,622
25 to 99	14	(D)	9	441	Sheep and lambs sold	17	204	47	1,043
100 to 299	1	(D)	-	-					
300 to 999	-	-	1	(D)					
1,000 to 2,499	-	-	-	-					
2,500 to 4,999	-	-	-	-					
5,000 or more	-	-	-	-					