

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	1,961	(D)	2,135	1,430,719	Broilers and other meat-type chickens	183	91,894	102	37,700
Farms with inventory of-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 49	1,739	30,003	1,886	31,920	1 to 1,999	178	(D)	96	16,810
50 to 99	158	(D)	145	8,874	2,000 to 15,999	4	21,000	6	20,890
100 to 399	55	9,365	70	10,505	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	-	-
400 to 3,199	3	2,220	12	(D)	30,000 to 59,999	1	(D)	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	1	(D)	60,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	-	-	5	72,650	100,000 to 199,999	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	4	153,219	7	231,200	200,000 to 299,999	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	-	-	6	393,560	300,000 to 499,999	-	-	-	-
100,000 or more	1	(D)	3	670,000	500,000 or more	-	-	-	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement	491	813,389	(NA)	(NA)	500,000 to 749,999	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	374	18,536	389	16,904	750,000 or more	-	-	-	-
Turkeys	231	881,121	274	743,007	Turkeys	86	1,599,882	64	1,616,591
Emus	88	1,335	(NA)	(NA)	Farms by number sold-				
Ostriches	34	906	(NA)	(NA)	1 to 1,999	57	1,097	(NA)	(NA)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry ¹	966	(X)	865	(X)	2,000 to 7,999	5	(D)	(NA)	(NA)
NUMBER SOLD					8,000 to 15,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Layers 20 weeks old and older	316	1,081,920	159	1,213,735	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Pullets for laying flock replacement	180	2,588,122	54	2,208,507	30,000 to 59,999	6	252,985	(NA)	(NA)
					60,000 to 99,999	16	1,095,800	(NA)	(NA)
					100,000 or more	2	(D)	(NA)	(NA)
					Emus	25	684	(NA)	(NA)
					Ostriches	20	808	(NA)	(NA)
					Ducks, geese, and other poultry ¹	298	(X)	209	(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	316	1,081,920	159	1,213,735	Pullets for laying flock replacement	180	2,588,122	54	2,208,507
Farms by number sold-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 99	286	5,177	118	2,666	1 to 1,999	174	6,092	47	(D)
100 to 399	19	3,224	13	2,394	2,000 to 15,999	1	(D)	-	-
400 to 3,199	3	1,800	3	(D)	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	1	(D)	3	24,227	30,000 to 59,999	1	(D)	3	121,000
10,000 to 19,999	-	-	5	86,444	60,000 to 99,999	2	(D)	1	(D)
20,000 to 49,999	4	(D)	9	278,500	100,000 or more	2	(D)	3	1,995,924
50,000 to 99,999	2	(D)	6	338,904					
100,000 or more	1	(D)	2	(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)	1,335	81,145	1,586	120,908	Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) - Con.				
Farms with-					Ewes 1 year old or older	1,227	46,107	1,364	71,186
1 to 24	741	6,903	811	8,300	Wool production (pounds)	815	416,035	1,305	584,659
25 to 99	418	20,014	533	24,307	Sheep and lambs sold	959	63,270	1,553	109,203
100 to 299	132	21,610	177	28,506					
300 to 999	36	19,323	53	27,798					
1,000 to 2,499	7	(D)	8	11,360					
2,500 to 4,999	1	(D)	3	(D)					
5,000 or more	-	-	1	(D)					