

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	1,215	349,040	1,150	297,047	Broilers and other meat-type chickens	77	100,660	73	113,604
Farms with inventory of-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 49	1,084	16,846	1,040	16,836	1 to 1,999	64	(D)	61	(D)
50 to 99	64	3,912	57	3,261	2,000 to 15,999	12	58,500	11	65,000
100 to 399	29	4,493	20	3,680	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	-	-
400 to 3,199	5	4,400	6	9,850	30,000 to 59,999	1	(D)	1	(D)
3,200 to 9,999	15	114,339	12	91,770	60,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	18	205,050	15	171,650	100,000 to 199,999	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	-	-	-	-	200,000 to 299,999	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-	300,000 to 499,999	-	-	-	-
100,000 or more	-	-	-	-	500,000 or more	-	-	-	-
					500,000 to 749,999	-	-	-	-
					750,000 or more	-	-	-	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement	235	124,064	(NA)	(NA)	Turkeys	56	14,808	48	12,885
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	236	104,669	203	71,896	Farms by number sold-				
Turkeys	156	15,724	168	15,881	1 to 1,999	55	(D)	(NA)	(NA)
Emus	38	327	(NA)	(NA)	2,000 to 7,999	1	(D)	(NA)	(NA)
Ostriches	26	159	(NA)	(NA)	8,000 to 15,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry ¹	518	(X)	425	(X)	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					30,000 to 59,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					60,000 to 99,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					100,000 or more	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
NUMBER SOLD					Emus	9	60	(NA)	(NA)
Layers 20 weeks old and older	143	132,047	88	298,412	Ostriches	8	36	(NA)	(NA)
Pullets for laying flock replacement	24	600	18	442	Ducks, geese, and other poultry ¹	134	(X)	98	(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	143	132,047	88	298,412	Pullets for laying flock replacement	24	600	18	442
Farms by number sold-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 99	121	2,037	58	(D)	1 to 1,999	24	600	18	442
100 to 399	6	(D)	-	-	2,000 to 15,999	-	-	-	-
400 to 3,199	1	(D)	3	7,000	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	6	30,430	22	149,908	30,000 to 59,999	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	9	96,800	4	49,140	60,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	-	-	-	-	100,000 or more	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	-	-	1	(D)					
100,000 or more	-	-	-	-					

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)	1,898	305,753	2,265	437,403	Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) - Con.				
Farms with-					Ewes 1 year old or older	1,843	219,004	2,136	314,537
1 to 24	740	6,917	709	7,824	Wool production (pounds)	1,513	2,588,412	2,130	3,560,690
25 to 99	592	30,027	728	37,780	Sheep and lambs sold	1,504	279,556	2,274	353,535
100 to 299	324	55,639	479	80,883					
300 to 999	187	103,403	257	129,656					
1,000 to 2,499	46	69,315	69	101,966					
2,500 to 4,999	6	19,002	22	(D)					
5,000 or more	3	21,450	1	(D)					