

**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
<b>INVENTORY</b>					<b>NUMBER SOLD - Con.</b>				
Layers 20 weeks old and older	281	5,164	231	4,603	Broilers and other meat-type chickens	18	3,383	8	(D)
Farms with inventory of-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 49	257	3,527	215	3,398	1 to 1,999	17	(D)	8	(D)
50 to 99	20	1,177	13	805	2,000 to 15,999	1	(D)	-	-
100 to 399	4	460	3	400	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	-	-
400 to 3,199	-	-	-	-	30,000 to 59,999	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	-	-	-	-	60,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	-	-	-	-	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	-	-	-	-
Pullets for laying flock replacement	65	1,201	(NA)	(NA)	500,000 to 749,999	-	-	-	-
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	23	321	25	(D)	750,000 or more	-	-	-	-
Turkeys	50	229	32	342	Turkeys	23	636	14	1,086
Emus	26	144	(NA)	(NA)	Farms by number sold-	23	636	(NA)	(NA)
Ostriches	14	80	(NA)	(NA)	1 to 1,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Ducks, geese, and other poultry <sup>1</sup>	124	(X)	122	(X)	2,000 to 7,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
<b>NUMBER SOLD</b>					8,000 to 15,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Layers 20 weeks old and older	40	547	19	348	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
Pullets for laying flock replacement	30	543	11	(D)	30,000 to 59,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					60,000 to 99,999	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					100,000 or more	-	-	(NA)	(NA)
					Emus	12	104	(NA)	(NA)
					Ostriches	4	29	(NA)	(NA)
					Ducks, geese, and other poultry <sup>1</sup>	38	(X)	30	(X)

<sup>1</sup> 1997 data include emus and ostriches.

**Table 28. Layers and Pullets - 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
Layers 20 weeks old and older	40	547	19	348	Pullets for laying flock replacement	30	543	11	(D)
Farms by number sold-					Farms by number sold-				
1 to 99	40	547	19	348	1 to 1,999	30	543	11	(D)
100 to 399	-	-	-	-	2,000 to 15,999	-	-	-	-
400 to 3,199	-	-	-	-	16,000 to 29,999	-	-	-	-
3,200 to 9,999	-	-	-	-	30,000 to 59,999	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 19,999	-	-	-	-	60,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-
20,000 to 49,999	-	-	-	-	100,000 or more	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 99,999	-	-	-	-					
100,000 or more	-	-	-	-					

**Table 29. Sheep and Lambs - Inventory, Wool Production, 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
Sheep and lambs inventory (see text)	327	77,913	299	96,956	Sheep and lambs inventory (see text) - Con.				
Farms with-					Ewes 1 year old or older	296	57,455	244	64,206
1 to 24	227	1,845	187	1,985	Wool production (pounds)	190	709,368	230	671,933
25 to 99	63	2,805	76	3,276	Sheep and lambs sold	201	66,151	273	114,912
100 to 299	14	1,987	13	2,035					
300 to 999	8	3,359	4	1,813					
1,000 to 2,499	5	9,360	7	10,441					
2,500 to 4,999	5	19,352	5	18,680					
5,000 or more	5	39,205	7	58,726					