

## Record Highs & Lows in Pennsylvania Agriculture (Continued) <sup>1</sup>

| Fruit                       | Year estimates started | Units        | Total production                  |              |      |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|------|
|                             |                        |              | Record                            | Total        | Year |
| Apples                      | 1889                   | Million Lbs. | High                              | 1,114        | 1896 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 78           | 1921 |
| Tart cherries               | 1938                   | Million Lbs. | High                              | 35.0         | 1964 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 2.3          | 2010 |
| Sweet cherries <sup>4</sup> | 1938                   | Tons         | High                              | 2,200        | 1940 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 50           | 1990 |
| Peaches <sup>3</sup>        | 1899                   | Tons         | High                              | 74,400       | 1954 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | <sup>2</sup> | 1994 |
| Pears                       | 1909                   | Tons         | High                              | 21,125       | 1920 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 1,900        | 1973 |
| Grapes                      | 1909                   | Tons         | High                              | 107,200      | 2008 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 6,000        | 1945 |
| Livestock and products      | Year estimates started | Units        | Inventory January 1 or production |              |      |
|                             |                        |              | Record                            | Total        | Year |
| Cattle and calves           | 1867                   | 1,000 Head   | High                              | 2,100        | 1982 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 1,250        | 1927 |
| Milk cows                   | 1867                   | 1,000 Head   | High                              | 943          | 1945 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 540          | 2010 |
| Hogs and pigs               | 1867                   | 1,000 Head   | High                              | 1,265        | 1918 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 424          | 1965 |
| Sheep                       | 1867                   | 1,000 Head   | High                              | 2,985        | 1867 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 81           | 2001 |
| Chickens, all               | 1924                   | 1,000 Head   | High                              | 30,619       | 2000 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 13,850       | 1975 |
| Turkeys, raised             | 1929                   | 1,000 Head   | High                              | 12,000       | 2004 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 192          | 1929 |
| Broilers produced           | 1939                   | 1,000 Head   | High                              | 160,900      | 2008 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 2,500        | 1939 |
| Milk                        | 1924                   | Million Lbs. | High                              | 11,156       | 2000 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 4,213        | 1928 |
| Eggs                        | 1924                   | Million Eggs | High                              | 6,976        | 2010 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 1,649        | 1924 |
| Wool                        | 1909                   | 1,000 Lbs.   | High                              | 4,514        | 1911 |
|                             |                        |              | Low                               | 350          | 2009 |

<sup>1</sup> In some cases the record high and/or low is identical for more than one year. In such cases, the year shown is the latest year of occurrence. <sup>2</sup> No significant production due to the severe winter. <sup>3</sup> Peach units were converted from pounds to tons in 2004. <sup>4</sup> Sweet cherry estimates were discontinued in 2005.

