

**Table 22. Cattle and Calves—Inventory: 1982 and 1978**

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

| Item   | 1982   |           | 1978   |           |
|--|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|
|  | Farms  | Number    | Farms  | Number    |
| Cattle and calves                            | 26 579 | 4 612 967 | 22 090 | 4 446 512 |
| Farms with—                                  |        |           |        |           |
| 1 to 9                                       | 9 224  | 42 415    | 5 916  | 26 343    |
| 10 to 19                                     | 4 281  | 57 111    | 3 709  | 50 371    |
| 20 to 49                                     | 4 457  | 135 969   | 3 977  | 122 413   |
| 50 to 99                                     | 2 265  | 155 799   | 2 317  | 158 302   |
| 100 to 199                                   | 1 887  | 259 635   | 1 898  | 263 063   |
| 200 to 499                                   | 2 266  | 713 107   | 2 283  | 725 478   |
| 500 to 999                                   | 1 280  | 880 365   | 1 180  | 304 516   |
| 1,000 to 2,499                               | 694    | 987 275   | 607    | 874 594   |
| 2,500 or more                                | 225    | 1 381 291 | 203    | 1 421 432 |
| Cows and heifers that had calved             | 20 435 | 1 898 365 | 17 318 | 1 687 212 |
| Farms with—                                  |        |           |        |           |
| 1 to 9                                       | 9 138  | 34 050    | 6 679  | 25 748    |
| 10 to 19                                     | 2 613  | 34 690    | 2 350  | 31 391    |
| 20 to 49                                     | 2 736  | 82 909    | 2 590  | 79 473    |
| 50 to 99                                     | 1 580  | 107 464   | 1 605  | 110 807   |
| 100 to 199                                   | 1 566  | 213 781   | 1 566  | 218 031   |
| 200 to 499                                   | 1 835  | 557 048   | 1 750  | 535 096   |
| 500 to 999                                   | 731    | 480 969   | 587    | 381 981   |
| 1,000 or more                                | 236    | 387 454   | 191    | 304 685   |
| Beef cows                                    | 17 199 | 952 164   | 13 895 | 850 537   |
| Farms with—                                  |        |           |        |           |
| 1 to 9                                       | 8 485  | 32 208    | 5 917  | 23 787    |
| 10 to 19                                     | 2 546  | 33 692    | 2 277  | 30 314    |
| 20 to 49                                     | 2 666  | 80 176    | 2 420  | 73 818    |
| 50 to 99                                     | 1 329  | 89 435    | 1 290  | 87 790    |
| 100 to 199                                   | 1 014  | 134 914   | 917    | 124 205   |
| 200 to 499                                   | 795    | 231 363   | 783    | 228 861   |
| 500 to 999                                   | 259    | 170 264   | 197    | 126 759   |
| 1,000 or more                                | 105    | 180 112   | 94     | 155 003   |
| Milk cows                                    | 4 638  | 946 201   | 4 829  | 836 675   |
| Farms with—                                  |        |           |        |           |
| 1 or 2                                       | 1 542  | 2 008     | 1 627  | 2 078     |
| 3 or 4                                       | 231    | 775       | 254    | 843       |
| 5 to 9                                       | 111    | 678       | 147    | 914       |
| 10 to 19                                     | 83     | 1 074     | 92     | 1 222     |
| 20 to 49                                     | 144    | 4 794     | 217    | 7 145     |
| 50 to 99                                     | 293    | 20 976    | 380    | 27 514    |
| 100 to 499                                   | 1 636  | 409 565   | 1 630  | 400 682   |
| 500 or more                                  | 598    | 506 331   | 482    | 396 277   |
| Heifers and heifer calves                    | 19 438 | 1 329 917 | 16 630 | 1 128 274 |
| Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves | 21 970 | 1 384 685 | 18 364 | 1 631 026 |

**Table 23. Cattle and Calves—Sales: 1982 and 1978**

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| Item   | 1982   |           |                 | 1978   |           |                 |
|--|--------|-----------|-----------------|--------|-----------|-----------------|
|  | Farms  | Number    | Value (\$1,000) | Farms  | Number    | Value (\$1,000) |
| Cattle and calves sold                         | 22 947 | 3 338 619 | 1 527 727       | 20 321 | 3 477 491 | 1 434 885       |
| Farms with—                                    |        |           |                 |        |           |                 |
| 1 to 9   | 9 806  | 38 977    | 14 560          | 7 597  | 32 553    | 10 829          |
| 10 to 19                                       | 3 477  | 47 038    | 16 563          | 3 296  | 44 605    | 13 991          |
| 20 to 49                                       | 3 593  | 110 895   | 38 228          | 3 523  | 108 814   | 33 978          |
| 50 to 99                                       | 2 069  | 143 237   | 48 545          | 2 116  | 145 972   | 44 204          |
| 100 to 199                                     | 1 627  | 224 970   | 75 376          | 1 598  | 221 846   | 67 655          |
| 200 to 499                                     | 1 509  | 461 348   | 149 886         | 1 362  | 409 692   | 126 332         |
| 500 to 999                                     | 507    | 336 122   | 118 055         | 468    | 317 159   | 102 134         |
| 1,000 to 2,499                                 | 223    | 334 639   | 141 362         | 206    | 299 581   | 115 205         |
| 2,500 or more                                  | 136    | 1 641 393 | 925 151         | 155    | 1 897 269 | 920 559         |
| Cattle sold                                    | 19 752 | 2 680 613 | 1 430 308       | 17 223 | 2 828 736 | 1 334 077       |
| Farms with—                                    |        |           |                 |        |           |                 |
| 1 to 9   | 9 774  | 35 677    | 15 489          | 7 695  | 30 281    | 11 713          |
| 10 to 19                                       | 2 759  | 36 963    | 15 712          | 2 612  | 34 915    | 13 056          |
| 20 to 49                                       | 2 914  | 89 683    | 38 669          | 2 806  | 86 813    | 33 901          |
| 50 to 99                                       | 1 635  | 111 131   | 50 309          | 1 573  | 107 420   | 43 704          |
| 100 to 199                                     | 1 218  | 164 930   | 76 056          | 1 114  | 151 311   | 62 657          |
| 200 to 499                                     | 900    | 269 411   | 122 445         | 851    | 248 619   | 103 821         |
| 500 to 999                                     | 275    | 182 234   | 86 569          | 283    | 191 784   | 79 924          |
| 1,000 or more                                  | 277    | 1 790 584 | 1 025 039       | 289    | 1 977 593 | 965 301         |
| Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates sold | 3 784  | 1 343 018 | 824 033         | 2 880  | 1 526 206 | 804 966         |
| Farms with—                                    |        |           |                 |        |           |                 |
| 1 to 9   | 2 930  | 7 908     | 4 098           | 2 092  | 6 258     | 2 666           |
| 10 to 19                                       | 258    | 3 310     | 1 641           | 211    | 2 709     | 1 064           |
| 20 to 49                                       | 214    | 6 311     | 3 273           | 193    | 5 650     | 2 348           |
| 50 to 99                                       | 98     | 6 538     | 3 495           | 110    | 7 855     | 3 344           |
| 100 to 199                                     | 87     | 11 446    | 6 164           | 75     | 10 088    | 4 484           |
| 200 to 499                                     | 76     | 23 586    | 12 702          | 66     | 19 732    | 9 080           |
| 500 to 999                                     | 28     | 19 577    | 11 067          | 24     | 17 056    | 8 666           |
| 1,000 to 2,499                                 | 34     | 54 206    | 33 815          | 34     | 57 740    | 29 349          |
| 2,500 or more                                  | 59     | 1 210 136 | 747 780         | 75     | 1 399 118 | 743 965         |
| Calves sold                                    | 11 844 | 658 006   | 97 419          | 10 815 | 648 755   | 100 809         |
| Farms with—                                    |        |           |                 |        |           |                 |
| 1 or 2   | 2 316  | 3 377     | 729             | 1 878  | 2 777     | 559             |
| 3 or 4   | 1 522  | 5 242     | 1 143           | 1 234  | 4 289     | 901             |
| 5 to 9   | 1 876  | 12 150    | 2 726           | 1 789  | 11 814    | 2 472           |
| 10 to 19                                       | 1 660  | 22 025    | 4 605           | 1 621  | 21 592    | 4 471           |
| 20 to 49                                       | 1 806  | 54 470    | 10 435          | 1 798  | 55 067    | 9 835           |
| 50 to 99                                       | 1 023  | 69 303    | 10 948          | 1 083  | 73 767    | 10 479          |
| 100 to 499                                     | 1 459  | 292 052   | 34 799          | 1 252  | 243 137   | 29 361          |
| 500 or more                                    | 182    | 199 387   | 32 034          | 160    | 236 312   | 42 730          |