

**Table 28. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales by Size of Cow Herd: 1987**

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

Cows and heifers that had calved	Cattle and calves inventory								Cattle and calves sales		
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved		Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves		Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Total inventory -----	28 166	4 007 599	28 166	1 928 759	23 806	1 045 696	25 172	1 033 144	27 713	2 479 327	1 300 811
Farms with—											
1 to 4 -----	1 684	24 198	1 684	4 217	1 194	9 630	1 195	10 351	1 273	27 260	15 395
5 to 9 -----	2 180	41 719	2 180	15 167	1 801	12 431	1 888	14 121	2 141	34 201	16 912
10 to 19 -----	4 631	151 470	4 631	64 562	3 930	41 903	4 166	45 005	4 631	100 118	49 209
20 to 29 -----	4 145	213 902	4 145	97 572	3 496	57 782	3 716	58 548	4 143	135 628	67 924
30 to 49 -----	4 996	397 163	4 996	187 934	4 242	102 212	4 547	107 017	4 996	243 455	123 304
50 to 99 -----	5 469	770 937	5 469	371 273	4 720	199 145	5 009	200 519	5 469	454 447	230 147
100 to 199 -----	3 112	831 650	3 112	409 441	2 706	213 746	2 861	208 463	3 111	490 701	251 851
200 to 499 -----	1 598	943 151	1 598	459 037	1 413	246 414	1 480	237 700	1 598	573 229	303 312
500 to 999 -----	263	323 258	263	169 047	228	84 843	232	69 368	263	197 096	105 022
1,000 or more -----	88	310 151	88	150 509	76	77 590	78	82 052	88	223 192	137 736
No inventory -----	6 535	1 831 207	(X)	(X)	4 151	708 009	4 872	1 123 198	7 778	3 408 865	2 264 083

**Table 29. Cattle and Calves—Inventory and Sales by Size of Beef Cow Herd: 1987**

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

Beef cows	Cattle and calves inventory									
	Total		Cows and heifers that had calved				Heifers and heifer calves		Steers, steer calves, bulls, and bull calves	
			Total		Beef cows					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Total inventory -----	26 452	3 850 592	26 452	1 853 297	26 452	1 823 591	22 399	995 017	23 876	1 002 278
Farms with—										
1 to 4 -----	1 508	23 233	1 508	5 528	1 508	3 912	1 113	9 340	1 101	8 365
5 to 9 -----	2 152	44 558	2 152	16 622	2 152	14 973	1 793	13 446	1 881	14 490
10 to 19 -----	4 523	154 397	4 523	66 922	4 523	62 957	3 844	42 281	4 084	45 194
20 to 29 -----	3 977	211 400	3 977	96 779	3 977	93 382	3 363	56 577	3 605	58 044
30 to 49 -----	4 576	371 344	4 576	175 667	4 576	171 500	3 882	93 855	4 210	101 822
50 to 99 -----	4 926	709 435	4 926	340 669	4 926	333 667	4 231	178 919	4 579	189 847
100 to 199 -----	2 891	783 680	2 891	384 894	2 891	379 741	2 505	198 767	2 673	200 019
200 to 499 -----	1 550	921 643	1 550	448 010	1 550	445 619	1 366	240 474	1 435	233 159
500 to 999 -----	261	320 751	261	167 697	261	167 389	226	83 768	230	69 286
1,000 or more -----	88	310 151	88	150 509	88	150 451	76	77 590	78	82 052
No inventory -----	8 249	1 988 214	1 714	75 462	(X)	(X)	5 558	758 688	6 168	1 154 064

  

Beef cows	Cattle and calves sales											
	Total			Cattle						Calves		
				Total			Fattened on grain and concentrates					
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Total inventory -----	26 081	2 411 777	1 270 408	21 570	1 980 248	1 120 905	6 193	887 640	588 316	10 863	431 529	149 503
Farms with—												
1 to 4 -----	1 166	24 436	13 784	949	21 622	12 943	260	10 608	7 460	446	2 814	841
5 to 9 -----	2 125	34 366	16 994	1 655	27 379	14 766	401	10 019	6 439	951	6 987	2 229
10 to 19 -----	4 523	100 747	49 476	3 538	76 927	41 802	948	33 823	21 790	1 979	23 820	7 675
20 to 29 -----	3 975	134 051	67 272	3 208	104 121	57 497	1 002	47 004	31 392	1 698	29 930	9 775
30 to 49 -----	4 576	232 612	118 165	3 786	183 231	101 755	1 193	87 793	57 628	1 942	49 381	16 410
50 to 99 -----	4 926	429 482	219 775	4 162	338 633	188 076	1 198	142 112	94 391	2 054	90 849	31 699
100 to 199 -----	2 891	472 316	243 192	2 536	380 860	211 093	734	155 344	102 411	1 142	91 456	32 099
200 to 499 -----	1 550	563 920	299 238	1 409	478 394	268 890	366	212 822	137 372	548	85 526	30 347
500 to 999 -----	261	196 655	104 776	245	168 158	94 703	61	57 210	37 472	79	28 497	10 073
1,000 or more -----	88	223 192	137 736	82	200 923	129 380	30	130 905	91 960	24	22 269	8 356
No inventory -----	9 410	3 476 415	2 294 487	8 397	3 403 835	2 273 618	3 635	2 943 286	2 030 224	2 463	72 580	20 869