

Table 25. Cattle and Calves—Sales: 1997 and 1992

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

Number sold	1997			1992		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Cattle and calves	15 124	3 751 788	2 537 589	14 439	3 569 739	2 570 192
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	4 014	18 576	8 636	3 431	15 359	7 630
10 to 19	2 416	33 370	14 775	2 266	31 393	15 145
20 to 49	3 395	108 077	47 810	3 272	103 423	49 977
50 to 99	2 181	152 414	68 570	2 208	153 744	77 622
100 to 199	1 475	201 989	95 861	1 423	194 149	100 558
200 to 499	1 045	315 387	155 580	1 187	352 228	190 918
500 to 999	306	206 438	112 618	325	211 783	125 868
1,000 to 2,499	181	262 173	151 830	186	270 166	177 625
2,500 to 4,999	46	153 136	96 340	70	242 129	176 774
5,000 or more	65	2 300 228	1 785 570	71	1 995 365	1 648 073
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	12 399	3 414 356	2 436 288	12 076	3 247 905	2 454 332
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	3 934	16 724	8 956	3 653	14 949	8 380
10 to 19	1 889	25 639	12 987	1 859	25 435	13 775
20 to 49	2 551	80 799	40 183	2 484	77 941	42 339
50 to 99	1 629	113 708	57 275	1 590	109 604	61 953
100 to 199	1 125	152 782	80 380	1 067	144 248	83 051
200 to 499	791	237 426	129 861	861	255 205	153 414
500 to 999	227	152 502	94 341	261	169 303	110 259
1,000 to 2,499	151	217 963	138 896	165	241 602	168 430
2,500 to 4,999	38	127 595	88 854	67	230 016	171 728
5,000 or more	64	2 289 218	1 784 555	69	1 979 602	1 641 004
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates for slaughter	1 626	2 432 312	1 900 247	1 744	2 285 931	1 888 414
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	971	2 956	2 232	882	2 425	1 709
10 to 19	119	1 513	1 086	146	1 940	1 200
20 to 49	102	3 184	2 196	162	4 914	3 205
50 to 99	99	6 879	4 601	111	7 514	5 273
100 to 199	68	9 468	6 832	93	12 683	8 530
200 to 499	87	27 787	20 826	124	35 746	26 112
500 to 999	48	33 771	25 210	55	37 400	29 476
1,000 to 2,499	55	89 726	67 703	64	100 634	80 066
2,500 to 4,999	23	79 729	59 775	45	155 237	126 052
5,000 or more	54	2 177 299	1 709 785	62	1 927 438	1 606 791
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	6 690	337 432	101 301	6 793	321 834	115 860
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	2 651	11 091	3 434	2 446	9 890	3 505
10 to 19	1 131	15 426	4 955	1 229	16 447	5 967
20 to 49	1 479	45 298	14 825	1 553	47 381	17 520
50 to 99	708	48 241	15 940	795	54 211	20 351
100 to 199	394	53 309	17 850	458	61 078	23 477
200 to 499	248	70 849	22 093	253	72 902	26 165
500 to 999	53	35 816	10 179	50	32 977	10 705
1,000 or more	26	57 402	12 024	9	26 948	8 170

Table 26. Cattle and Calves Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 1997

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Herd size	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	15 592	3 307 301	12 610	998 508	11 697	1 021 657	13 125	1 287 136	14 492	3 670 155	2 492 890
Farms with herd size of—											
1 to 9	2 638	13 018	1 444	4 655	1 428	3 442	1 863	4 921	1 552	18 511	8 369
10 to 19	2 089	28 631	1 698	13 861	1 503	6 734	1 752	8 036	2 089	22 128	10 229
20 to 49	3 429	109 509	2 949	59 927	2 555	24 685	2 875	24 897	3 428	70 215	31 896
50 to 99	2 566	177 515	2 288	98 546	2 075	39 800	2 243	39 169	2 566	107 433	48 557
100 to 199	2 050	281 813	1 849	156 610	1 679	62 191	1 825	63 012	2 050	173 803	79 548
200 to 499	1 775	533 704	1 560	269 312	1 526	131 947	1 600	132 445	1 774	355 058	177 395
500 to 999	629	425 544	545	189 286	558	127 791	573	108 467	625	295 746	159 030
1,000 to 2,499	307	451 239	232	146 230	270	145 110	289	159 899	304	416 869	268 189
2,500 to 4,999	54	184 815	34	47 242	50	71 219	51	66 354	51	161 945	99 425
5,000 or more	55	1 101 513	11	12 839	53	408 738	54	679 936	53	2 048 447	1 610 255
No cattle and calves herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	632	81 633	44 698