

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 | 23 622 | 949 478 | 546 901 | 26 419 | 1 130 433 | 725 634 |
| Farms by number sold— | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 8 165 | 40 353 | 18 836 | 9 120 | 44 488 | 22 506 |
| 10 to 19 | 5 763 | 77 916 | 35 513 | 6 454 | 87 692 | 44 212 |
| 20 to 49 | 6 032 | 179 997 | 86 002 | 6 766 | 201 969 | 105 614 |
| 50 to 99 | 2 170 | 144 500 | 75 368 | 2 205 | 147 100 | 83 748 |
| 100 to 199 | 855 | 113 683 | 67 512 | 981 | 131 157 | 85 787 |
| 200 to 499 | 443 | 131 869 | 85 416 | 591 | 172 561 | 124 579 |
| 500 to 999 | 119 | 82 452 | 57 198 | 192 | 128 463 | 97 068 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 60 | 85 905 | 60 502 | 86 | 120 480 | 88 485 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 9 | 30 811 | 21 686 | 20 | 68 139 | 52 943 |
| 5,000 or more | 6 | 61 992 | 38 868 | 4 | 28 384 | 20 694 |
| Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more | 18 576 | 760 998 | 497 949 | 21 711 | 928 781 | 666 281 |
| Farms by number sold— | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 7 729 | 34 116 | 18 903 | 8 940 | 39 484 | 23 411 |
| 10 to 19 | 4 055 | 54 461 | 30 462 | 5 001 | 67 275 | 40 127 |
| 20 to 49 | 4 053 | 120 400 | 70 527 | 4 660 | 138 008 | 87 024 |
| 50 to 99 | 1 501 | 99 802 | 62 584 | 1 532 | 102 427 | 69 771 |
| 100 to 199 | 695 | 92 786 | 61 721 | 770 | 103 721 | 76 568 |
| 200 to 499 | 362 | 109 064 | 78 890 | 526 | 152 713 | 117 185 |
| 500 to 999 | 107 | 74 890 | 54 122 | 182 | 122 277 | 95 112 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 60 | 86 676 | 61 570 | 76 | 106 358 | 83 448 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 8 | 26 811 | 20 300 | 20 | 68 134 | 52 942 |
| 5,000 or more | 6 | 61 992 | 38 868 | 4 | 28 384 | 20 694 |
| Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates for slaughter | 7 645 | 449 549 | 337 592 | 10 589 | 649 114 | 509 368 |
| Farms by number sold— | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 2 915 | 11 990 | 8 328 | 4 122 | 17 852 | 12 220 |
| 10 to 19 | 1 495 | 19 921 | 13 908 | 2 133 | 28 809 | 20 236 |
| 20 to 49 | 1 682 | 50 738 | 36 461 | 2 264 | 67 339 | 49 379 |
| 50 to 99 | 755 | 51 406 | 37 314 | 874 | 59 158 | 45 166 |
| 100 to 199 | 381 | 51 621 | 38 522 | 529 | 72 307 | 56 932 |
| 200 to 499 | 279 | 84 861 | 64 766 | 419 | 122 919 | 97 786 |
| 500 to 999 | 84 | 59 622 | 45 981 | 162 | 108 874 | 87 071 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 42 | 60 505 | 46 456 | 66 | 91 779 | 74 536 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 8 | 24 935 | 20 136 | 17 | 58 093 | 48 556 |
| 5,000 or more | 4 | 33 950 | 25 721 | 3 | 21 984 | 17 487 |
| Calves weighing less than 500 pounds | 10 463 | 188 480 | 48 952 | 11 328 | 201 652 | 59 353 |
| Farms by number sold— | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 4 823 | 21 831 | 6 137 | 5 523 | 24 375 | 7 516 |
| 10 to 19 | 2 771 | 36 570 | 10 076 | 2 849 | 37 711 | 11 456 |
| 20 to 49 | 2 227 | 63 773 | 16 667 | 2 300 | 65 352 | 18 636 |
| 50 to 99 | 466 | 30 017 | 7 715 | 468 | 30 183 | 8 445 |
| 100 to 199 | 114 | 15 148 | 3 860 | 127 | 16 178 | 4 855 |
| 200 to 499 | 58 | 16 657 | 3 884 | 44 | 12 372 | 3 550 |
| 500 to 999 | 2 | (D) | (D) | 9 | 5 344 | 1 847 |
| 1,000 or more | 2 | (D) | (D) | 8 | 10 137 | 3 047 |

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

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

| 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 | 24 452 | 1 437 697 | 19 492 | 580 829 | 17 944 | 399 548 | 20 935 | 457 320 | 22 795 | 915 932 | 526 494 |
| Farms with herd size of— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 to 9 | 4 541 | 24 078 | 2 527 | 8 707 | 2 345 | 5 944 | 3 322 | 9 427 | 2 888 | 19 061 | 9 387 |
| 10 to 19 | 4 643 | 64 923 | 3 747 | 30 935 | 3 199 | 14 451 | 3 979 | 19 537 | 4 643 | 43 314 | 20 269 |
| 20 to 49 | 7 347 | 231 561 | 6 392 | 113 717 | 5 706 | 51 766 | 6 651 | 66 078 | 7 347 | 138 432 | 66 696 |
| 50 to 99 | 4 083 | 279 893 | 3 624 | 131 060 | 3 415 | 69 325 | 3 678 | 79 508 | 4 083 | 142 154 | 72 783 |
| 100 to 199 | 2 583 | 347 862 | 2 277 | 152 741 | 2 247 | 99 517 | 2 252 | 95 604 | 2 583 | 175 568 | 95 542 |
| 200 to 499 | 1 041 | 293 499 | 817 | 104 734 | 876 | 95 442 | 877 | 93 323 | 1 039 | 177 373 | 113 125 |
| 500 to 999 | 171 | 114 353 | 91 | 26 125 | 124 | 38 603 | 136 | 49 625 | 170 | 125 211 | 84 090 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 34 | 48 331 | 14 | 8 270 | 26 | 19 853 | 31 | 20 208 | 34 | 60 872 | 36 727 |
| 2,500 to 4,999 | 8 | (D) | 2 | (D) | 5 | (D) | 8 | (D) | 8 | 33 947 | 27 876 |
| 5,000 or more | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | — | — | — |
| No cattle and calves herd as of Dec. 31, 1997 | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | (X) | 827 | 33 546 | 20 407 |