

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	15 980	979 199	480 260	15 608	899 088	483 601
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	8 052	33 569	15 120	7 891	31 881	15 116
10 to 19	2 597	35 176	14 661	2 597	34 708	15 583
20 to 49	2 331	70 838	29 784	2 274	70 758	32 247
50 to 99	1 259	86 599	37 515	1 188	81 704	37 280
100 to 199	806	110 879	49 186	807	111 570	54 523
200 to 499	637	192 621	87 179	568	172 242	86 691
500 to 999	188	124 977	60 832	193	129 427	65 901
1,000 to 2,499	91	127 245	65 691	73	102 999	56 793
2,500 to 4,999	11	41 068	23 892	9	28 216	19 088
5,000 or more	8	156 227	96 401	8	135 583	100 381
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	13 216	777 432	422 086	13 671	694 416	417 093
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	7 405	28 344	14 667	7 860	28 975	15 243
10 to 19	1 839	24 456	11 971	1 949	25 985	13 422
20 to 49	1 788	53 893	26 013	1 809	55 012	28 917
50 to 99	911	63 062	30 848	861	58 209	31 417
100 to 199	572	78 010	39 673	577	79 084	44 291
200 to 499	467	140 973	71 339	410	125 253	70 310
500 to 999	148	98 832	52 650	139	94 263	52 361
1,000 to 2,499	69	99 189	57 783	50	69 099	44 298
2,500 to 4,999	9	34 446	20 740	8	25 006	17 461
5,000 or more	8	156 227	96 401	8	133 530	99 373
Cattle fattened on grain and concentrates for slaughter	1 965	154 234	103 186	2 427	131 876	105 020
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	1 716	4 741	3 244	2 033	5 442	3 311
10 to 19	89	1 113	(D)	140	1 816	(D)
20 to 49	71	1 984	1 236	112	3 253	1 812
50 to 99	31	2 107	1 329	54	3 659	2 711
100 to 199	23	3 521	2 458	46	5 978	4 359
200 to 499	17	5 049	3 483	24	8 329	5 920
500 to 999	9	5 893	4 375	6	(D)	2 347
1,000 to 2,499	3	(D)	4 145	7	11 716	8 771
2,500 to 4,999	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	(D)
5,000 or more	5	120 531	78 899	4	83 598	69 853
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	6 906	201 767	58 174	6 747	204 672	66 508
Farms by number sold—						
1 to 9	4 092	15 185	4 138	3 935	13 815	4 294
10 to 19	1 056	13 979	3 955	993	12 992	4 059
20 to 49	877	26 198	7 617	926	27 991	8 339
50 to 99	430	28 671	8 493	438	29 413	8 532
100 to 199	246	33 115	9 380	247	31 990	10 306
200 to 499	155	43 450	13 092	156	45 690	16 252
500 to 999	36	23 249	6 945	39	24 850	8 540
1,000 or more	14	17 920	4 555	13	17 931	6 186

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	17 122	1 559 162	13 954	782 382	12 545	416 701	14 307	360 079	15 067	951 940	467 916
Farms with herd size of—											
1 to 9	5 952	29 871	3 921	11 916	3 162	7 013	4 399	10 942	3 918	19 213	8 369
10 to 19	3 206	43 353	2 759	19 907	2 528	10 823	2 824	12 623	3 201	25 475	10 795
20 to 49	3 410	103 743	3 050	53 572	2 811	25 042	3 015	25 129	3 402	57 534	24 202
50 to 99	1 628	111 870	1 489	61 311	1 396	26 708	1 458	23 851	1 627	67 391	28 476
100 to 199	1 250	171 435	1 158	93 273	1 113	43 947	1 113	34 215	1 246	102 494	47 972
200 to 499	1 016	315 705	958	177 404	916	79 752	885	58 549	1 014	175 498	78 359
500 to 999	437	303 690	421	167 488	410	77 210	399	58 992	437	161 815	76 401
1,000 to 2,499	183	274 924	166	133 649	171	71 114	175	70 161	182	148 750	75 722
2,500 to 4,999	32	103 796	29	45 915	30	34 256	32	23 625	32	59 680	30 922
5,000 or more	8	100 775	3	17 947	8	40 836	7	41 992	8	134 090	86 698
No cattle and calves herd as of Dec. 31, 1997	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	913	27 259	12 344