

**Table 12. Cattle and Calves - Inventory: 2002 and 1997**

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Item	2002		1997		Item	2002		1997	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Cattle and calves	13,311	2,656,351	15,957	3,262,093	Cattle and calves - Con.				
Farms with-					Cows and heifers that had calved - Con.				
1 to 9	3,252	15,353	2,995	14,726	Milk cows	616	98,587	820	79,304
10 to 19	1,926	26,249	2,231	30,532	Farms with-				
20 to 49	2,997	94,112	3,509	112,055	1 to 9	421	885	497	1,061
50 to 99	1,741	121,413	2,538	174,924	10 to 19	17	194	36	453
100 to 199	1,479	203,188	1,978	271,284	20 to 49	21	662	61	1,929
200 to 499	1,120	338,206	1,671	501,529	50 to 99	26	1,968	49	3,349
500 to 999	464	317,238	617	417,476	100 to 199	28	3,996	61	7,695
1,000 to 2,499	221	316,775	309	453,239	200 to 499	46	15,566	78	24,502
2,500 to 4,999	59	190,344	54	184,815	500 to 999	30	21,527	26	17,278
5,000 or more	52	1,033,473	55	1,101,513	1,000 or more	27	53,789	12	23,037
Cows and heifers that had calved	11,052	818,987	12,743	969,844	Other cattle (see text)	11,127	1,837,364	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with-					Farms with-				
1 to 9	3,097	13,420	3,105	13,971	1 to 9	5,008	19,491	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19	1,747	23,764	1,921	26,204	10 to 19	1,793	24,074	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49	2,543	78,113	3,134	97,639	20 to 49	1,809	55,365	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99	1,535	105,251	1,950	132,144	50 to 99	977	66,940	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199	1,144	154,545	1,430	190,660	100 to 199	601	81,628	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499	747	217,140	914	265,466	200 to 499	512	152,622	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999	177	115,238	228	146,844	500 to 999	224	149,554	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499	49	67,372	53	73,037	1,000 to 2,499	120	177,883	(NA)	(NA)
2,500 or more	13	44,144	8	23,879	2,500 or more	83	1,109,807	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	10,801	720,400	12,369	890,540	Cattle on feed (see text)	981	1,102,760	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with-					Farms with-				
1 to 9	3,021	13,110	2,999	13,628	1 to 9	467	1,691	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19	1,732	23,570	1,907	26,014	10 to 19	96	1,231	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49	2,537	77,876	3,098	96,530	20 to 49	66	1,924	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99	1,519	104,002	1,906	128,932	50 to 99	76	5,099	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199	1,109	149,641	1,370	182,831	100 to 199	55	7,633	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499	700	201,165	840	241,722	200 to 499	74	22,825	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999	149	94,802	202	129,414	500 to 999	38	25,633	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499	29	40,054	42	56,384	1,000 to 2,499	48	72,960	(NA)	(NA)
2,500 or more	5	16,180	5	15,085	2,500 or more	61	963,764	(NA)	(NA)

**Table 13. Cattle and Calves - Sales: 2002 and 1997**

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Number sold	2002			1997		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Cattle and calves	11,877	3,625,015	2,632,740	15,324	3,729,024	2,530,329
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	3,151	13,624	7,469	4,305	19,643	9,132
10 to 19	1,668	22,760	11,443	2,478	34,229	15,257
20 to 49	2,405	75,864	36,987	3,395	107,675	47,794
50 to 99	1,682	117,408	57,016	2,126	148,209	66,900
100 to 199	1,353	186,141	91,704	1,411	192,921	92,023
200 to 499	995	300,510	154,990	1,011	305,460	151,567
500 to 999	326	219,969	122,420	307	207,150	114,027
1,000 to 2,499	187	273,031	179,412	180	260,373	151,720
2,500 to 4,999	39	128,899	91,506	46	153,136	96,340
5,000 or more	71	2,286,809	1,879,793	65	2,300,228	1,785,570
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	10,458	3,274,331	(NA)	12,540	3,401,534	2,431,556
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	3,500	14,248	(NA)	4,152	17,433	9,374
10 to 19	1,539	20,745	(NA)	1,927	26,163	13,362
20 to 49	1,981	61,234	(NA)	2,539	80,275	39,997
50 to 99	1,347	93,382	(NA)	1,593	110,924	56,010
100 to 199	928	126,841	(NA)	1,078	146,324	77,530
200 to 499	682	201,485	(NA)	768	231,037	127,095
500 to 999	230	153,068	(NA)	230	154,602	95,884
1,000 to 2,499	150	223,602	(NA)	151	217,963	138,896
2,500 to 4,999	34	116,608	(NA)	38	127,595	88,854
5,000 or more	67	2,263,118	(NA)	64	2,289,218	1,784,555
Cattle on feed (see text)	1,667	2,452,462	(NA)	1,696	2,433,881	1,901,583
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	887	2,995	(NA)	1,036	3,139	2,367
10 to 19	187	2,412	(NA)	120	1,522	1,099
20 to 49	123	3,840	(NA)	105	3,255	2,245
50 to 99	98	6,607	(NA)	99	6,870	4,655
100 to 199	84	11,200	(NA)	66	9,183	6,720
200 to 499	93	28,487	(NA)	88	27,987	21,006
500 to 999	59	39,324	(NA)	50	35,171	26,228
1,000 to 2,499	55	85,672	(NA)	55	89,726	67,703
2,500 to 4,999	21	69,849	(NA)	23	79,729	59,775
5,000 or more	60	2,202,076	(NA)	54	2,207,299	1,709,785
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	6,285	350,684	(NA)	6,746	327,490	98,774
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	2,013	8,366	(NA)	2,797	11,534	3,561
10 to 19	1,105	14,817	(NA)	1,129	15,384	4,924
20 to 49	1,503	45,434	(NA)	1,447	44,113	14,444
50 to 99	799	54,555	(NA)	678	46,119	15,263
100 to 199	476	63,233	(NA)	376	50,765	16,927
200 to 499	305	86,692	(NA)	243	69,545	21,695
500 to 999	66	43,120	(NA)	51	34,428	10,046
1,000 or more	18	34,467	(NA)	25	55,602	11,914