

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	25,083	6,202,947	30,214	6,730,153	Cattle and calves - Con.				
Farms with-					Cows and heifers that had calved - Con.				
1 to 9	2,110	10,868	2,362	12,446	Milk cows	866	66,926	1,385	68,872
10 to 19	2,254	31,446	2,805	38,969	Farms with-				
20 to 49	5,588	182,616	6,994	226,395	1 to 9	304	679	411	1,126
50 to 99	5,025	355,209	6,223	433,784	10 to 19	33	460	110	1,508
100 to 199	4,305	592,795	5,337	724,909	20 to 49	157	5,390	352	11,781
200 to 499	3,626	1,099,975	4,262	1,278,274	50 to 99	203	14,013	325	21,869
500 to 999	1,244	838,916	1,297	867,314	100 to 199	121	15,961	146	18,613
1,000 to 2,499	619	911,041	628	916,740	200 to 499	31	8,292	36	9,647
2,500 to 4,999	171	587,272	170	578,762	500 to 999	10	6,668	4	(D)
5,000 or more	141	1,592,809	136	1,652,560	1,000 or more	7	15,463	1	(D)
Cows and heifers that had calved	21,419	1,982,033	25,187	2,026,606	Other cattle (see text)	22,544	4,220,914	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with-					Farms with-				
1 to 9	2,428	12,364	3,099	15,777	1 to 9	5,575	22,507	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19	2,873	39,783	3,823	52,618	10 to 19	3,180	43,654	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49	6,249	199,345	7,546	236,030	20 to 49	4,984	158,077	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99	4,409	302,727	5,137	346,630	50 to 99	3,270	224,419	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199	3,088	413,833	3,274	430,972	100 to 199	2,460	335,652	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499	1,833	528,996	1,823	515,709	200 to 499	1,771	530,490	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999	417	269,791	378	240,295	500 to 999	691	457,925	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499	102	138,801	95	132,614	1,000 to 2,499	355	529,855	(NA)	(NA)
2,500 or more	20	76,393	12	55,961	2,500 or more	258	1,918,335	(NA)	(NA)
Beef cows	20,991	1,915,107	24,513	1,957,734	Cattle on feed (see text)	3,592	2,452,608	(NA)	(NA)
Farms with-					Farms with-				
1 to 9	2,399	12,262	3,059	15,619	1 to 9	512	2,266	(NA)	(NA)
10 to 19	2,882	39,859	3,839	52,721	10 to 19	298	3,987	(NA)	(NA)
20 to 49	6,194	197,211	7,387	230,262	20 to 49	561	17,691	(NA)	(NA)
50 to 99	4,239	290,511	4,885	329,502	50 to 99	559	38,490	(NA)	(NA)
100 to 199	2,974	398,624	3,102	407,276	100 to 199	545	73,672	(NA)	(NA)
200 to 499	1,783	515,127	1,763	499,153	200 to 499	473	142,523	(NA)	(NA)
500 to 999	405	261,786	372	236,699	500 to 999	258	174,950	(NA)	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499	96	127,334	94	130,541	1,000 to 2,499	165	262,495	(NA)	(NA)
2,500 or more	19	72,393	12	55,961	2,500 or more	221	1,736,534	(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	23,416	7,351,398	5,401,018	30,380	7,160,738	4,967,832
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	2,801	14,248	7,970	4,773	24,920	11,717
10 to 19	3,007	41,850	22,692	4,772	65,810	30,421
20 to 49	5,875	188,100	103,469	8,151	257,516	121,880
50 to 99	4,450	309,121	173,604	5,389	371,898	184,908
100 to 199	3,244	445,013	251,881	3,459	467,988	249,074
200 to 499	2,304	694,163	432,165	2,366	701,038	403,005
500 to 999	899	601,745	401,088	737	493,795	308,267
1,000 to 2,499	462	701,002	507,002	389	580,529	396,902
2,500 to 4,999	142	488,741	389,248	143	485,236	354,757
5,000 or more	232	3,867,415	3,101,900	201	3,712,008	2,906,900
Cattle, including calves weighing 500 pounds or more	20,982	6,931,613	(NA)	25,146	6,672,715	4,807,627
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	3,193	15,331	(NA)	4,809	23,113	12,144
10 to 19	2,809	38,793	(NA)	3,790	51,926	27,195
20 to 49	5,134	163,924	(NA)	6,329	200,253	105,644
50 to 99	3,623	250,806	(NA)	4,108	283,461	156,051
100 to 199	2,641	360,903	(NA)	2,795	378,433	219,562
200 to 499	1,976	592,943	(NA)	1,986	589,861	363,493
500 to 999	808	538,375	(NA)	628	421,752	284,095
1,000 to 2,499	435	658,556	(NA)	359	538,457	382,669
2,500 to 4,999	134	464,343	(NA)	142	480,484	352,968
5,000 or more	229	3,847,639	(NA)	200	3,704,975	2,903,806
Cattle on feed (see text)	4,623	4,995,386	(NA)	5,865	4,869,987	3,822,161
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	789	3,349	(NA)	1,235	4,734	3,444
10 to 19	419	5,628	(NA)	636	8,607	6,243
20 to 49	687	21,544	(NA)	1,132	35,191	26,047
50 to 99	642	44,545	(NA)	773	53,861	40,584
100 to 199	634	86,790	(NA)	651	88,726	67,691
200 to 499	593	179,546	(NA)	641	192,534	149,997
500 to 999	296	202,151	(NA)	269	181,458	143,013
1,000 to 2,499	248	384,655	(NA)	224	341,365	269,730
2,500 to 4,999	100	364,124	(NA)	115	383,634	297,745
5,000 or more	215	3,703,054	(NA)	189	3,579,877	2,817,667
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	8,507	419,785	(NA)	10,891	488,023	160,205
Farms by number sold-						
1 to 9	2,392	10,513	(NA)	3,203	14,358	4,710
10 to 19	1,645	21,579	(NA)	2,242	30,215	10,054
20 to 49	2,360	70,866	(NA)	2,930	88,630	29,359
50 to 99	1,176	79,760	(NA)	1,418	95,769	32,997
100 to 199	564	72,586	(NA)	694	91,752	31,618
200 to 499	286	80,890	(NA)	310	90,635	29,730
500 to 999	64	43,519	(NA)	72	46,330	13,330
1,000 or more	20	40,072	(NA)	22	30,334	8,406