

Table 14. Cattle and Calves Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 2012

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

Herd size	Cattle and calves inventory						Cattle and calves sales		
	Total		Cows and heifers that calved		Other cattle (see text)		Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Total	29,908	3,494,084	23,442	1,518,396	26,802	1,975,688	24,684	1,739,698	1,370,660
Farms with herd size of-									
1 to 9	5,732	27,835	3,367	11,843	4,163	15,992	3,081	23,081	20,811
10 to 19	3,959	54,491	2,974	24,841	3,347	29,650	2,995	29,892	25,831
20 to 49	6,152	195,718	4,996	93,401	5,496	102,317	5,279	93,017	80,252
50 to 99	5,183	369,155	4,471	172,877	5,023	196,278	4,766	165,972	136,064
100 to 199	4,844	656,468	4,372	294,436	4,787	362,032	4,645	250,780	205,998
200 to 499	2,776	820,118	2,284	320,503	2,743	499,615	2,677	378,325	318,576
500 to 999	876	593,790	652	225,046	866	368,744	859	331,552	279,046
1,000 to 2,499	309	451,792	261	210,044	305	241,748	307	269,768	172,397
2,500 to 4,999	57	191,704	50	103,333	52	88,371	55	111,378	69,216
5,000 or more	20	133,013	15	62,072	20	70,941	20	85,933	62,467
No cattle and calves herd, as of Dec. 31, 2012	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	930	44,999	46,221

Table 15. Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 2012

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

Cow herd ¹	Cattle and calves inventory						Cattle and calves sales		
	Total		Cows and heifers that calved		Other cattle (see text)		Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Total	23,442	2,900,584	23,442	1,518,396	20,336	1,382,188	19,916	1,133,243	779,006
Farms with cow herd size of-									
1 to 9	5,957	80,128	5,957	26,582	4,388	53,546	3,841	48,088	40,576
10 to 19	3,533	102,293	3,533	47,815	2,921	54,478	2,968	46,147	38,918
20 to 49	5,989	377,625	5,989	195,219	5,333	182,406	5,369	149,010	120,758
50 to 99	4,820	647,043	4,820	320,108	4,660	326,935	4,647	221,863	168,787
100 to 199	1,866	500,384	1,866	246,574	1,809	253,810	1,828	170,433	136,482
200 to 499	879	494,161	879	258,888	846	235,273	867	178,244	114,480
500 to 999	265	296,809	265	172,304	255	124,505	265	122,227	66,813
1,000 to 2,499	107	263,513	107	152,090	103	111,423	105	112,936	58,558
2,500 or more	26	138,628	26	98,816	21	39,812	26	84,295	33,633
No cow herd, as of Dec. 31, 2012	6,466	593,500	(X)	(X)	6,466	593,500	5,698	651,454	637,875

¹ Cow herd includes beef cows, milk cows, and heifers that calved.

Table 16. Beef Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 2012

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

Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory								Other cattle (see text)	
	Total		Cows and heifers that calved				Total			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Beef cows			
							Farms	Number		
Total	13,020	678,758	13,020	332,224	13,020	248,305	10,291	346,534		
Farms with beef cow herd size of-										
1 to 9	5,956	135,665	5,956	55,840	5,956	26,655	4,425	79,825		
10 to 19	3,023	110,370	3,023	54,417	3,023	40,360	2,439	55,953		
20 to 49	3,047	203,870	3,047	106,958	3,047	87,975	2,522	96,912		
50 to 99	724	123,975	724	61,302	724	46,580	657	62,673		
100 to 199	215	61,425	215	30,441	215	26,886	195	30,984		
200 to 499	46	30,315	46	13,583	46	12,497	45	16,732		
500 to 999	7	(D)	7	(D)	7	(D)	7	(D)		
1,000 to 2,499	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	(D)	1	(D)		
2,500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
No beef cow herd, as of Dec. 31, 2012	16,888	2,815,326	10,422	1,186,172	(X)	(X)	16,511	1,629,154		
Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves sales								Calves	
	Total			Cattle						
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Total		Cattle on feed (see text)				
				Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	
Total	10,247	306,516	294,313	9,316	230,078	1,071	66,621	3,766	76,438	
Farms with beef cow herd size of-										
1 to 9	3,985	61,658	49,896	3,613	41,337	168	6,570	1,356	20,321	
10 to 19	2,552	45,641	37,782	2,291	33,200	185	6,783	985	12,441	
20 to 49	2,754	82,211	79,969	2,498	63,856	412	16,815	1,029	18,355	
50 to 99	694	61,241	63,940	663	47,367	219	20,110	291	13,874	
100 to 199	208	35,936	41,480	201	29,814	68	11,002	81	6,122	
200 to 499	45	15,003	15,418	42	10,635	18	(D)	17	4,368	
500 to 999	7	(D)	(D)	6	(D)	1	(D)	5	(D)	
1,000 to 2,499	2	(D)	(D)	2	(D)	-	-	2	(D)	
2,500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
No beef cow herd, as of Dec. 31, 2012	15,367	1,478,181	1,122,568	14,189	827,625	2,148	206,825	8,591	650,556	