

Table 13. Cattle and Calves - Sales: 2017 and 2012

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

Number sold	2017			2012		
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
Cattle and calves	42,857	3,601,637	3,729,662	41,492	3,255,675	3,402,919
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 9	13,275	61,837	46,603	13,809	65,037	47,841
10 to 19	8,063	110,292	84,257	9,080	122,735	90,425
20 to 49	10,180	312,017	242,685	9,359	282,745	214,413
50 to 99	5,436	369,823	305,623	4,400	297,297	239,218
100 to 199	3,124	422,880	373,227	2,360	316,521	269,674
200 to 499	1,904	565,766	534,674	1,657	494,126	446,642
500 to 999	515	349,436	341,915	522	346,751	345,200
1,000 to 2,499	274	380,874	391,370	227	324,179	325,209
2,500 to 4,999	49	158,608	167,021	40	133,753	153,216
5,000 or more	37	870,104	1,242,286	38	872,531	1,271,081
Cattle weighing 500 pounds or more (see text)	37,777	3,102,063	(NA)	35,344	2,770,276	(NA)
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 9	14,256	60,824	(NA)	14,997	63,273	(NA)
10 to 19	7,187	96,106	(NA)	6,849	91,078	(NA)
20 to 49	7,640	232,466	(NA)	6,575	196,883	(NA)
50 to 99	3,953	266,930	(NA)	3,047	205,132	(NA)
100 to 199	2,352	318,782	(NA)	1,762	235,989	(NA)
200 to 499	1,608	473,626	(NA)	1,361	402,306	(NA)
500 to 999	453	307,733	(NA)	479	318,929	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499	250	349,563	(NA)	200	281,604	(NA)
2,500 to 4,999	42	134,229	(NA)	38	126,168	(NA)
5,000 or more	36	861,804	(NA)	36	848,914	(NA)
Cattle on feed (see text)	115	670,805	(NA)	539	741,742	(NA)
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 19	13	185	(NA)	161	2,234	(NA)
20 to 49	25	757	(NA)	167	5,033	(NA)
50 to 99	15	1,052	(NA)	98	6,440	(NA)
100 to 199	29	3,948	(NA)	43	5,815	(NA)
200 to 499	14	3,741	(NA)	40	10,566	(NA)
500 to 999	4	(D)	(NA)	10	7,480	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499	-	-	(NA)	4	6,959	(NA)
2,500 to 4,999	2	(D)	(NA)	-	-	(NA)
5,000 or more	13	650,746	(NA)	16	697,215	(NA)
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds	22,321	499,574	(NA)	22,573	485,399	(NA)
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 9	10,903	45,659	(NA)	11,429	48,930	(NA)
10 to 19	4,872	63,318	(NA)	5,115	66,091	(NA)
20 to 49	4,454	128,348	(NA)	4,213	121,848	(NA)
50 to 99	1,317	83,458	(NA)	1,156	74,552	(NA)
100 to 199	506	64,758	(NA)	420	54,199	(NA)
200 to 499	217	60,752	(NA)	182	52,011	(NA)
500 to 999	33	22,484	(NA)	41	26,543	(NA)
1,000 or more	19	30,797	(NA)	17	41,225	(NA)

Table 14. Cattle and Calves Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 2017

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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			
Farms with December 31, 2017 herd size of-									
1 to 9	10,055	50,689	7,601	29,737	6,249	20,952	4,632	26,213	20,279
10 to 19	9,156	125,942	8,277	81,703	6,690	44,239	6,543	50,856	38,001
20 to 49	13,829	430,625	12,980	276,632	11,873	153,993	11,909	202,869	149,923
50 to 99	7,851	541,975	7,500	330,582	7,496	211,393	7,709	296,837	230,731
100 to 199	5,466	748,949	5,032	408,544	5,344	340,405	5,374	407,045	346,825
200 to 499	4,141	1,241,461	3,620	539,734	4,141	701,727	4,105	707,388	654,048
500 to 999	1,068	721,848	894	251,396	1,068	470,452	1,068	480,682	464,226
1,000 to 2,499	382	538,702	305	168,991	382	369,711	382	410,855	435,806
2,500 to 4,999	71	222,358	47	43,567	71	178,791	71	212,639	229,873
5,000 or more	29	468,370	11	44,886	29	423,484	29	757,851	1,116,284
All farms with December 31, 2017 inventory	52,048	5,090,919	46,267	2,175,772	43,343	2,915,147	41,822	3,553,235	3,685,996
Farms with no cattle and calves inventory, on December 31, 2017	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,035	48,402	43,666
Total	52,048	5,090,919	46,267	2,175,772	43,343	2,915,147	42,857	3,601,637	3,729,662