

Table 11. Selected Characteristics of Irrigated and Nonirrigated Farms: 2017 and 2012 (continued)

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

Characteristics	All farms		Irrigated farms				Nonirrigated farms	
			Any land irrigated		All harvested cropland irrigated			
	2017	2012	2017	2012	2017	2012	2017	2012
Livestock inventory: - Con.								
Sheep and lambs farms number	14,672 729,438	10,674 623,000	1,098 61,535	652 48,431	461 27,459	235 20,111	13,574 667,903	10,022 574,569

¹ Data for 2012 include expenses for medical supplies, veterinary, and custom services for animals.

² Data for 2012 include loan deficiency payments, marketing loan gains, and net value of commodity certificates.

Table 12. Cattle and Calves - Inventory: 2017 and 2012

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

Item	2017		2012		Item	2017		2012	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number		Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Cattle and calves	152,882	12,573,876	151,362	11,159,747	Cattle and calves - Con.				
Farms with -					Cows and heifers that calved - Con.				
1 to 9	46,646	235,747	49,970	252,987	Milk cows	467	531,849	985	434,928
10 to 19	32,886	451,534	35,425	482,590	Farms with -				
20 to 49	39,095	1,189,501	36,822	1,114,300	1 to 9	42	150	366	956
50 to 99	17,050	1,158,082	14,875	1,006,996	10 to 19	27	371	42	540
100 to 199	8,956	1,205,485	7,488	1,011,637	20 to 49	36	1,103	102	2,866
200 to 499	5,456	1,608,058	4,533	1,352,017	50 to 99	46	2,928	80	5,568
500 to 999	1,592	1,077,170	1,237	824,700	100 to 199	59	8,240	145	20,482
1,000 to 2,499	785	1,136,695	639	936,191	200 to 499	73	22,331	94	28,364
2,500 to 4,999	213	717,911	191	651,482	500 to 999	51	33,178	51	33,934
5,000 or more	203	3,793,693	182	3,526,847	1,000 to 2,499	61	95,176	52	82,186
2,500 or more					2,500 or more	72	368,372	53	260,032
Cows and heifers that calved	134,557	5,104,591	134,451	4,764,269	Other cattle (see text)	118,091	7,469,285	115,614	6,395,478
Farms with -					Farms with -				
1 to 9	50,275	236,757	54,483	256,451	1 to 9	61,778	263,661	69,717	275,143
10 to 19	30,070	405,720	30,784	410,483	10 to 19	24,420	320,687	21,037	275,256
20 to 49	33,068	975,965	30,027	892,048	20 to 49	18,281	531,648	15,144	437,115
50 to 99	12,161	805,319	10,550	700,122	50 to 99	6,289	423,336	4,728	314,737
100 to 199	5,617	734,572	4,950	652,276	100 to 199	3,722	500,284	2,328	306,976
200 to 499	2,413	690,465	2,775	789,020	200 to 499	2,043	604,220	1,553	461,698
500 to 999	606	392,963	585	379,585	500 to 999	831	553,655	529	351,498
1,000 to 2,499	234	328,260	214	304,736	1,000 to 2,499	454	648,917	324	477,544
2,500 or more	113	534,570	83	379,548	2,500 or more	273	3,622,877	254	3,495,511
Beef cows	134,250	4,572,742	133,924	4,329,341	Cattle on feed (see text)	360	2,656,923	375	2,750,818
Farms with -					Farms with -				
1 to 9	50,282	236,773	54,413	256,162	1 to 9	28	447	90	1,335
10 to 19	30,075	405,812	30,776	410,281	10 to 19	69	2,113	77	2,393
20 to 49	33,070	976,043	30,016	891,536	20 to 49	76	5,224	67	4,694
50 to 99	12,142	804,074	10,495	696,254	50 to 99	55	7,139	16	2,101
100 to 199	5,567	727,048	4,826	633,550	100 to 199	33	7,452	9	2,175
200 to 499	2,351	671,652	2,679	760,317	200 to 499	4	3,269	4	3,429
500 to 999	553	357,712	528	341,089	500 to 999	4	6,690	6	10,438
1,000 to 2,499	170	230,349	161	220,888	1,000 to 2,499	91	2,624,589	106	2,724,253
2,500 or more	40	163,279	30	119,264	2,500 or more				