

**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 .....	23,427	3,595,241	4,760,338	24,573	3,446,109	4,504,373
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 9 .....	4,984	22,728	22,491	5,189	24,181	23,370
10 to 19 .....	3,446	47,059	46,588	4,101	56,290	53,818
20 to 49 .....	5,448	172,571	174,232	6,004	186,888	186,547
50 to 99 .....	3,869	265,316	272,040	3,638	249,687	264,561
100 to 199 .....	2,368	318,225	357,051	2,305	316,481	371,030
200 to 499 .....	1,806	547,147	707,735	1,965	591,629	767,033
500 to 999 .....	877	613,257	857,065	801	562,313	765,313
1,000 to 2,499 .....	432	605,416	868,072	399	575,053	818,136
2,500 to 4,999 .....	124	409,139	594,469	112	378,158	563,408
5,000 or more .....	73	594,383	860,594	59	505,429	691,158
Cattle weighing 500 pounds or more (see text) .....	21,830	3,287,559	(NA)	22,331	3,133,701	(NA)
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 9 .....	5,044	21,982	(NA)	5,366	23,688	(NA)
10 to 19 .....	3,288	44,698	(NA)	3,581	48,701	(NA)
20 to 49 .....	5,103	161,600	(NA)	5,219	162,036	(NA)
50 to 99 .....	3,374	228,845	(NA)	3,079	209,922	(NA)
100 to 199 .....	2,011	266,543	(NA)	2,039	278,858	(NA)
200 to 499 .....	1,603	490,506	(NA)	1,793	542,982	(NA)
500 to 999 .....	828	579,902	(NA)	742	516,201	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499 .....	395	559,509	(NA)	351	512,460	(NA)
2,500 to 4,999 .....	119	389,874	(NA)	104	347,082	(NA)
5,000 or more .....	65	544,100	(NA)	57	491,771	(NA)
Cattle on feed (see text) .....	5,485	2,156,370	(NA)	6,036	2,010,004	(NA)
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 19 .....	555	7,838	(NA)	688	9,454	(NA)
20 to 49 .....	1,070	33,992	(NA)	1,342	42,501	(NA)
50 to 99 .....	921	62,631	(NA)	980	67,614	(NA)
100 to 199 .....	859	116,953	(NA)	949	134,594	(NA)
200 to 499 .....	1,011	318,309	(NA)	1,180	367,555	(NA)
500 to 999 .....	637	452,959	(NA)	535	377,449	(NA)
1,000 to 2,499 .....	284	405,775	(NA)	235	352,929	(NA)
2,500 to 4,999 .....	96	320,273	(NA)	83	284,515	(NA)
5,000 or more .....	52	437,640	(NA)	44	373,393	(NA)
Calves weighing less than 500 pounds .....	6,652	307,682	(NA)	7,631	312,408	(NA)
Farms by number sold -						
1 to 9 .....	2,549	10,560	(NA)	2,952	12,683	(NA)
10 to 19 .....	1,323	17,538	(NA)	1,581	20,857	(NA)
20 to 49 .....	1,607	48,398	(NA)	1,931	57,349	(NA)
50 to 99 .....	683	44,549	(NA)	661	43,051	(NA)
100 to 199 .....	268	34,277	(NA)	264	32,888	(NA)
200 to 499 .....	145	43,269	(NA)	160	50,142	(NA)
500 to 999 .....	44	29,313	(NA)	40	24,814	(NA)
1,000 or more .....	33	79,778	(NA)	42	70,624	(NA)

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

[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			
Farms with December 31, 2017 herd size of-									
1 to 9 .....	4,069	19,696	2,837	10,231	2,795	9,465	2,467	16,537	17,665
10 to 19 .....	3,134	43,800	2,627	25,539	2,426	18,261	2,578	33,893	35,892
20 to 49 .....	5,292	169,917	4,684	100,904	4,483	69,013	4,806	121,488	120,420
50 to 99 .....	4,344	305,957	3,874	169,921	4,104	136,036	4,202	208,419	214,829
100 to 199 .....	3,849	530,008	3,336	257,017	3,717	272,991	3,773	346,617	375,600
200 to 499 .....	3,006	911,750	2,201	299,078	2,999	612,672	2,971	682,319	869,915
500 to 999 .....	1,156	792,408	537	132,970	1,155	659,438	1,134	754,232	1,052,424
1,000 to 2,499 .....	381	555,366	182	75,500	380	479,866	381	676,992	984,825
2,500 to 4,999 .....	107	364,039	44	60,458	106	303,581	107	401,352	582,783
5,000 or more .....	29	257,979	13	30,779	29	227,200	29	275,138	397,025
All farms with December 31, 2017 inventory .....	25,367	3,950,920	20,335	1,162,397	22,194	2,788,523	22,448	3,516,987	4,651,376
Farms with no cattle and calves inventory, on December 31, 2017 .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	979	78,254	108,962
Total .....	25,367	3,950,920	20,335	1,162,397	22,194	2,788,523	23,427	3,595,241	4,760,338