

Table 15. Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 2022

[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		Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number			
Farms with December 31, 2022 cow herd size of-									
1 to 9	4,032	40,772	4,032	16,256	2,333	24,516	1,962	24,783	27,884
10 to 19	1,559	33,200	1,559	20,640	1,032	12,560	1,070	16,554	16,466
20 to 49	1,746	85,231	1,746	51,549	1,487	33,682	1,598	55,893	53,975
50 to 99	735	81,515	735	49,810	730	31,705	735	48,015	44,183
100 to 199	571	141,212	571	77,975	565	63,237	570	92,405	92,117
200 to 499	586	337,871	586	176,153	577	161,718	586	205,091	222,437
500 to 999	280	376,394	280	197,123	277	179,271	280	189,760	177,641
1,000 to 2,499	391	1,160,625	391	629,588	379	531,037	391	570,153	490,100
2,500 or more	275	2,059,560	275	1,151,128	274	908,432	275	900,300	742,608
All farms with December 31, 2022 cow inventory	10,175	4,316,380	10,175	2,370,222	7,654	1,946,158	7,467	2,102,954	1,867,412
Farms with no cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,584	922,690	-	-	1,584	922,690	1,076	1,271,389	1,856,400
Total	11,759	5,239,070	10,175	2,370,222	9,238	2,868,848	8,543	3,374,343	3,723,812

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

Table 16. Beef Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 2022

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Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves inventory							
	Total		Cows and heifers that calved		Beef cows		Other cattle	
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow herd size of-								
1 to 9	3,963	68,141	3,963	32,075	3,963	15,964	2,299	36,066
10 to 19	1,551	66,474	1,551	39,013	1,551	20,520	1,034	27,461
20 to 49	1,754	177,243	1,754	103,040	1,754	51,730	1,499	74,203
50 to 99	744	130,164	744	75,822	744	50,239	739	54,342
100 to 199	562	159,716	562	88,837	562	76,297	558	70,879
200 to 499	519	325,937	519	161,738	519	152,595	514	164,199
500 to 999	136	194,823	136	97,640	136	89,370	135	97,183
1,000 to 2,499	74	274,910	74	119,667	74	106,387	74	155,243
2,500 or more	21	212,242	21	124,918	21	118,918	21	87,324
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	9,324	1,609,650	9,324	842,750	9,324	682,020	6,873	766,900
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	2,435	3,629,420	851	1,527,472	-	-	2,365	2,101,948
Total	11,759	5,239,070	10,175	2,370,222	9,324	682,020	9,238	2,868,848

Beef cow herd	Cattle and calves sales								
	Total			Cattle				Calves	
	Farms	Number	Value (\$1,000)	Total		Cattle on feed		Farms	Number
Farms				Number	Farms	Number			
Farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow herd size of-									
1 to 9	1,960	36,249	36,349	1,680	27,387	12	549	669	8,862
10 to 19	1,070	24,297	22,527	964	17,870	15	353	419	6,427
20 to 49	1,607	99,035	85,258	1,561	64,110	51	1,934	790	34,925
50 to 99	744	70,208	62,394	743	45,650	12	868	383	24,558
100 to 199	561	98,554	97,116	561	79,044	41	5,519	288	19,510
200 to 499	519	192,842	213,235	519	160,999	18	3,294	248	31,843
500 to 999	136	133,452	134,044	136	113,934	8	8,503	76	19,518
1,000 to 2,499	74	213,907	209,889	74	139,351	5	4,119	46	74,556
2,500 or more	21	143,101	130,175	21	115,270	-	-	13	27,831
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	6,692	1,011,645	990,988	6,259	763,615	162	25,139	2,932	248,030
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,851	2,362,698	2,732,825	1,725	1,536,985	53	610,476	1,037	825,713
Total	8,543	3,374,343	3,723,812	7,984	2,300,600	215	635,615	3,969	1,073,743