

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	3,974	28,657	3,974	16,136	2,222	12,521	2,176	13,155	13,479
10 to 19	1,583	34,457	1,583	21,067	998	13,390	1,085	14,786	15,435
20 to 49	1,879	88,076	1,879	56,218	1,521	31,858	1,674	63,923	68,384
50 to 99	980	125,955	980	68,348	968	57,607	975	110,245	127,905
100 to 199	861	268,070	861	118,474	848	149,596	861	308,579	441,779
200 to 499	675	384,393	675	204,339	670	180,054	675	317,742	363,677
500 to 999	180	213,916	180	114,935	180	98,981	180	146,481	181,640
1,000 to 2,499	58	148,115	58	87,935	57	60,180	58	82,774	84,543
2,500 or more	31	291,233	31	160,303	31	130,930	31	155,645	159,394
All farms with December 31, 2022 cow inventory	10,221	1,582,872	10,221	847,755	7,495	735,117	7,715	1,213,330	1,456,236
Farms with no cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,809	1,075,140	-	-	1,809	1,075,140	2,024	1,764,313	3,203,409
Total	12,030	2,658,012	10,221	847,755	9,304	1,810,257	9,739	2,977,643	4,659,645

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	3,889	30,400	3,889	17,242	3,889	15,852	2,162	13,158
10 to 19	1,572	36,154	1,572	22,884	1,572	20,908	995	13,270
20 to 49	1,869	89,380	1,869	56,756	1,869	55,858	1,513	32,624
50 to 99	988	134,381	988	74,619	988	68,895	970	59,762
100 to 199	853	278,442	853	122,141	853	117,512	846	156,301
200 to 499	665	383,859	665	204,745	665	199,920	660	179,114
500 to 999	164	197,489	164	104,806	164	104,805	164	92,683
1,000 to 2,499	31	67,245	31	40,802	31	40,802	31	26,443
2,500 or more	6	45,866	6	21,453	6	21,453	6	24,413
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	10,037	1,263,216	10,037	665,448	10,037	646,005	7,347	597,768
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,993	1,394,796	184	182,307	-	-	1,957	1,212,489
Total	12,030	2,658,012	10,221	847,755	10,037	646,005	9,304	1,810,257

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	2,141	13,527	13,285	1,906	10,483	7	125	600	3,044
10 to 19	1,082	17,140	16,124	968	11,914	16	(D)	414	5,226
20 to 49	1,666	63,943	68,706	1,612	51,886	45	5,178	723	12,057
50 to 99	983	116,102	133,076	979	97,465	30	13,488	439	18,637
100 to 199	853	311,041	446,607	851	288,591	42	171,910	353	22,450
200 to 499	665	314,744	364,520	663	280,016	45	94,093	253	34,728
500 to 999	164	139,583	174,187	164	122,827	27	23,136	70	16,756
1,000 to 2,499	31	45,598	53,409	31	35,186	7	5,823	18	10,412
2,500 or more	6	44,456	67,903	6	42,075	2	(D)	4	2,381
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	7,591	1,066,134	1,337,818	7,180	940,443	221	342,744	2,874	125,691
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	2,148	1,911,509	3,321,827	1,975	1,821,367	115	1,548,219	685	90,142
Total	9,739	2,977,643	4,659,645	9,155	2,761,810	336	1,890,963	3,559	215,833