

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	7,122	54,796	7,122	32,321	4,363	22,475	3,345	16,454	10,449
10 to 19	3,243	59,502	3,243	42,836	1,879	16,666	2,034	18,346	11,127
20 to 49	2,819	120,601	2,819	81,753	2,305	38,848	2,476	54,844	37,167
50 to 99	1,088	130,652	1,088	74,921	1,076	55,731	1,088	63,543	44,479
100 to 199	532	105,963	532	71,001	530	34,962	532	53,765	38,398
200 to 499	560	252,164	560	161,337	559	90,827	560	124,719	92,326
500 to 999	241	262,613	241	162,337	239	100,276	241	131,222	105,516
1,000 to 2,499	103	242,258	103	149,363	102	92,895	103	114,221	94,210
2,500 or more	38	323,995	38	201,733	38	122,262	38	150,512	135,960
All farms with December 31, 2022 cow inventory	15,746	1,552,544	15,746	977,602	11,091	574,942	10,417	727,626	569,632
Farms with no cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,689	21,513	-	-	1,689	21,513	936	19,760	16,378
Total	17,435	1,574,057	15,746	977,602	12,780	596,455	11,353	747,386	586,010

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	7,010	54,424	7,010	32,193	7,010	31,900	4,286	22,231
10 to 19	3,230	59,405	3,230	42,740	3,230	42,626	1,874	16,665
20 to 49	2,809	120,086	2,809	81,589	2,809	81,468	2,298	38,497
50 to 99	1,085	131,849	1,085	75,777	1,085	74,717	1,078	56,072
100 to 199	533	119,545	533	81,497	533	71,093	531	38,048
200 to 499	555	250,875	555	160,545	555	159,561	555	90,330
500 to 999	231	252,987	231	154,907	231	154,907	231	98,080
1,000 to 2,499	88	200,733	88	123,250	88	123,250	88	77,483
2,500 or more	27	236,672	27	146,867	27	144,067	27	89,805
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	15,568	1,426,576	15,568	899,365	15,568	883,589	10,968	527,211
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,867	147,481	178	78,237	-	-	1,812	69,244
Total	17,435	1,574,057	15,746	977,602	15,568	883,589	12,780	596,455

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	3,299	16,336	10,340	2,286	7,563	-	-	2,144	8,773
10 to 19	2,030	18,347	11,099	1,399	7,397	-	-	1,580	10,950
20 to 49	2,468	54,757	37,112	2,259	25,185	-	-	2,049	29,572
50 to 99	1,085	64,914	45,798	1,083	32,494	-	-	936	32,420
100 to 199	533	61,786	44,259	531	29,506	-	-	444	32,280
200 to 499	555	124,283	92,059	553	60,370	-	-	486	63,913
500 to 999	231	124,944	100,135	231	76,183	-	-	184	48,761
1,000 to 2,499	88	97,814	82,742	88	68,360	-	-	71	29,454
2,500 or more	27	108,236	109,735	27	56,911	-	-	23	51,325
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	10,316	671,417	533,278	8,457	363,969	-	-	7,917	307,448
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,037	75,969	52,732	810	35,980	-	-	664	39,989
Total	11,353	747,386	586,010	9,267	399,949	-	-	8,581	347,437