

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	3,616	32,748	3,616	17,758	2,421	14,990	1,814	14,948	11,301
10 to 19	2,963	67,887	2,963	40,138	2,190	27,749	2,038	24,575	17,334
20 to 49	3,513	167,857	3,513	105,073	3,005	62,784	3,218	79,735	54,969
50 to 99	1,400	156,677	1,400	95,558	1,389	61,119	1,399	77,621	55,329
100 to 199	700	152,915	700	89,833	695	63,082	699	68,524	54,999
200 to 499	347	181,553	347	98,489	346	83,064	347	88,541	73,723
500 to 999	58	63,411	58	37,190	58	26,221	58	25,943	22,232
1,000 to 2,499	27	68,727	27	39,714	26	29,013	27	22,528	23,368
2,500 or more	8	63,462	8	40,032	7	23,430	8	20,532	17,783
All farms with December 31, 2022 cow inventory	12,632	955,237	12,632	563,785	10,137	391,452	9,608	422,947	331,039
Farms with no cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,076	45,323	-	-	1,076	45,323	890	52,090	49,081
Total	13,708	1,000,560	12,632	563,785	11,213	436,775	10,498	475,037	380,120

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	3,556	33,447	3,556	18,243	3,556	17,530	2,380	15,204
10 to 19	2,953	68,111	2,953	40,277	2,953	39,925	2,189	27,834
20 to 49	3,496	168,350	3,496	105,356	3,496	104,460	2,993	62,994
50 to 99	1,388	164,720	1,388	99,440	1,388	94,649	1,380	65,280
100 to 199	681	152,956	681	91,039	681	87,159	681	61,917
200 to 499	328	171,244	328	92,252	328	91,817	328	78,992
500 to 999	40	(D)	40	(D)	40	(D)	40	(D)
1,000 to 2,499	19	46,249	19	27,175	19	26,975	19	19,074
2,500 or more	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)	1	(D)
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	12,462	852,701	12,462	502,222	12,462	490,955	10,011	350,479
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,246	147,859	170	61,563	-	-	1,202	86,296
Total	13,708	1,000,560	12,632	563,785	12,462	490,955	11,213	436,775

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	1,807	15,382	(D)	1,419	9,963	-	-	1,012	5,419
10 to 19	2,038	24,690	17,443	1,656	14,580	-	-	1,390	10,110
20 to 49	3,206	79,823	55,077	3,077	44,229	-	-	2,438	35,594
50 to 99	1,387	79,672	56,974	1,383	47,448	1	(D)	1,046	32,224
100 to 199	680	67,786	54,764	673	42,298	-	-	500	25,488
200 to 499	328	83,470	70,036	328	61,979	-	-	197	21,491
500 to 999	40	21,444	18,583	40	16,076	-	-	28	5,368
1,000 to 2,499	19	(D)	18,987	19	(D)	-	-	8	3,370
2,500 or more	1	(D)	(D)	1	(D)	-	-	-	-
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	9,506	392,927	306,656	8,596	253,863	1	(D)	6,619	139,064
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	992	82,110	73,465	878	62,531	-	-	551	19,579
Total	10,498	475,037	380,120	9,474	316,394	1	(D)	7,170	158,643