

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	3,791	44,352	3,791	17,945	2,619	26,407	2,232	27,508	35,003
10 to 19	2,649	76,717	2,649	36,250	2,015	40,467	2,128	37,545	45,065
20 to 49	3,629	227,864	3,629	109,738	3,269	118,126	3,489	139,947	166,081
50 to 99	1,745	253,196	1,745	118,910	1,711	134,286	1,745	137,928	179,006
100 to 199	878	243,761	878	114,311	864	129,450	878	137,391	173,441
200 to 499	541	304,199	541	162,238	516	141,961	541	142,829	152,404
500 to 999	145	174,052	145	92,953	140	81,099	145	107,108	121,954
1,000 to 2,499	48	124,564	48	70,923	43	53,641	48	64,250	59,742
2,500 or more	13	149,740	13	100,897	13	48,843	13	107,329	54,721
All farms with December 31, 2022 cow inventory	13,439	1,598,445	13,439	824,165	11,190	774,280	11,219	901,835	987,415
Farms with no cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	3,384	523,180	-	-	3,384	523,180	3,430	698,075	1,106,720
Total	16,823	2,121,625	13,439	824,165	14,574	1,297,460	14,649	1,599,910	2,094,135

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	3,718	57,474	3,718	25,288	3,718	17,682	2,573	32,186
10 to 19	2,619	85,123	2,619	40,705	2,619	35,814	1,999	44,418
20 to 49	3,494	237,306	3,494	116,516	3,494	104,830	3,142	120,790
50 to 99	1,205	180,530	1,205	82,218	1,205	79,467	1,204	98,312
100 to 199	470	145,440	470	63,971	470	59,183	462	81,469
200 to 499	149	85,797	149	44,132	149	41,955	147	41,665
500 to 999	33	47,911	33	21,398	33	21,398	33	26,513
1,000 to 2,499	3	18,500	3	4,300	3	4,300	3	14,200
2,500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	11,691	858,081	11,691	398,528	11,691	364,629	9,563	459,553
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	5,132	1,263,544	1,748	425,637	-	-	5,011	837,907
Total	16,823	2,121,625	13,439	824,165	11,691	364,629	14,574	1,297,460

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	2,236	32,134	38,657	2,005	24,490	111	10,060	585	7,644
10 to 19	2,123	41,057	48,258	1,925	32,199	149	9,714	707	8,858
20 to 49	3,359	145,598	172,391	3,261	121,213	462	34,713	1,284	24,385
50 to 99	1,205	110,540	155,783	1,205	98,007	239	37,550	396	12,533
100 to 199	470	101,222	144,306	470	91,330	112	39,823	165	9,892
200 to 499	149	53,904	71,185	148	47,019	38	13,472	59	6,885
500 to 999	33	50,231	75,273	33	46,084	16	25,579	10	4,147
1,000 to 2,499	3	11,150	24,500	3	11,150	3	9,500	-	-
2,500 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	9,578	545,836	730,355	9,050	471,492	1,130	180,411	3,206	74,344
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	5,071	1,054,074	1,363,780	4,883	783,349	1,555	456,371	1,732	270,725
Total	14,649	1,599,910	2,094,135	13,933	1,254,841	2,685	636,782	4,938	345,069