

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	1,161	16,400	1,161	5,437	764	10,963	798	15,453	20,367
10 to 19	985	24,361	985	13,518	714	10,843	838	13,714	15,821
20 to 49	2,099	136,984	2,099	65,590	1,899	71,394	2,028	99,060	121,790
50 to 99	1,718	246,332	1,718	120,920	1,718	125,412	1,718	167,535	210,718
100 to 199	1,765	471,896	1,765	242,738	1,763	229,158	1,765	306,089	381,820
200 to 499	1,911	1,099,807	1,911	572,326	1,909	527,481	1,911	699,784	869,414
500 to 999	594	720,958	594	382,723	593	338,235	594	417,643	532,710
1,000 to 2,499	109	258,682	109	144,593	106	114,089	109	148,762	197,690
2,500 or more	29	243,546	29	178,857	23	64,689	29	230,834	249,562
All farms with December 31, 2022 cow inventory	10,371	3,218,966	10,371	1,726,702	9,489	1,492,264	9,790	2,098,874	2,599,893
Farms with no cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	933	259,942	-	-	933	259,942	1,132	312,687	514,348
Total	11,304	3,478,908	10,371	1,726,702	10,422	1,752,206	10,922	2,411,561	3,114,241

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	1,137	22,877	1,137	11,287	1,137	5,372	743	11,590
10 to 19	987	25,257	987	13,840	987	13,537	718	11,417
20 to 49	2,093	145,733	2,093	73,971	2,093	65,431	1,893	71,762
50 to 99	1,711	245,178	1,711	120,778	1,711	120,424	1,711	124,400
100 to 199	1,753	469,407	1,753	241,550	1,753	241,113	1,751	227,857
200 to 499	1,890	1,090,520	1,890	567,212	1,890	564,769	1,890	523,308
500 to 999	584	709,319	584	375,829	584	375,354	584	333,490
1,000 to 2,499	85	201,715	85	105,382	85	105,379	85	96,333
2,500 or more	9	95,001	9	46,941	9	46,941	9	48,060
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	10,249	3,005,007	10,249	1,556,790	10,249	1,538,320	9,384	1,448,217
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,055	473,901	122	169,912	-	-	1,038	303,989
Total	11,304	3,478,908	10,371	1,726,702	10,249	1,538,320	10,422	1,752,206

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	790	20,245	24,728	682	14,367	17	(D)	256	5,878
10 to 19	840	14,052	16,187	723	10,987	21	(D)	293	3,065
20 to 49	2,022	103,669	125,880	1,951	81,032	87	17,130	793	22,637
50 to 99	1,711	167,549	210,836	1,708	143,275	118	28,457	614	24,274
100 to 199	1,753	304,474	380,360	1,747	256,210	134	47,056	617	48,264
200 to 499	1,890	695,181	863,391	1,889	582,002	213	125,298	762	113,179
500 to 999	584	414,698	529,409	583	337,881	88	66,248	256	76,817
1,000 to 2,499	85	116,019	177,342	85	103,784	21	31,004	38	12,235
2,500 or more	9	102,717	163,717	9	97,363	6	27,102	5	5,354
All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory	9,684	1,938,604	2,491,849	9,377	1,626,901	705	347,585	3,634	311,703
Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022	1,238	472,957	622,392	1,118	354,226	262	184,786	354	118,731
Total	10,922	2,411,561	3,114,241	10,495	1,981,127	967	532,371	3,988	430,434