



# Missouri Cattle

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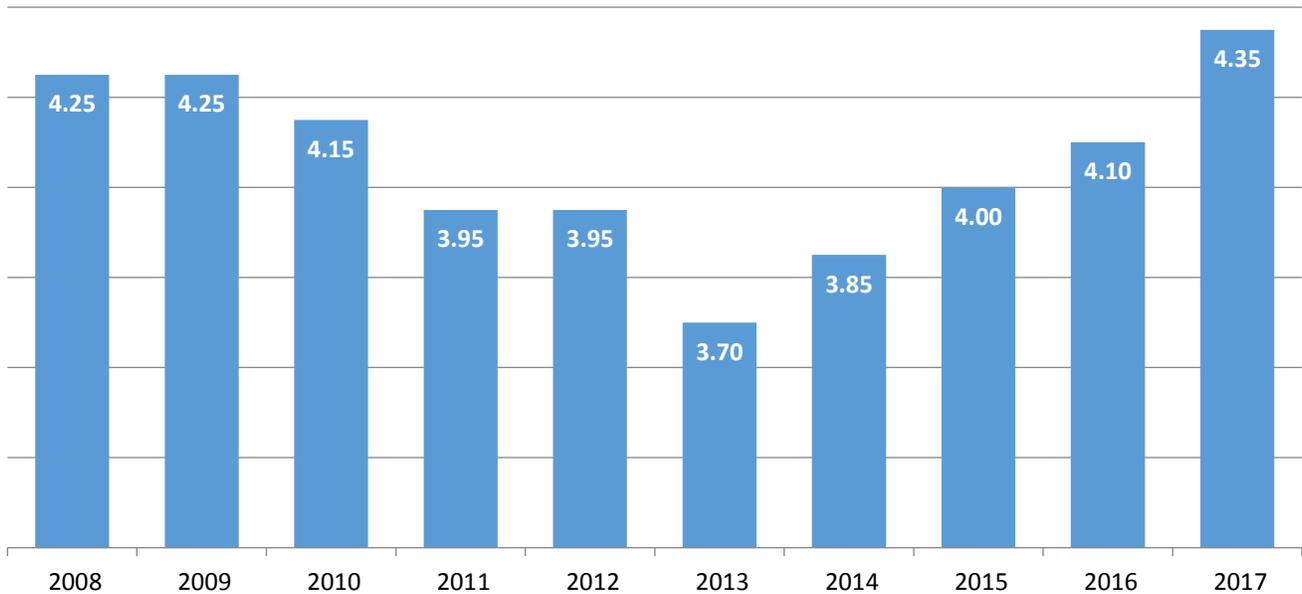
**All cattle and calves** as of January 1, 2017 totaled 4.35 million head, 6 percent above January 1, 2016. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 2.14 million head, were up 8 percent from January 1, 2016. The 2016 calf crop was estimated at 1.89 million head, up 8 percent from 2015.

## Cattle Inventory by Class and Calf Crop – Missouri: January 1, 2016 and 2017

| Class                                   | 2016         | 2017         | 2017 as percent of 2016 |
|---|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|
|   | (1,000 head) | (1,000 head) | (percent)               |
| Cattle and calves .....                 | 4,100        | 4,350        | 106                     |
| Cows and heifers that have calved ..... | 1,990        | 2,140        | 108                     |
| Beef cows .....                         | 1,902        | 2,052        | 108                     |
| Milk cows .....                         | 88           | 88           | 100                     |
| Heifers 500 pounds and over .....       | 625          | 650          | 104                     |
| For beef cow replacement .....          | 360          | 375          | 104                     |
| For milk cow replacement .....          | 45           | 45           | 100                     |
| Other heifers .....                     | 220          | 230          | 105                     |
| Steers 500 pounds and over .....        | 440          | 460          | 105                     |
| Bulls 500 pounds and over .....         | 115          | 120          | 104                     |
| Calves under 500 pounds .....           | 930          | 980          | 105                     |
| Cattle on feed .....                    | 100          | 110          | 110                     |
|   | 2015         | 2016         | 2016 as percent of 2015 |
| Calf crop .....                         | 1,750        | 1,890        | 108                     |

# January 1 Cattle and Calves – Missouri

■ Million head



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