

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 | 5,294 | 72,029 | 5,294 | 23,372 | 3,693 | 48,657 | 3,119 | 37,638 | 44,342 |
| 10 to 19 | 3,252 | 91,261 | 3,252 | 44,030 | 2,526 | 47,231 | 2,647 | 42,368 | 44,655 |
| 20 to 49 | 4,199 | 252,145 | 4,199 | 128,242 | 3,751 | 123,903 | 4,035 | 115,378 | 122,281 |
| 50 to 99 | 2,672 | 375,828 | 2,672 | 178,553 | 2,600 | 197,275 | 2,672 | 166,438 | 163,407 |
| 100 to 199 | 1,210 | 321,082 | 1,210 | 160,495 | 1,189 | 160,587 | 1,210 | 130,204 | 118,762 |
| 200 to 499 | 919 | 541,019 | 919 | 293,770 | 872 | 247,249 | 919 | 228,893 | 187,776 |
| 500 to 999 | 413 | 434,725 | 413 | 259,008 | 400 | 175,717 | 413 | 194,319 | 127,898 |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 165 | 394,381 | 165 | 241,853 | 153 | 152,528 | 165 | 193,302 | 120,200 |
| 2,500 or more | 53 | 316,657 | 53 | 219,349 | 50 | 97,308 | 53 | 194,985 | 114,974 |
| All farms with December 31, 2022 cow inventory | 18,177 | 2,799,127 | 18,177 | 1,548,672 | 15,234 | 1,250,455 | 15,233 | 1,303,525 | 1,044,294 |
| Farms with no cow inventory, on December 31, 2022 | 4,600 | 531,793 | - | - | 4,600 | 531,793 | 4,428 | 548,589 | 714,738 |
| Total | 22,777 | 3,330,920 | 18,177 | 1,548,672 | 19,834 | 1,782,248 | 19,661 | 1,852,114 | 1,759,032 |

¹ Cow herd includes beef cows, milk cows, and heifers that calved.

Table 16. Beef Cow Herd Size by Inventory and Sales: 2022

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

| 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 | 5,178 | 127,062 | 5,178 | 59,450 | 5,178 | 23,209 | 3,646 | 67,612 |
| 10 to 19 | 3,089 | 123,601 | 3,089 | 63,875 | 3,089 | 41,557 | 2,363 | 59,726 |
| 20 to 49 | 3,403 | 234,512 | 3,403 | 120,886 | 3,403 | 99,221 | 3,009 | 113,626 |
| 50 to 99 | 954 | 187,502 | 954 | 80,178 | 954 | 61,093 | 951 | 107,324 |
| 100 to 199 | 256 | 91,253 | 256 | 45,698 | 256 | 32,247 | 255 | 45,555 |
| 200 to 499 | 82 | 54,176 | 82 | 30,612 | 82 | 21,273 | 79 | 23,564 |
| 500 to 999 | 8 | (D) | 8 | (D) | 8 | (D) | 8 | (D) |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) |
| 2,500 or more | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory | 12,971 | 829,566 | 12,971 | 407,789 | 12,971 | 284,400 | 10,312 | 421,777 |
| Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022 | 9,806 | 2,501,354 | 5,206 | 1,140,883 | - | - | 9,522 | 1,360,471 |
| Total | 22,777 | 3,330,920 | 18,177 | 1,548,672 | 12,971 | 284,400 | 19,834 | 1,782,248 |

| 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 | 3,178 | 60,473 | 59,579 | 2,892 | 38,467 | 134 | 9,833 | 972 | 22,006 |
| 10 to 19 | 2,538 | 52,435 | 51,977 | 2,357 | 38,145 | 188 | 8,230 | 803 | 14,290 |
| 20 to 49 | 3,264 | 106,438 | 118,082 | 3,189 | 82,921 | 498 | 18,708 | 1,206 | 23,517 |
| 50 to 99 | 954 | 98,911 | 118,527 | 951 | 82,401 | 236 | 23,032 | 295 | 16,510 |
| 100 to 199 | 256 | 49,061 | 56,328 | 256 | 39,200 | 85 | 11,954 | 92 | 9,861 |
| 200 to 499 | 82 | 29,092 | 34,543 | 82 | (D) | 29 | 6,246 | 31 | (D) |
| 500 to 999 | 8 | (D) | (D) | 8 | (D) | 3 | (D) | 2 | (D) |
| 1,000 to 2,499 | 1 | (D) | (D) | 1 | (D) | 1 | (D) | - | - |
| 2,500 or more | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| All farms with December 31, 2022 beef cow inventory | 10,281 | 401,576 | 445,757 | 9,736 | 308,907 | 1,174 | 79,566 | 3,401 | 92,669 |
| Farms with no beef cow inventory, on December 31, 2022 | 9,380 | 1,450,538 | 1,313,275 | 9,095 | 767,777 | 1,535 | 177,554 | 4,845 | 682,761 |
| Total | 19,661 | 1,852,114 | 1,759,032 | 18,831 | 1,076,684 | 2,709 | 257,120 | 8,246 | 775,430 |