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JANUARY 1 ALL CATTLE AND CALVES INVENTORY DOWN 4 PERCENT

All cattle and calves in the United States on January 1, 1977 are estimated at 122.9 million head, down 4 percent from a year earlier and 7 percent below January 1, 1975, according to the Crop Reporting Board. This is the sharpest percentage decline since 1948 and represents the second consecutive year of herd reduction in the current cattle cycle.

All cows and heifers that have calved, at 52.4 million head, are down 4 percent from January 1, 1976. The number on July 1, 1976, at 53.9 million was down 7 percent from a year earlier.

--Beef cows at 41.4 million are down 5 percent from January 1, 1976 and 9 percent below January 1, 1975.

--Milk cows at 11.0 million, are down 1 and 2 percent from January 1, 1976 and 1975, respectively.

Other classes on January 1 and the changes from last year and two years ago, respectively, are as follows:

--All heifers over 500 pounds, 18.5 million, down slightly and down 5 percent.

--Beef replacement heifers, 6.6 million, down 9 percent and 26 percent.

--Milk replacement heifers, 3.9 million, down 2 percent and 5 percent.

--Other heifers, 8.1 million, up 9 percent and 24 percent.

--Steers weighing 500 pounds and over, 16.9 million, down 1 percent and up 3 percent.

--Bulls weighing 500 pounds and over, 2.7 million, down 6 percent and 11 percent.

--Heifers, steers, and bulls under 500 pounds, 32.4 million, down 6 percent and 11 percent.

This report includes the number of Cattle and Calves on Feed as of January 1 by States and for the United States on Page 9.

CALF CROP DOWN 6 PERCENT

The 1976 calf crop is estimated at 47.4 million, down 6 percent from 1975 and 7 percent below 1974.

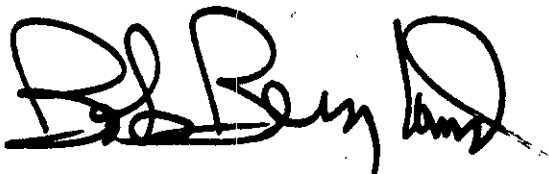
Indicated death losses of cattle and calves at 4.5 million head were well below the high level of 1975. Mild winter weather and a favorable calving season last spring contributed to the decrease. Cattle and calves slaughtered on farms were indicated at 720,000 head in 1976 compared with 750,000 head in 1975. More complete disposition estimates will be published in "Meat Animals Production, Disposition and Income" to be released April 1, 1977.

RELIABILITY AND ESTIMATING PROCEDURES

Primary data used in making cattle estimates for this report were obtained from probability surveys. Nationally, these surveys included approximately 70,000 farming operations heavily weighted to include operations having cattle. Information was collected by mail, telephone and personal interviews. Since all operations with cattle were not included in the sample, survey estimates are subject to sampling variability. This variability, as measured by the relative standard error, is about one percent at the National level for cattle inventory. This means that chances are approximately 95 out of 100 that a survey estimate will be within two percent of the complete coverage value if the same procedures were used to survey all producers. Survey estimates are also subject to non-sampling errors such as omissions, duplications, recording and processing the data and mistakes in reporting. These errors cannot be measured directly, but they are minimized through rigid quality controls on the data collection process and a careful review of all reported data for consistency and reasonableness.

In setting the inventory estimates, the Crop Reporting Board used survey estimates on births and deaths as well as inventory numbers. These survey estimates were combined with reliable check data from other sources on slaughter, imports and exports to construct a National balance sheet, which provided an additional check on survey inventory estimates.

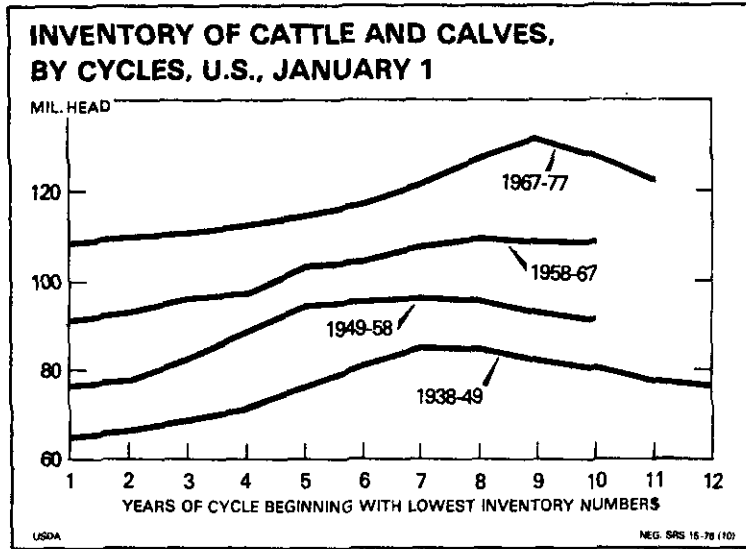
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CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS AND CALF CROP, UNITED STATES
JANUARY 1, 1975-77

CLASS	1975	1976	1977	1977 AS % OF 1976
	1000 HEAD			PERCENT
CATTLE AND CALVES	131826	127976	122896	96
COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED	56682	54832	52395	96
BEEF COWS	45472	43746	41364	95
MILK COWS	11211	11087	11031	99
HEIFERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER	19482	18564	18510	100
FOR BEEF COW REPLACEMENT	8879	7197	6554	91
FOR MILK COW REPLACEMENT	4095	3973	3906	98
OTHER HEIFERS	6509	7395	8051	109
STEERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER	16373	17153	16935	99
BULLS 500 POUNDS AND OVER	2987	2849	2668	94
HEIFERS, STEERS, AND BULLS UNDER 500 POUNDS	36302	34577	32388	94
CALF CROP	50695	50426	47415	94

CATTLE AND CALVES: VALUE PER HEAD AND TOTAL VALUE, UNITED STATES,
JANUARY 1, 1975-77 1/

CLASS	VALUE PER HEAD			TOTAL VALUE		
	1975	1976	1977	1975	1976	1977
	DOLLARS			1000 DOLLARS		
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES	159	190	206	20,963,981	24,336,970	25,268,725

1/ BASED ON REPORTERS' ESTIMATES OF AVERAGE PRICE PER HEAD IN THEIR LOCALITIES.

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS, UNITED STATES
JULY 1, 1974-76

CLASS	1974	1975	1976	1976 AS
	1000 HEAD			% OF 1975
CATTLE AND CALVES	138987	140056	133559	95
COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED	56763	57993	53874	93
BEEF COWS	45560	46851	42029	91
MILK COWS	11203	11142	11045	99
HEIFERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER	19089	18936	18883	100
FOR BEEF COW REPLACEMENT	7879	7377	6520	88
FOR MILK COW REPLACEMENT	3900	3932	3945	100
OTHER HEIFERS	7310	7627	8418	110
STEERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER	18358	17291	18690	108
BULLS 500 POUNDS AND OVER	2904	3063	2754	90
HEIFERS, STEERS, AND BULLS UNDER 500 POUNDS	41873	42773	39358	92

INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, UNITED STATES
JANUARY 1, 1967-77 1/ (1967=100)

YEAR	TOTAL LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY	MEAT ANIMALS	MILK CATTLE 2/	POULTRY	YEAR	TOTAL LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY	MEAT ANIMALS	MILK CATTLE 2/	POULTRY
1967	100	100	100	100	1973	109	109	86	93
1968	100	100	96	97	1974	114	114	84	95
1969	101	101	92	95	1975	116	116	84	87
1970	102	102	89	96	1976	112	112	83	87
1971	105	105	87	99	1977	109	109	82	87
1972	107	107	87	97					

1/ FOR METHOD OF COMBINING SPECIES AND WEIGHTS IN CONSTRUCTION OF THESE INDEX NUMBERS SEE AGRICULTURAL HANDBOOK NO. 365, VOLUME II, MAJOR STATISTICAL SERIES OF THE U S DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, APRIL, 1970. WEIGHTS BASED ON 1967 SALES VALUES RELATIVE TO MILK COWS ARE: MILK COWS, 1.00; BEEF CATTLE AND CALVES, 0.71; HOGS, 0.17; SHEEP AND LAMBS, 0.07; CHICKENS, 0.001; TURKEY BREEDER HENS, 0.014. FOR 1965 AND THEREAFTER, MILK COWS AND HEIFERS THAT HAVE CALVED ARE USED IN PLACE OF MILK COWS TWO YEARS OLD AND OLDER; TURKEY BREEDER HENS, DECEMBER 1 PRECEDING YEAR, ARE USED IN PLACE OF ALL TURKEYS JANUARY 1; ALL CHICKENS (EXCLUDING COMMERCIAL BROILERS) DECEMBER 1 PRECEDING YEAR ARE USED IN PLACE OF ALL CHICKENS ON FARMS JANUARY 1. HOGS AND PIGS RELATE TO DECEMBER 1 PRECEDING YEAR. 2/ WEIGHTS FOR MILK CATTLE ARE: MILK COWS, 1.00; HEIFERS WEIGHING 500 LBS. AND OVER, 0.56.

CATTLE AND CALVES: TOTAL AND NUMBER BY CLASS
JANUARY 1, 1976-77

STATE	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES			ALL COWS THAT HAVE CALVED		
	1976	1977	1977 AS % OF 76	1976	1977	1977 AS % OF 76
	1000 HEAD	PERCENT		1000 HEAD	PERCENT	
ALA	2850	2360	83	1400	1180	84
ALAS	8.5	7.7	91	4.1	3.8	93
ARIZ	1280	1065	83	380	387	102
ARK	2385	2500	105	1274	1300	102
CALIF	5000	4750	95	1820	1800	99
COLO	3250	3030	93	1115	960	86
CONN	110	110	100	60	60	100
DEL	33	32	97	18	17	94
FLA	2920	2800	96	1615	1579	98
GA	2370	2300	97	1166	1090	93
HAW	245	240	98	103	98	95
IDAHO	1875	1900	101	780	750	96
ILL	3400	3200	94	1086	1034	95
IND	2225	2125	96	830	810	98
IOWA	7500	7650	102	2323	2295	99
KANS	6450	6400	99	1900	1831	96
KY	3450	3300	96	1650	1617	98
LA	1880	1700	90	1090	991	91
MAINE	141	133	94	72	68	94
MD	460	452	98	220	219	100
MASS	107	104	97	64	62	97
MICH	1650	1650	100	616	643	104
MINN	4430	4000	90	1641	1520	93
MISS	2723	2670	98	1434	1440	100
MO	6600	6400	97	3000	2925	98
MONT	3150	2980	95	1640	1576	96
NEBR	6550	6450	98	2290	2220	97
NEV	651	600	92	350	312	89
N H	72	72	100	38	37	97
N J	110	114	104	59	62	105
N MEX	1650	1500	91	675	675	100
N Y	1915	1860	97	1046	1025	98
N C	1130	1080	96	578	545	94
N DAK	2380	2235	94	1269	1173	92
OHIO	2305	2250	98	890	910	102
OKLA	6400	5650	88	2790	2375	85
OREG	1440	1490	103	710	690	97
PA	1960	1960	100	914	902	99
R I	12	10	83	7	6	86
S C	725	750	103	368	390	106
S DAK	4500	3650	81	2061	1550	75
TENN	3100	3000	97	1480	1480	100
TEX	15600	15800	101	6800	6800	100
UTAH	927	880	95	441	414	94
VT	346	342	99	208	208	100
VA	1650	1620	98	780	720	92
WASH	1375	1350	98	572	536	94
W VA	555	549	99	283	278	98
WIS	4550	4275	94	2162	2099	97
WYO	1580	1550	98	760	732	96
U.S.	127976	122896	96	54832	52395	96

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS
JANUARY 1, 1976-77

STATE	BEEF COWS THAT HAVE CALVED			MILK COWS THAT HAVE CALVED		
	1976	1977	1977 AS % OF 76	1976	1977	1977 AS % OF 76
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT	1000 HEAD		PERCENT
ALA	1310	1093	83	90	87	97
ALAS	2.5	2.3	92	1.6	1.5	94
ARIZ	312	319	102	68	68	100
ARK	1185	1210	102	89	90	101
CALIF	1010	991	98	810	809	100
COLO	1040	889	85	75	71	95
CONN	7	7	100	53	53	100
DEL	6	5	83	12	12	100
FLA	1419	1378	97	196	201	103
GA	1037	961	93	129	129	100
HAW	89	85	96	14	13	93
IDAHO	636	608	96	144	142	99
ILL	842	800	95	244	234	96
IND	617	601	97	213	209	98
IOWA	1928	1903	99	395	392	99
KANS	1757	1690	96	143	141	99
KY	1365	1337	98	285	280	98
LA	952	856	90	138	135	98
MAINE	12	10	83	60	58	97
MD	81	79	98	139	140	101
MASS	9	9	100	55	53	96
MICH	209	238	114	407	405	100
MINN	751	640	85	890	880	99
MISS	1317	1325	101	117	115	98
MO	2700	2615	97	300	310	103
MONT	1614	1549	96	26	27	104
NEBR	2142	2082	97	148	138	93
NEV	336	298	89	14	14	100
N H	6	6	100	32	31	97
N J	14	15	107	45	47	104
N MEX	644	644	100	31	31	100
N Y	130	112	86	916	913	100
N C	425	391	92	153	154	101
N DAK	1150	1060	92	119	113	95
OHIO	500	512	102	390	398	102
OKLA	2673	2259	85	117	116	99
OREG	620	599	97	90	91	101
PA	208	196	94	706	706	100
R I	1	1	100	6	5	83
S C	312	332	106	56	58	104
S DAK	1897	1388	73	164	162	99
TENN	1268	1269	100	212	211	100
TEX	6480	6482	100	320	318	99
UTAH	362	335	93	79	79	100
VT	14	13	93	194	195	101
VA	621	555	89	159	165	104
WASH	393	355	90	179	181	101
W VA	244	240	98	39	38	97
WIS	350	299	85	1812	1800	99
WYO	748	721	96	12	11	92
U.S.	43746	41364	95	11087	11031	99

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS
JANUARY 1, 1976-77

STATE	HEIFERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER					
	BEEF COW REPLACEMENT		MILK COW REPLACEMENT		OTHER	
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
	1000 HEAD					
ALA	199	182	23	21	80	71
ALAS	.5	.5	.5	.5	0.	0.
ARIZ	45	45	15	10	55	37
ARK	222	225	24	27	36	53
CALIF	240	210	320	315	190	164
COLO	180	136	40	21	475	516
CONN	2	2	19	20	2	2
DEL	1	1	3	3	1	1
FLA	258	232	44	42	69	70
GA	180	164	42	39	62	85
HAW	15	15	5	7	21	22
IDAHO	101	92	62	56	124	142
ILL	139	115	91	80	383	429
IND	96	94	87	91	167	189
IOWA	225	199	135	137	773	1071
KANS	238	218	39	38	689	870
KY	228	201	93	99	135	122
LA	152	136	34	31	28	34
MAINE	4	3	26	26	2	2
MD	25	23	51	50	20	14
MASS	2	2	17	17	1	1
MICH	33	41	213	174	50	65
MINN	152	120	356	400	286	320
MISS	231	246	35	40	46	35
MO	421	381	86	102	304	277
MONT	274	238	10	9	101	105
NEBR	275	284	41	32	786	884
NEV	50	47	5	6	15	14
N H	1	2	13	13	1	1
N J	6	6	12	13	4	3
N MEX	106	99	9	6	88	84
N Y	38	37	345	354	46	37
N C	96	82	43	39	36	36
N DAK	140	139	24	24	93	83
OHIO	101	92	147	154	120	86
OKLA	400	328	45	34	255	248
OREG	94	97	27	28	58	76
PA	53	51	221	221	69	69
R I	0	0	2	2	0	0
S C	65	59	14	14	14	15
S DAK	225	161	45	40	225	219
TENN	257	222	62	54	71	77
TEX	1060	1000	100	90	1030	1020
UTAH	65	53	37	39	35	44
VT	5	4	63	63	4	4
VA	114	104	50	52	54	57
WASH	92	97	67	68	88	101
W VA	61	60	13	13	14	14
WIS	91	81	714	688	132	128
WYO	138	127	3	3	57	54
U.S.	7197	6554	3973	3906	7395	8051

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS
JANUARY 1, 1976-77

STATE	STEERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER		BULLS 500 POUNDS AND OVER		STEERS, HEIFERS, AND BULLS UNDER 500 LBS.	
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
	1000 HEAD					
ALA	214	179	63	71	871	656
ALAS	.4	.3	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.6
ARIZ	500	350	28	24	257	212
ARK	89	105	74	75	666	715
CALIF	1180	1120	85	71	1165	1070
COLO	705	712	60	49	675	636
CONN	2	2	2	2	23	22
DEL	4	3	1	1	5	6
FLA	151	148	99	90	684	639
GA	160	186	68	62	692	674
HAW	31	33	7	7	63	58
IDAHO	244	295	39	40	525	525
ILL	807	717	68	51	826	774
IND	378	340	33	34	634	567
IOWA	1575	1599	105	92	2364	2257
KANS	1830	1824	90	83	1664	1536
KY	269	314	93	89	982	858
LA	53	54	61	56	462	398
MAINE	3	3	3	3	31	28
MD	51	53	11	10	82	83
MASS	3	2	2	2	18	18
MICH	302	287	28	30	408	410
MINN	712	640	65	60	1218	940
MISS	99	101	82	80	796	728
MO	667	664	152	140	1970	1911
MONT	165	187	95	90	865	775
NEBR	1160	1250	112	110	1886	1670
NEV	49	45	17	16	165	160
N H	2	2	1	1	16	16
N J	7	7	3	3	19	20
N MEX	223	165	40	45	509	426
N Y	50	47	34	28	356	332
N C	62	63	36	34	279	281
N DAK	166	168	60	56	628	592
OHIO	398	405	51	45	598	558
OKLA	825	865	130	113	1955	1687
OREG	130	158	42	39	379	402
PA	245	294	47	51	411	372
R I	0	0	0	0	3	2
S C	44	45	24	24	196	203
S DAK	405	347	99	66	1440	1267
TENN	208	228	70	69	952	870
TEX	1950	1940	470	460	4190	4490
UTAH	82	77	19	18	248	235
VT	3	3	5	5	58	55
VA	214	210	33	33	405	444
WASH	231	217	28	27	297	304
W VA	49	47	18	18	117	119
WIS	350	304	50	47	1051	928
WYO	106	130	45	47	471	457
U.S.	17153	16935	2849	2668	34577	32388

CATTLE AND CALVES - NUMBER ON FEED,
JANUARY 1, 1976-77 ^{1/}

STATE	1976	1977	1977 AS % OF 1976
	1,000 HEAD		PERCENT
ARIZ	510	361	71
CALIF	960	801	83
COLO	925	915	99
IDAHO	203	248	122
ILL	630	620	98
IND	285	290	102
IOWA	1,530	1,520	99
KANS	1,340	1,315	98
MICH	210	215	102
MINN	430	340	79
MO	260	255	98
MONT	80	83	104
NEBR	1,390	1,580	114
N MEX	212	163	77
N DAK	36	35	97
OHIO	320	325	102
OKLA	286	305	107
OREG	79	79	100
PENN	90	92	102
S DAK	365	370	101
TEX	1,882	1,710	91
WASH	168	176	105
WIS	136	130	96
23 STATES	12,327	11,928	97
ALA	45	44	98
ARK	21	24	114
FLA	81	73	90
GA	80	84	105
HAW	16	15	94
KY	35	40	114
LA	12	15	125
MD	26	22	85
MISS	14	14	100
NEV	25	19	76
N J	3	3	100
N Y	9	10	111
N C	46	50	109
S C	34	30	88
TENN	16	18	113
UTAH	60	60	100
VA	40	45	113
W VA	11	9	82
WYO	39	45	115
OTHER STATES	3	2	67
U S	12,943	12,550	97

^{1/} CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED ARE ANIMALS BEING FATTENED FOR SLAUGHTER MARKET ON GRAIN OR OTHER CONCENTRATES AND ARE EXPECTED TO PRODUCE A CARCASS THAT WILL GRADE GOOD OR BETTER. CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED ARE INCLUDED IN THE CATTLE AND CALF INVENTORY ESTIMATES BY CLASSES.

CALF CROP, 1975-76

STATE	1975	1976	1976 AS % OF 75
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT
ALA	1250	1050	84
ALAS	3.5	3.3	94
ARIZ	316	315	100
ARK	1150	1140	99
CALIF	1620	1610	99
COLO	1020	880	86
CONN	53	53	100
DEL	16	15	94
FLA	1250	1170	94
GA	1010	910	90
HAW	73	76	104
IDAHO	770	730	95
ILL	1020	950	93
IND	780	740	95
IOWA	2200	2180	99
KANS	1880	1670	89
KY	1520	1450	95
LA	890	810	91
MAINE	65	62	95
MD	200	200	100
MASS	56	55	98
MICH	590	595	101
MINN	1596	1450	91
MISS	1270	1230	97
MO	2840	2700	95
MONT	1680	1570	93
NEBR	2190	2020	92
NEV	285	255	89
N H	36	34	94
N J	54	52	96
N MEX	590	590	100
N Y	975	945	97
N C	510	490	96
N DAK	1300	1190	92
OHIO	800	780	98
OKLA	2443	2150	88
OREG	658	640	97
PA	800	790	99
R I	6	5	83
S C	313	329	105
S DAK	2100	1800	86
TENN	1350	1214	90
TEX	6000	5800	97
UTAH	390	374	96
VT	187	185	99
VA	680	635	93
WASH	527	500	95
W VA	253	253	100
WIS	2100	2065	98
WYO	760	705	93
U.S.	50426	47415	94

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER, VALUE PER HEAD,
AND TOTAL VALUE, JANUARY 1, 1976-77

STATE	NUMBER		VALUE PER HEAD		TOTAL VALUE	
	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
	1000 HEAD		DOLLARS		1000 DOLLARS	
ALA	2850	2360	125	150	356250	354000
ALAS	8.5	7.7	380	400	3230	3080
ARIZ	1280	1065	195	215	249600	228975
ARK	2385	2500	145	160	345825	400000
CALIF	5000	4750	240	245	1200000	1163750
COLO	3250	3030	200	210	650000	636300
CONN	110	110	325	365	35750	40150
DEL	33	32	285	290	9405	9280
FLA	2920	2800	150	175	438000	490000
GA	2370	2300	140	160	331800	368000
HAW	245	240	260	250	63700	60000
IDAMO	1875	1900	195	215	365625	408500
ILL	3400	3200	205	210	697000	672000
IND	2225	2125	200	220	445000	467500
IOWA	7500	7650	195	210	1462500	1606500
KANS	6450	6400	185	190	1193250	1216000
KY	3450	3300	165	195	569250	643500
LA	1880	1700	145	170	272600	289000
MAINE	141	133	285	310	40185	41230
MD	460	452	270	275	124200	124300
MASS	107	104	345	380	36915	39520
MICH	1650	1650	265	285	437250	470250
MINN	4430	4000	215	235	952450	940000
MISS	2723	2670	130	155	353990	413850
MO	6600	6400	170	185	1122000	1184000
MONT	3150	2980	205	220	645750	655600
NEBR	6550	6450	190	205	1244500	1322250
NEV	651	600	215	200	139965	120000
N H	72	72	305	355	21960	25560
N J	110	114	340	375	37400	42750
N MEX	1650	1500	165	175	272250	262500
N Y	1915	1860	325	365	622375	678900
N C	1130	1080	160	175	180800	189000
N DAK	2380	2235	205	210	487900	469350
OHIO	2305	2250	225	240	518625	540000
OKLA	6400	5650	160	170	1024000	960500
OREG	1440	1490	195	200	280800	298000
PA	1960	1960	310	335	607600	656600
R I	12	10	325	375	3900	3750
S C	725	750	150	160	108750	120000
S DAK	4500	3650	195	200	877500	730000
TENN	3100	3000	150	170	465000	510000
TEX	15600	15800	155	170	2418000	2686000
UTAH	927	880	200	210	185400	184800
VT	346	342	345	390	119370	133380
VA	1650	1620	175	195	288750	315900
WASH	1375	1350	215	230	295625	310500
W VA	555	549	165	175	91575	96075
WIS	4550	4275	290	315	1319500	1346625
WYO	1580	1550	205	220	323900	341000
U.S.	127976	122896	190	206	24336970	25268725

CATTLE AND CALVES: TOTAL AND NUMBER BY CLASS
JULY 1, 1975-76

STATE	ALL CATTLE AND CALVES			ALL COWS THAT HAVE CALVED		
	1975	1976	1976 AS % OF 75	1975	1976	1976 AS % OF 75
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT	1000 HEAD		PERCENT
ALA	3000	2600	87	1473	1300	88
ARIZ	1270	1200	94	421	420	100
ARK	2850	2750	96	1380	1325	96
CALIF	5130	4730	92	1872	1769	94
COLO	3470	3440	99	1093	980	90
FLA	3180	2910	92	1638	1510	92
GA	2515	2295	91	1185	1080	91
IDAHO	2200	2100	95	855	800	94
ILL	3450	3200	93	1155	1037	90
IND	2200	2240	102	850	855	101
IOWA	7400	7700	104	2295	2272	99
KANS	6650	6400	96	2208	1900	86
KY	3750	3600	96	1690	1609	95
LA	2100	2000	95	1160	1070	92
MICH	1750	1680	96	656	652	99
MINN	4400	4300	98	1680	1570	93
MISS	3100	2900	94	1581	1460	92
MO	7600	6750	89	3250	2860	88
MONT	4200	4180	100	1722	1700	99
NEBR	7000	7100	101	2310	2150	93
N MEX	1900	1800	95	766	675	88
N Y	1941	1900	98	1054	1020	97
N DAK	3150	2990	95	1400	1286	92
OHIO	2450	2300	94	948	900	95
OKLA	6550	6450	98	2745	2600	95
OREG	1700	1700	100	755	740	98
PA	2000	1950	98	909	904	99
S DAK	5650	4950	88	2300	1900	83
TENN	3550	3240	91	1597	1500	94
TEX	17000	16300	96	7400	7000	95
VA	1950	1850	95	858	797	93
WASH	1700	1650	97	655	610	93
WIS	4750	4600	97	2209	2157	98
WYO	2100	2060	98	825	770	93
34 STATES	133606	127815	96	54895	51178	93
16 OTHER STATES 1/1	6450	5744	89	3098	2696	87
U.S.	140056	133559	95	57993	53874	93

1/ STATE ESTIMATES NOT AVAILABLE IN JULY.

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS
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STATE	BEEF COWS THAT HAVE CALVED			MILK COWS THAT HAVE CALVED		
	1975	1976	1976 AS % OF 75	1975	1976	1976 AS % OF 75
	1000 HEAD		PERCENT	1000 HEAD		PERCENT
ALA	1382	1212	88	91	88	97
ARIZ	353	350	99	68	70	103
ARK	1290	1238	96	90	87	97
CALIF	1074	954	89	798	815	102
COLO	1019	908	89	74	72	97
FLA	1440	1309	91	198	201	102
GA	1055	952	90	130	128	98
IDAHO	708	659	93	147	141	96
ILL	900	794	88	255	243	95
IND	635	644	101	215	211	98
IOWA	1893	1881	99	402	391	97
KANS	2064	1760	85	144	140	97
KY	1403	1328	95	287	281	98
LA	1024	933	91	136	137	101
MICH	246	248	101	410	404	99
MINN	802	700	87	878	870	99
MISS	1460	1344	92	121	116	96
MO	2947	2550	87	303	310	102
MONT	1694	1674	99	28	26	93
NEBR	2159	2006	93	151	144	95
N MEX	734	644	88	32	31	97
N Y	140	111	79	914	909	99
N DAK	1278	1169	91	122	117	96
OHIO	545	503	92	403	397	99
OKLA	2625	2483	95	120	117	98
OREG	664	649	98	91	91	100
PA	210	203	97	699	701	100
S DAK	2136	1736	81	164	164	100
TENN	1381	1291	93	216	209	97
TEX	7064	6678	95	336	322	96
VA	701	634	90	157	163	104
WASH	474	428	90	181	182	101
WIS	395	347	88	1814	1810	100
WYO	813	759	93	12	11	92
34 STATES	44708	41079	92	10187	10099	99
16 OTHER STATES	2143	1750	82	955	946	99
U.S.	46851	42829	91	11142	11045	99

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS
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STATE	HEIFERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER					
	BEEF COW REPLACEMENT		MILK COW REPLACEMENT		OTHER	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	1000 HEAD					
ALA	222	164	30	22	78	45
ARIZ	44	46	19	18	36	36
ARK	214	229	26	22	55	52
CALIF	221	175	323	317	241	213
COLO	153	155	28	30	486	535
FLA	216	204	38	35	57	73
GA	178	135	43	41	68	66
IDAHO	119	101	73	63	139	151
ILL	124	109	83	83	397	429
IND	102	93	77	84	177	208
IOWA	222	192	140	154	940	1132
KANS	266	250	53	45	585	640
KY	218	195	90	104	117	122
LA	168	150	25	30	24	30
MICH	58	54	175	166	58	67
MINN	163	138	348	387	290	378
MISS	211	246	30	29	35	32
MO	441	378	84	108	281	297
MONT	294	284	12	13	163	192
NEBR	280	241	35	36	777	1022
N MEX	110	90	13	8	114	109
N Y	39	36	385	380	35	38
N DAK	170	155	25	24	92	129
OHIO	123	101	149	145	120	113
OKLA	348	315	29	30	304	320
OREG	94	94	25	25	56	72
PA	60	58	240	241	62	52
S DAK	339	208	45	45	311	327
TENN	259	218	75	74	67	82
TEX	1100	950	100	80	870	900
VA	103	102	53	57	60	52
WASH	102	81	76	53	126	89
WIS	105	97	717	713	152	147
WYO	155	151	3	3	111	115
34 STATES	7021	6195	3637	3665	7484	8265
16 OTHER STATES	356	325	295	280	143	153
U.S.	7377	6520	3932	3945	7627	8418

**CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER BY CLASS
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STATE	STEERS 500 POUNDS AND OVER		BULLS 500 POUNDS AND OVER		STEERS, HEIFERS, AND BULLS UNDER 500 LBS.	
	1975	1976	1975	1976	1975	1976
	1000 HEAD					
ALA	120	144	69	62	1008	863
ARIZ	400	378	32	28	318	274
ARK	105	102	75	72	995	948
CALIF	1206	1173	87	76	1180	1007
COLO	659	735	62	55	989	950
FLA	153	166	102	87	976	835
GA	146	142	70	62	825	769
IDAHO	330	330	42	38	642	617
ILL	707	726	55	48	929	768
IND	302	340	40	42	652	618
IOWA	1665	1948	104	92	2034	1910
KANS	1463	1696	100	90	1975	1779
KY	292	335	105	94	1238	1141
LA	42	60	69	62	612	598
MICH	299	284	32	34	472	423
MINN	656	774	75	60	1188	993
MISS	65	87	93	87	1085	959
MO	798	716	160	129	2586	2262
MONT	360	385	101	92	1548	1514
NEBR	1365	1549	119	114	2114	1988
N MEX	256	288	48	45	593	585
N Y	41	48	33	28	384	350
N DAK	220	239	69	51	1174	1106
OHIO	419	406	54	51	637	584
OKLA	845	928	124	122	2155	2135
OREG	170	190	39	39	561	540
PA	250	240	53	45	426	410
S DAK	622	589	113	99	1920	1782
TENN	213	221	82	73	1257	1072
TEX	1650	1760	490	460	5390	5150
VA	205	226	49	40	622	576
WASH	233	350	46	28	462	439
WIS	380	382	52	51	1135	1053
WYO	240	301	53	51	713	669
34 STATES	16877	18238	2897	2607	40795	37667
16 OTHER STATES	414	452	166	147	1978	1691
U.S.	17291	18690	3063	2754	42773	39358

NUMBER OF OPERATIONS WITH CATTLE AND MILK COWS, 1975-76

STATE	OPERATIONS WITH CATTLE		OPERATIONS WITH MILK COWS 1/	
	1975	1976	1975	1976
	NUMBER			
ALA	54000	53000	7000	7000
ALAS	140	140	60	60
ARIZ	3100	3100	800	750
ARK	52000	53000	8000	8000
CALIF	27000	26000	5400	5400
COLO	21000	20000	4800	4600
CONN	2200	2200	1200	1200
DEL	1000	1000	400	350
FLA	18000	17500	3200	3100
GA	49000	48000	5000	4000
HAW	930	900	100	80
IDAHO	19000	18500	5800	5400
ILL	66000	65000	10000	9000
IND	58000	55000	11000	10500
IOWA	94000	92000	19000	19000
KANS	58000	57000	7500	7300
KY	90000	87000	25000	24000
LA	37000	36000	8000	7500
MAINE	3900	3900	2200	2200
MD	8200	8200	4200	4100
MASS	2300	2300	1400	1400
MICH	39000	37000	12000	10000
MINN	75000	73000	34000	31000
MISS	62000	62000	8500	8000
MO	119000	117000	22000	20000
MONT	19000	18700	4400	4300
NEBR	56000	53000	8000	7000
NEV	1600	1600	500	450
N H	1700	1700	1000	900
N J	2400	2400	900	900
N MEX	8500	8500	1500	1500
N Y	40000	39000	21500	21000
N C	56000	56000	11000	11000
N DAK	26000	24500	7500	6500
OHIO	62000	60000	14800	14100
OKLA	73000	73000	8000	7500
OREG	22000	23000	4800	4800
PA	52000	52000	25000	24000
R I	300	300	170	170
S C	22000	23500	3700	3600
S DAK	35000	34000	9000	8600
TENN	88000	85000	16000	14000
TEX	165000	165000	15000	14500
UTAH	9400	9500	2600	2600
VT	5300	5200	4500	4500
VA	44000	41000	13000	12500
WASH	22000	22000	4700	4400
W VA	20000	20000	5600	5500
WIS	87000	84000	53000	51000
WYO	6900	6900	2000	1900
U.S.	1884870	1848540	444730	421160

1/ INCLUDED IN OPERATIONS WITH CATTLE.