

**Table 864. Livestock Inventory and Production: 1990 to 2009**

[95.8 represents 95,800,000. Production in live weight; includes animals-for-slaughter market, younger animals shipped to other states for feeding or breeding purposes, farm slaughter and custom slaughter consumed on farms where produced, minus livestock shipped into states for feeding or breeding with an adjustment for changes in inventory]

Type of livestock	Unit	1990	1995	2000	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
<b>ALL CATTLE <sup>1</sup></b>											
Inventory: <sup>2</sup> Number on farms . . .	Mil. . . . .	95.8	102.8	98.2	96.1	94.4	95.0	96.3	96.6	96.0	94.5
Total value . . . . .	Bil. dol. . . . .	59.0	63.2	67.1	69.9	77.2	87.0	97.2	89.1	95.1	(NA)
Value per head . . . . .	Dol. . . . .	616	615	683	728	818	916	1,009	922	990	(NA)
Production: Quantity . . . . .	Bil. lb. . . . .	39.2	42.5	43.0	42.2	41.6	41.2	41.8	41.4	41.6	40.9
Beef, price per 100 pounds . . . . .	Dol. . . . .	74.60	61.80	68.60	79.70	85.80	89.70	87.20	89.90	(NA)	(NA)
Calves, price per 100 pounds . . . . .	Dol. . . . .	95.60	73.10	104.00	102.00	119.00	135.00	133.00	119.00	(NA)	(NA)
Value of production . . . . .	Bil. dol. . . . .	29.3	24.7	28.5	32.1	34.9	36.3	35.5	36.0	35.6	31.8
<b>HOGS AND PIGS</b>											
Inventory: <sup>3</sup> Number on farms . . .	Mil. . . . .	53.8	59.7	59.3	59.6	60.5	61.0	61.5	62.5	68.2	67.1
Total value . . . . .	Bil. dol. . . . .	4.3	3.2	4.3	4.2	4.0	6.3	5.8	5.6	5.0	(NA)
Value per head . . . . .	Dol. . . . .	79	53	72	71	67	103	95	90	73	(NA)
Production: Quantity . . . . .	Bil. lb. . . . .	21.3	24.4	25.7	26.3	26.7	27.4	28.2	29.6	31.4	31.1
Price per 100 pounds . . . . .	Dol. . . . .	53.70	40.50	42.30	37.20	49.30	50.20	46.00	46.60	(NA)	(NA)
Value of production . . . . .	Bil. dol. . . . .	11.3	9.8	10.8	9.7	13.1	13.6	12.7	13.5	14.5	12.8
<b>SHEEP AND LAMBS</b>											
Inventory: <sup>2</sup> Number on farms . . .	Mil. . . . .	11.4	9.0	7.0	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.0	5.7
Total value . . . . .	Mil. dol. . . . .	901	663	670	657	720	798	872	818	823	(NA)
Value per head . . . . .	Dol. . . . .	79	75	95	104	119	130	141	134	138	(NA)
Production: Quantity . . . . .	Mil. lb. . . . .	781	602	512	467	466	472	461	440	417	413
Value of production . . . . .	Mil. dol. . . . .	374	414	365	389	413	451	368	363	351	357

NA Not available. <sup>1</sup> Includes milk cows. <sup>2</sup> As of January 1. <sup>3</sup> As of December 1 of preceding year.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, *Meat Animals—Production, Disposition, and Income Final Estimates 1998–2002*, May 2004; *Meat Animals—Production, Disposition, and Income Final Estimates 2003–2007*, May 2009; *Meat Animals Production, Disposition, and Income 2009 Summary*, April 2010. See also <<http://www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/index.asp>>.

**Table 865. Livestock Operations by Size of Herd: 2000 to 2009**

[In thousands (1,076 represents 1,076,000). An operation is any place having one or more head on hand at any time during the year]

Size of herd	2000	2005	2008	2009	Size of herd	2000	2005	2008	2009
<b>CATTLE <sup>1</sup></b>									
<b>MILK COWS <sup>2</sup></b>									
<b>Total operations . . . . .</b>	<b>1,076</b>	<b>983</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>Total operations . . . . .</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>65</b>
1 to 49 head . . . . .	671	612	645	642	1 to 49 head . . . . .	53	37	33	32
50 to 99 head . . . . .	186	164	133	132	50 to 99 head . . . . .	31	23	18	17
100 to 499 head . . . . .	192	178	148	146	100 head or more . . . . .	21	15	16	16
500 to 999 head . . . . .	19	19	19	19	<b>HOGS AND PIGS</b>				
1,000 head or more . . . . .	10	10	11	11	<b>Total operations . . . . .</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>71</b>
<b>BEEF COWS <sup>2</sup></b>									
<b>Total operations . . . . .</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>753</b>	1 to 99 head . . . . .	50	41	51	50
1 to 49 head . . . . .	655	597	601	598	100 to 499 head . . . . .	17	10	7	6
50 to 99 head . . . . .	100	95	83	82	500 to 999 head . . . . .	8	5	3	3
100 to 499 head . . . . .	71	73	67	67	1,000 to 1,999 head . . . . .	6	4	4	4
500 head or more . . . . .	6	5	6	6	2,000 to 4,999 head . . . . .	5	5	5	5
					5,000 head or more . . . . .	2	2	3	3

<sup>1</sup> Includes calves. <sup>2</sup> Included in operations with cattle.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, *Livestock Operations Final Estimates 1998–2002*, April 2004; *Livestock Operations Final Estimates 2003–2007*, March 2009; *Farms, Land in Farms, and Livestock Operations 2009 Summary*, February 2010. See also <<http://www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/index.asp>>.

**Table 866. Hogs and Pigs—Number, Production, and Slaughter by Leading States: 2007 to 2009**

[68,177 represents 68,177,000. See headnote, Table 864]

State	Number on farms <sup>1</sup> (1,000)			Quantity produced (mil. lb.)			Value of production (mil. dol.)			Commercial slaughter <sup>2</sup> (mil. lb.)	
	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009	2008	2009
<b>U.S. <sup>3</sup> . . . . .</b>	<b>68,177</b>	<b>67,148</b>	<b>65,327</b>	<b>29,606</b>	<b>31,411</b>	<b>31,131</b>	<b>13,468</b>	<b>14,457</b>	<b>12,762</b>	<b>31,199</b>	<b>30,723</b>
IA . . . . .	19,400	19,900	19,200	8,444	9,428	9,623	3,632	4,040	3,585	8,744	8,682
NC . . . . .	10,200	9,700	9,600	3,815	4,210	4,099	1,931	2,120	1,836	3,160	3,219
MN . . . . .	7,700	7,500	7,300	3,540	3,777	3,427	1,646	1,763	1,421	2,594	2,592
IL . . . . .	4,350	4,350	4,300	1,513	1,711	1,841	786	917	908	2,989	2,674
IN . . . . .	3,700	3,550	3,650	1,607	1,726	1,730	713	818	724	2,182	2,256
MO . . . . .	3,150	3,150	3,100	1,806	1,747	1,697	716	765	675	2,160	2,229
NE . . . . .	3,350	3,350	3,100	1,438	1,385	1,369	727	715	630	2,122	2,068

<sup>1</sup> As of December 1. <sup>2</sup> Includes slaughter in federally inspected and other slaughter plants; excludes animals slaughtered on farms. <sup>3</sup> Includes other states, not shown separately.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Agricultural Statistics Service, *Meat Animals—Production, Disposition and Income 2009 Summary*, April 2010, and *Livestock Slaughter 2009 Summary*, April 2010, annual. See also <<http://www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/index.asp>>.