

# CATTLE REPORT - July 1, 2012

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[Verify name and mailing address of this operation. Make any corrections necessary (including the correct operation name) on the label and continue.]

[Check if name label verified]

2. Have or will there be any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time during **2012**? (Cattle and calves on grazing land leased on a **fee per head** or **animal unit month** (AUM) basis should be included by the cattle owner, excluded by the land owner.)

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**Yes** – [Go to **Item 3.**]

**No** – a. Were you (the individual named on the label) operating a farm or ranch on July 1, 2012?

**Yes** – [Go to **Section 3.**]

**No** – [Go to **Section 2.**]

3. Are the day-to-day decisions for this **operation** made by one individual, a hired manager, or partners? [Check one]

One individual – [Go to **Section 1.**]

A hired manager – [Go to **Section 1.**]

Partners – How many partners make the day-to-day decisions?

**Number of  
 Partners**

[Enter number of partners, including the partner named on the label. Identify the other person(s) in this partnership in the boxes on page 2, then continue with **Section 1.**]

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### Section 1 – Cattle and Calves

1. On July 1 were any cattle and calves, regardless of ownership, on the total acres operated? (Cattle and calves on grazing land leased on a **fee per head** or **animal unit month (AUM)** basis should be included by the cattle owner, excluded by the land owner.)

**Yes** – [Go to **Item 2.**]                       **No** – [Go to **Item 6b.**]

2. Of the total number of cattle and calves on hand July 1, how many were:

a. beef cows, including beef heifers that had calved? .....	351
b. milk cows, both dry or in milk, including milk heifers that had calved? .....	352
c. bulls weighing 500 pounds or more? .....	353
d. heifers that had not calved, weighing 500 pounds or more:	
(i) for beef cow replacement? .....	354
(ii) for milk cow replacement? .....	355
(iii) other heifers 500 pounds or more? .....	356
e. steers weighing 500 pounds or more? .....	357
f. heifer, steer, and bull calves weighing less than 500 pounds, including newborn calves? .....	358
3. <b>[Add Items 2a through 2f and verify the total.]</b> Then the total cattle and calves on hand July 1 was: .....	350

#### Cattle and Calves On Feed

We need to know about the cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market. Their ration would include grain, silage, hay, or protein supplement.

- Include** cattle being fed by you for others.
- Exclude** any of your cattle being custom fed in feedlots operated by others.
- Exclude** cattle being “backgrounded only” for sale as feeders, for later placement on feed in another feedlot, or to be returned to pasture.

4. How many <b>cattle and calves</b> were <b>on feed</b> July 1, that will be shipped <b>directly</b> from your feedlot to slaughter market? .....	652
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**Calf Crop for 2012** (Calves born on grazing land leased on a **fee per head** or **animal unit month (AUM)** basis should be included by the cattle owner, excluded by the land owner.)

5. Of the <b>cows and heifers</b> on the total acres operated on July 1, how many are <b>expected to calve</b> during the period July 1 through December 31, 2012? .....	361
6. Of the <b>calves born</b> on the total acres operated during the period January 1 through June 30, 2012, how many: ( <b>Exclude</b> calves purchased.)	
a. were <b>on hand</b> July 1? .....	363
b. were <b>sold, moved off</b> the total acres operated, or <b>slaughtered</b> by July 1? .....	364
c. had <b>died</b> by July 1? ( <b>Exclude</b> calves born dead.) .....	365
7. <b>[Add items 6a through 6c and verify the total.]</b> Then the total calves born January 1 through June 30, 2012 was: .....	362

**Deaths and Losses** (Cattle and calves that died or were lost on grazing land leased on a **fee per head** or **animal unit month (AUM)** basis should be included by the cattle owner, excluded by the land owner.)

8. How many <b>cattle</b> weighing 500 pounds or more <b>died or were lost from all causes</b> during the period January 1 through June 30, 2012? .....	367
9. How many <b>calves</b> weighing less than 500 pounds <b>died or were lost from all causes</b> during the period January 1 through June 30, 2012? ( <b>Exclude</b> calves born dead.) .....	368

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1 – Incomplete, has Cattle	498
2 – Incomplete, Cattle presence unknown	
3 – Valid Zero	

### Section 2 – Change in Operator

**[Complete this section only if all answers to item 2 on the front page are "No."]**

1. Has the operation named on the label been sold, rented, or turned over to someone else?

**Yes** – [Continue.]                       **No** – [Go to **Item 1a.**]

2. Was the operator (name on label) operating a farm or ranch on June 1, 2012?

**Yes** – [Continue.]                       **No** – [Continue.]

3. Please provide the following information for the operation that has taken over the land:

a. What is the name and address of the new operation?

Operation Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Operator Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

b. Was the [Item 3a] new operation in business before June 1, 2012?

**Yes** – [Go to **Section 3.**]                       **No** – [Continue.]

c. Is the [Item 3a] new operation managed?

**Yes** – [Go to **Section 3.**]                       **No** – [Continue.]

d. Were any individuals associated with the [Item 3a] operation operating land individually before June 1, 2012?

**Yes** – [Go to **Section 3.**]                       **No** – [Go to **Section 3.**]

1a. Will the land be used for any agricultural purpose by you (the operator), or anyone else in the next year? (Including growing crops or raising livestock.)

**Yes**                       **Don't Know**                       **No**

[Regardless of answer to above, write a note to explain the situation, then go to **Section 3.**]

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**Section 3 – Conclusion**

1. Do you (the operator named on the label) make any day-to-day decisions for another farm or ranch?

**Yes** – 1a. What is the name of the other operation(s): \_\_\_\_\_

1b. Was this operation in business before June 1, 2012?

**Yes** – [Go to **Item 2.**]                       **No** – [Go to **Item 2.**]

**No** – [Continue]

2. **Survey Results:** To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to [www.nass.usda.gov/results/](http://www.nass.usda.gov/results/)

Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date?

**Yes** – [Enter **code 1.**]                       **No** – [Enter **code 3.**]. . . . .

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Respondent Name: _____	9911 Phone: (    ) _____	9910	MM	DD	YY
Date: ____/____/____					

**This completes the survey. Thank you for your help.**

Response	9901	Respondent	9902	Mode	9903	Enum.	Eval.	Change	Office Use for POID			
1-Comp		1-Op/Mgr		1-Mail		0098	0100	0785	7899			
2-R		2-Sp		2-Tel					-----			
3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face					Optional/NOC Use			
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI					0407	0408	9906	9916
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web								
6-Inac – Est		6-e-mail										
7-Off Hold – Est		7-Fax										
8-Known Zero		8-CAPI		19-Other								

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