CATTLE REPORT - January 1, 2016

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1. [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]

Were any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on this operation on January 1, 2016 or at any time during 2015? (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 3.] No – a. Will there be any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on this operation during 2016? 	
	Yes – [Enter code 1.] Don't Know – [Enter code 2.] No. [Enter code 3.]	493
	b. Were you (the individual named on the label) operating a farm or ranch on January 1, 2016?	
	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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Please identify the other person(s) in this partnership, then *continue*. [Verify partners names and make necessary corrections if names have already been entered.]

[Check if verified] Office Use Name: Phone: (_____) Stratum (Middle) (Last) 9922 (First) Address: Ind. Op. (Rt. or St.) (City) (State) (Zip) 9924 Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2015? Yes No [Check if verified] Office Use Name: Phone: (_____) ____ Stratum (First) (Middle) (Last) 9923 Address: Ind. Op. (Rt. or St.) (City) (State) (Zip) 9924 Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, 2015? Yes No

Check	if verified]							Office Use
Name:				Phone: () _				Stratum
	(First)	(Middle)	(Last)				9	927
Address:					<u> </u>			Ind. Op.
		(Rt. or St.)		(City)	(State)	(Zip)	9	924
Did this pa	rtner operate	e land individually	on June 1, 2	015? Yes	No			

[Check	if verified]						Office Use
Name:				_ Phone: () _			Stratum
	(First)	(Middle)	(Last)				9928
Address:		··················			·····		Ind. Op.
		(Rt. or St.)		(City)	(State)	(Zip)	9924
Did this pa	rtner operat	e land individually o	on June 1, 2	015? Yes	Νο		

Section 1 – Cattle and Calves

1. On January 1, 2016 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 – Were any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on the total acres operated at any time during 2015? 		
		 Yes − [Go to Item 4b.] No − [Go to Section 3.] 		
2.	Of	the total number of cattle and calves on hand January 1, how many were:		
	a.	beef cows, including beef heifers that had calved?		351
	b.	milk cows, including any dry cows or milk heifers that had calved? (Exclude any heifers not yet freshened.) [If no milk cows, go to Item 2c .]		352
		(i) How many cows were milked on January 1?	 349]
		(ii) How much milk was produced that day? (Only one day's production.)	501 Lbs]
	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
		(a) How many of these beef cow replacement heifers are expected to calve during 2016?	 376]]
		(ii) for milk cow replacement?		355
		(a) How many of these milk cow replacement heifers are expected to calve during 2016?	377]]
		(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.	[Ac	dd Items 2a through 2f and verify the total.]		
		en the total cattle and calves on hand January 1 was:		350

Calf Crop for 2015 (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.)

4.	Of the calves born on the total acres operated during 2015, how many: (Exclude calves purchased.)		
	a. were on hand January 1, 2016?	363	
	b. (Of the calves born on the total acres operated during 2015, how many) were sold , moved off this operation, or slaughtered by January 1?	364	
	c. had died by January 1? (Exclude calves born dead.)	365	
5.	[Add items 4a through 4c and verify the total.] Then the total calves born during 2015 was:	366	
	a. Of these calves born, how many were born in the six month period, July 1 through December 31, 2015?	341	

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.)

6.	How many cattle weighing 500 pounds or more died or were lost from all causes during 2015?	367
7.	How many calves weighing less than 500 pounds died or were lost from all causes during 2015? (Exclude calves born dead.)	368

Cattle and Calves On Feed

Yes – [Go to **Item 9.**]

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.

8.	Are there any cattle and calves on feed , regardless of ownership, on the total acres
	operated that will be shipped directly from your feedlot to slaughter market?
	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.
	Exclude "Cows and Bulls" on feed.

No – Did you operate a feedlot or feeding facility on the total acres operated at any time since January 1, 2015?

Yes – [Go to **Item 10.**] **No** – [Go to **Item 12.**]

9.	How many cattle and calves were on feed January 1 that will	652
	be shipped directly from your feedlot to slaughter market?	

10. What was the **total capacity** of your feedlot on January 1?

[If capacity is 1,000 or greater, skip Item 11.]

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12.	What is the average value per head of the following:
	[Report to nearest dollar.]

a.	Beef cows?	\$ 190		
b.	Heifers kept for beef cow replacement weighing 500 pounds or more?	\$ 192		
c.	Milk cows?	\$ 266		
d.	Heifers kept for milk cow replacement weighing 500 pounds or more?	\$ 267		
e.	Bulls weighing 500 pounds or more?	\$ 191		
	f. Other heifers weighing 500 pounds or more?	\$	195	
	g. Steers weighing 500 pounds or more?	\$	196	
	h. Calves weighing less than 500 pounds?	\$	197	

Slaughter for Consumption by this Operation (regardless of ownership)

	Cattle	Calves
13. During 2015, how many cattle and calves were custom slaughtered at commercial establishments for consumption by this operation ?	268	269
14. During 2015, how many cattle and calves were slaughtered on this		
operation for consumption by this operation ? (Include mobile slaughtering. Exclude custom slaughter at commercial establishments.)	270	271

Grazing Fees in Your Area		
15. Were any cattle or calves reported on the total acres operated (Item 3, page 3 is positive)?		
Yes – [Continue.]	No – [Go to Section 1A on the next page.]	

Dollars and Cents

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16.	Which of the following is the most commonly used metho	d of charging for grazing on
]	privately owned, non-irrigated grazing land in your area?	[Check appropriate box.]

5		Per	Head	Per	Month
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		Per	Animal	Unit	Month	(AUM
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⁷ Per Animal Unit Month (AUM)
 ⁹ Per Cow With Nursing Calf Per Month

What was the average charge for this method in your area during 2015? a.

 17. During 2015, did this operation pay a fee to graze cattle on privately ow non-irrigated land using either a per head per month, per animal unit r or per cow with nursing calf per month method? Yes – [Enter code 1, then continue.] No – [Enter code 3, then 	Code 908	
	1 – Incomplete, has cattle2 – Incomplete, cattle presence unknown3 – Valid Zero	498

Section 1A - Causes of Predator and Non - Predator Loss

Questions 1 – 4 are collected for use by other agencies within the Department of Agriculture.

[Refer to Items 6 and 7 on page 4.]

1. If cattle or calves died or were lost on this operation last year, please report what happened to them. 1 -Incomplete has Deaths/Injuries 115 Preserve answers in the tables below. How many cattle or calves died or were lost from: 3 - Valid Zero 100

2.	Pred	ator Causes:
		Grizzly Bears
		Black Bears
		Bobcats or Lynx
		Coyotes
		Dogs
		Foxes
		Wolves
		Ravens
		Eagles
		Vultures
		Mountain Lions, Cougars, or Pumas
		Other Predators [specify]
		Unknown predators
3.	Non	-Predator Causes:
		Digestive problems (bloat, scours, parasites, enterotoxemia, acidosis, etc.)
		Respiratory problems (pneumonia, shipping fever, etc.)
		Metabolic problems (milk fever, grass tetany, etc.)
		Mastitis
		Lameness or injury
		Other Diseases
		Weather related causes (chilling, drowning, lightning, etc.)
		Calving related problems
		Poisoning (nitrate poisoning, noxious feeds, noxious weeds, etc.)
		Old age
		Theft (stolen)
		Other non-predator causes [specify]
		Unknown non - predator causes
4.	Add	calf and cattle deaths by cause in each column. These totals should agree with the

fee with the
corrections

5. How many calves and cattle were injured but not killed by predators during 2015?.....

	Calves	Cattle
+	953	042
+	952	041
+	948	034
+	950	038
+	689	037
+	688	036
+	687	039
+	957	044
+	951	040
+	961	045
+	954	043
+	955	049
+	960	060

+	962	046
+	964	047
+	965	048
+	967	051
+	968	054
+	963	063
+	956	050
+	966	053
+	958	052
+		061
+	024	056
+	027	057
+	032	058

=	028	059
	970	971

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6.	Did you use any non-lethal methods to prevent wildlife-caused losses on your cattle operation? $1 \mathbf{Yes} = 1$, Continue $3 \mathbf{No} = 3$, Go to Item 10						
7.	To prevent wildlife caused losses on your cattle operation, Did you use:	No					
	a. Guard Animals	1	3	121			
	b. Fencing (Predator Exclusion Fencing)	1	3	124			
	c. Herding	1	3	126			
	d. Night Penning	1	3	127			
	e. Fright Tactics	1	3	128			
	f. Livestock Carcass Removal	1	3	129			
	g. Culling Older Cattle to Prevent Death Loss	1	3	130			
	h. Frequent Checks in High Predation Areas/Seasons	1	3	132			
	i. Other Non – lethal (specify:)	1	3	133			
8.	 8. Did you spend any money on non-lethal predator control measures for cattle and calves during 2015? 1 Yes = 1, Continue 3 No = 3, Go to Item 10						
				Dollars			
9.	How much was spent on cattle and calves for non-lethal predator control measures 136 by this operation during 2015? 136						
10.	10. Did you spend any money on lethal predator control measures for cattle and calves during 2015?						
	$_{1}$ Yes = 1, Continue $_{3}$ No = 3, Go to Item 12	••••		137			
				Dollars			
11.	How much was spent on cattle and calves for lethal predator control measures			138			

by this operation during 2015?....

Section 2 – Change in Operator

[Complete this section only if the answers to items 2 and 2b on the front page are both "No."]

1.	Has the operation named on the label been sold, rented, or turned over to someone else?								
1.									
	Yes – [Continue.] No – [Go to Item 1a .]								
2.	Was the operator (name on label) operating a farm or ranch	1a. Will the land be used for any agricultural purpose by you (the operator), or anyone else in							
	on June 1, 2015?	the next year? (Including growing crops or raising							
	Yes – [Continue.] No – [Continue.]	livestock.)							
3.	Please provide the following information for the operation that over the land:	has taken Yes Don't Know No							
	a. What is the name and address of the new operation? Operation Name: Operator Name: Address: City: State: Zip: Phone: ()	[Regardless of answer to above, write a note to explain the situation, then go to Section 3 .]							
	 b. Was the [Item 3a] new operation in business before June 1, 2015? Yes – [Go to Section 3.] No – [Continue.] 								
	c. Is the [Item 3a] new operation managed?								
$\mathbf{Ves} - [Go \text{ to Section 3.}] \qquad \mathbf{No} - [Continue.]$									
 d. Were any individuals associated with the [Item 3a] operation operating land individually before June 1, 2015? Yes – [Go to Section 3.] No – [Go to Section 3.] 									
Se	ction 3 – Conclusion								
1.	Do you (the operator named on the label) make any day-to-day decisions for another farm or ranch? Yes – [Continue.] No – [Go to Item 2.]								
	a. What is the name of the other operation(s)?								
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	b. Was this additional operation in business	dress:							
	before June 1, 2015?	City: State: ZIP:							
	Yes – [Continue.] No – [Continue.]	Phone: ()							
2.	Survey Results: To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to 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.]	9990							
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Res	pondent Name:	Phone: () Date:							

This completes the survey. Thank you for your help.

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