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1. Were any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on this operation on **1**, or at any time during ? (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.)

2. Have or will there be any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on this operation at any time during ? (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  No

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

- One Individual
- A hired manager
- Partners

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**NUMBER  
OF  
PARTNERS**

How many partners, including the operator, make the day-to-day decisions for this operation?

1. Please identify the other person(s) in this partnership.

[Verify partners' names and make necessary corrections if names have already been entered.]

[Check if verified]  [Check if no longer a partner]

Name:

Phone:

(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address:

(Rt. or St.) (City) (State) (Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, ?

Yes  No

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[Check if verified]  [Check if no longer a partner]

Name:

Phone:

(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address:

(Rt. or St.)

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, ?

Yes  No

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[Check if verified]  [Check if no longer a partner]

Name:

Phone:

(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address:

(Rt. or St.)

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, ?

Yes  No

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(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address:

(Rt. or St.)

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Did this partner operate land individually on June 1, ?

Yes  No

**Section 1. – Cattle and Calves**

1. On 1, were any cattle or 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  No

1. Of the total number of cattle and calves on hand 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. milk cows, including any dry cows or milk heifers that had calved? + 352

(Exclude any heifers not yet freshened.) [If no milk cows, go to **Item 2c.**]

(i) How many cows were milked on 1? 349

(ii) How much milk was produced that day? 502  Gals. OR 501  Lbs.

(Only one day's production.)

d. bulls weighing 500 pounds or more? + 353

e. 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

376

are expected to calve during ?

(ii) for milk cow replacement? + 355

(a) How many of these milk cow replacement heifers

377

are expected to calve during ?

(iii) other heifers 500 pounds or more? + 356

f. steers weighing 500 pounds or more? + 357

g. heifer, steer, and bull calves weighing less than 500 pounds, including newborn calves? + 358

2. **[Add Items 2a through 2f and verify the total.]**

Then the total cattle and calves on hand 1 was:

= 350

**On Small Grain Pasture**

a. Of the **other heifers, steers, and calves** reported above, how many were grazing on winter wheat, oats, barley, or rye on 1?

189

**Calf Crop for** (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.)

1. Of the **calves born** on the total acres operated during , how many:

(**Exclude** calves purchased.)

a. were **on hand** 1, ? + 363

b. were **sold, moved off** this operation, or **slaughtered** by 1? + 364

c. had **died** by 1? (**Exclude** calves born dead.) + 365

2. **[Add items 4a through 4c and verify the total.]** = 366

Then the total calves born during was:

a. Of these calves born, how many were born in the six month period,  
July 1 through 31, ? 341

Were any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on the total acres operated at any time during ?

Yes  No

**Calf Crop for** (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 , how many:

(**Exclude** calves purchased.)

b. were **sold, moved off** this operation, or **slaughtered** by 1? + 364

c. had **died** by 1? (**Exclude** calves born dead.) + 365

5. **[Add items 4b and 4c and verify the total.]** = 366

Then the total calves born during was:

a. Of these calves born, how many were born in the six month period,  
July1 through 31, ? 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.)

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

**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.

1. 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..

Yes  No

Did you operate a feedlot or feeding facility on the total acres operated at any time since January 1, ?

Yes  No

10. What was the **total capacity** of your feedlot on January 1? 676

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

11. During , how many cattle and calves on feed were shipped **directly** to slaughter market from your feedlot?

678

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

652

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

676

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

1. During , how many cattle and calves on feed were shipped **directly** to slaughter market from your feedlot?

678

**Cattle and Calves Grass Fed for Slaughter**

1. During how many cattle and calves were grass fed and shipped **directly** to slaughter market from your operation? (Exclude cattle finished on a grain ration.)

677

**Inventory Values** for Cattle and Calves on hand 1, .

1. What is the average value per head of the following:

[Report to nearest dollar.]

a. Beef cows? \$ per Head 190

b. Heifers kept for beef cow replacement weighing 500 pounds or more? \$ per Head 192

c. Milk cows? \$ per Head 266

d. Heifers kept for milk cow replacement weighing 500 pounds or more? \$ per Head 267

- e. Bulls weighing 500 pounds or more? \$ per Head 191
- f. Other heifers weighing 500 pounds or more? \$ per Head 195
- g. Steers weighing 500 pounds or more? \$ per Head 196
- h. Calves weighing less than 500 pounds? \$ per Head 197

**Slaughter for Consumption by this Operation** (regardless of ownership)

**Cattle                      Calves**

1. During , how many cattle and calves were custom slaughtered at commercial establishments **for consumption by this operation?**

268       269
  
2. During , 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**

1. Were any cattle or calves reported on the total acres operated (Item 3, page 2 is positive)?
  - Yes       No
  
2. Which of the following is the most commonly used method of charging for grazing on **privately owned, non-irrigated** grazing land in your area?
  - Per Head Per Month
  - Per Animal Unit Month (AUM)
  - Per Cow With Nursing Calf Per Month

**Dollars  
and  
Cents**



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

4. During , did this operation pay a fee to graze cattle on **privately owned, non-irrigated** land using either a **per head per month, per animal unit month, or per cow with nursing calf per month method?**

Yes  No

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

The following questions are collected for use by other agencies within the Department of Agriculture.

1. If cattle or calves died or were lost on this operation last year, please report what happened to them.

How many cattle or calves died or were lost from:

1. Predator Causes:	Calves	Cattle
Grizzly Bears	+ 953 <input type="text"/>	42 <input type="text"/>
Black Bears	+ 952 <input type="text"/>	41 <input type="text"/>
Bobcats or Lynx	+ 948 <input type="text"/>	34 <input type="text"/>
Coyotes	+ 950 <input type="text"/>	38 <input type="text"/>
Dogs	+ 689 <input type="text"/>	37 <input type="text"/>
Foxes	+ 688 <input type="text"/>	36 <input type="text"/>
Wolves	+ 687 <input type="text"/>	39 <input type="text"/>
Ravens	+ 957 <input type="text"/>	44 <input type="text"/>
Eagles	+ 951 <input type="text"/>	40 <input type="text"/>
Vultures	+ 961 <input type="text"/>	45 <input type="text"/>

Mountain Lions, Cougars, or Pumas + 954  43

Other predators [specify:  ] + 955  49

Unknown predators + 960  60

2. Non-Predator Causes:

Digestive problems (bloat, scours, parasites, enterotoxemia, acidosis, etc.) + 962  46

Respiratory problems (pneumonia, shipping fever, etc.) + 964  47

Metabolic problems (milk fever, grass tetany, etc.) + 965  48

Mastitis + 967  51

Lameness or injury + 968  54

Other Diseases + 963  63

Weather related causes (chilling, drowning, lightning, etc.) + 956  50

Calving related problems + 966  53

Poisoning (nitrate poisoning, noxious feeds, noxious weeds, etc.) + 958  52

Old age + 61

Theft (stolen) + 24  56

Other non-predator causes + 27  57   
[specify:  ]

Unknown non-predator causes + 32  58

3. Add calf and cattle deaths by cause in each column. These totals should agree with the death loss recorded in items 6 and 7 previously. If they don't agree, make corrections wherever necessary.

= 28  59

4. How many calves and cattle were injured but not killed by predators during ? 970  971

1. Did you use any non-lethal methods to prevent wildlife-caused losses on your cattle operation?

**Yes 6783**  **No 8046**

1. To prevent wildlife caused losses on your cattle operation,

Did you use:

**Yes** **No**

- a. Guard Animals
  - b. Fencing (Predator Exclusion Fencing)
  - c. Herding
  - d. Night Penning
  - e. Fright Tactics
  - f. Livestock Carcass Removal
  - g. Culling Older Cattle to Prevent Death Loss
  - h. Frequent Checks in High Predation Areas/Seasons
  - i. Other Non - lethal [specify]
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2. Did you spend any money on **non-lethal** predator control measures for cattle and calves during ?

**Yes , 8045**  **No, 8046**

**Dollars**

1. How much was spent on cattle and calves for **non-lethal** predator control measures

by this operation during ?

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1. Did you spend any money on **lethal** predator control measures for cattle and calves during ?

**Yes , 8047**

**No, 8048**

**Dollars**

1. How much was spent on cattle and calves for **lethal** predator control measures

by this operation during ?

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1. Did you have the assistance of a County, State or Federal Government Trapper in controlling predators of cattle and calves in ?

**Yes**

**No**

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2. If you quit raising cattle within the past year which of the following was the **primary** reason:

Disease

Predator loss

Price of cattle or cattle products

Retirement

Weather (drought, etc.)

Other causes (specify )

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a. Will there be any cattle or calves, regardless of ownership, on this operation during ?

Yes

Don't Know

No

b. Were you operating a farm or ranch on 1, ?

Yes  No

**Section 1. – Change in Operator**

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

Yes  No

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

Yes  Don't Know  No

Regardless of answer to above, write a note to explain the situation:

2. Was the operator operating a farm or ranch on June 1, ?

Yes  No

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:

Phone:

City:

State:

Zip:

b. Was the new operation in business before June 1, ?

Yes  No

c. Is the new operation managed?

Yes  No

d. Were any of the individuals associated with the new operation operating land individually before June 1, ?

Yes  No

**Section 1. – Conclusion**

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

Yes  No

a. What is the name of the other operation(s)?

Operation Name:

Address:

City:

State:

ZIP:

Phone:

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

Yes  No

2. **Survey Results:** To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to:

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Yes       No

**Comments:**

