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Cattle Inventory by Class - Northeastern States and United States: January 1, 2024 and 2025

State	All cattle and calves			All cows and heifers that have calved		
	2024	2025	Percent of previous year	2024	2025	Percent of previous year
	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Connecticut	44.0	45.0	102	23.0	23.0	100
Delaware	10.5	10.5	100	4.1	4.1	100
Maine	73.0	73.0	100	36.0	35.0	97
Maryland	161.0	154.0	96	85.0	75.0	88
Massachusetts	31.0	31.0	100	14.5	15.0	103
New Hampshire	27.0	28.0	104	13.5	13.5	100
New Jersey	26.0	24.0	92	13.5	12.0	89
New York	1,410.0	1,410.0	100	730.0	730.0	100
Pennsylvania	1,380.0	1,370.0	99	670.0	660.0	99
Rhode Island	3.9	3.7	95	1.7	1.7	100
Vermont	220.0	215.0	98	127.0	126.0	99
United States	87,157.4	86,662.2	99	37,359.8	37,212.8	100

Cattle Inventory by Class - Northeastern States and United States: January 1, 2024 and 2025

State	Beef cows that have calved			Milk cows that have calved		
	2024	2025	Percent of previous year	2024	2025	Percent of previous year
	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Connecticut	5.5	(NA)	(NA)	17.5	(NA)	(NA)
Delaware	1.5	(NA)	(NA)	2.6	(NA)	(NA)
Maine	12.0	(NA)	(NA)	24.0	(NA)	(NA)
Maryland	45.0	(NA)	(NA)	40.0	(NA)	(NA)
Massachusetts	5.5	(NA)	(NA)	9.0	(NA)	(NA)
New Hampshire	4.0	(NA)	(NA)	9.5	(NA)	(NA)
New Jersey	9.5	(NA)	(NA)	4.0	(NA)	(NA)
New York	100.0	100.0	100	630.0	630.0	100
Pennsylvania	205.0	195.0	95	465.0	465.0	100
Rhode Island	1.2	(NA)	(NA)	0.5	(NA)	(NA)
Vermont	11.0	(NA)	(NA)	116.0	(NA)	(NA)
United States	28,013.0	27,863.5	99	9,346.8	9,349.3	100

(NA) Not available.

Cattle Inventory by Class - Northeastern States and United States: January 1, 2024 and 2025

State	All heifers 500 pounds and over					
	Beef cow replacement		Milk cow replacement		Other	
	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>
Connecticut	2.0	(NA)	9.0	(NA)	1.0	(NA)
Delaware	0.2	(NA)	0.8	(NA)	0.3	(NA)
Maine	3.5	(NA)	11.0	(NA)	4.5	(NA)
Maryland	8.5	(NA)	22.0	(NA)	6.5	(NA)
Massachusetts	3.0	(NA)	4.0	(NA)	1.0	(NA)
New Hampshire	1.0	(NA)	5.0	(NA)	1.0	(NA)
New Jersey	1.6	(NA)	2.3	(NA)	1.1	(NA)
New York	38.0	38.0	320.0	320.0	37.0	37.0
Pennsylvania	50.0	45.0	170.0	200.0	65.0	55.0
Rhode Island	0.4	(NA)	0.5	(NA)	0.2	(NA)
Vermont	4.0	(NA)	42.0	(NA)	6.0	(NA)
United States	4,718.3	4,672.4	3,951.2	3,914.3	9,650.5	9,593.2

(NA) Not available.

Cattle Inventory by Class - Northeastern States and United States: January 1, 2024 and 2025

State	Steers 500 pounds and over		Bulls 500 pounds and over		Calves under 500 pounds	
	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
		<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>
Connecticut	1.0	(NA)	0.5	(NA)	7.5	(NA)
Delaware	2.9	(NA)	0.2	(NA)	2.0	(NA)
Maine	5.0	(NA)	1.5	(NA)	11.5	(NA)
Maryland	11.5	(NA)	3.5	(NA)	24.0	(NA)
Massachusetts	2.0	(NA)	1.0	(NA)	5.5	(NA)
New Hampshire	1.0	(NA)	0.5	(NA)	5.0	(NA)
New Jersey	2.5	(NA)	0.6	(NA)	4.4	(NA)
New York	41.0	41.0	19.0	19.0	225.0	225.0
Pennsylvania	160.0	160.0	20.0	20.0	245.0	230.0
Rhode Island	0.4	(NA)	0.1	(NA)	0.6	(NA)
Vermont	3.0	(NA)	3.0	(NA)	35.0	(NA)
United States	15,959.2	15,802.4	2,030.7	2,009.0	13,487.7	13,458.1

(NA) Not available.

Calf Crop - Northeastern States and United States: 2023 and 2024

State	2023	2024	Percent of previous year
	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Connecticut	17.0	17.5	103
Delaware	3.5	3.5	100
Maine	28.0	27.0	96
Maryland	65.0	60.0	92
Massachusetts	13.0	13.0	100
New Hampshire	10.0	10.0	100
New Jersey	9.0	9.0	100
New York	560.0	560.0	100
Pennsylvania	530.0	530.0	100
Rhode Island	1.5	1.5	100
Vermont	99.0	95.0	96
United States	33,563.0	33,529.5	100

All Cattle on Feed - Northeastern States and United States: January 1, 2024 and 2025

[Cattle and calves on feed are steers and heifers being fed a ration of grain, silage, hay, and/or protein supplement for slaughter market that are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better. It excludes cattle being "backgrounded only" for later sale as feeders or later placement in another feedlot. Cattle and calves on feed are included in the cattle inventory estimates by class]

State	2024	2025	Percent of previous year
	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(1,000 head)</i>	<i>(percent)</i>
Maryland	6.5	(NA)	(NA)
New York	23.0	(NA)	(NA)
Pennsylvania	85.0	(NA)	(NA)
United States	14,426.3	14,296.7	99

(NA) Not available.

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