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FOREWORD

This second edition of the CMMS Statistics Report gives an indication of the vast amount of data collected by CMMS. This edition covers 2003. It provides some additional data over and above that provided in respect of 2002 and includes some comparative data for the first time. The data is based on a snapshot taken from the CMMS on 1 February 2004.

By way of background, the CMMS (Cattle Movement Monitoring System) is a central computerised database which holds data on the birth, movements and disposal of all cattle born or imported into Ireland. The recording of events associated with each animal is dependent on the co-operation of all of the industry in notifying these events promptly and accurately. In this regard, the effort involved by individual farmers, mart personnel, local authority abattoirs, meat factories, exporters and knackeries in populating the database is appreciated.

The original purpose of the CMMS was to provide a comprehensive central database of the origin, identity and life history of cattle but the uses and value of the system have gone well beyond the original design. The system is routinely used for contact tracing for animal diseases such as TB and Brucellosis, cohort tracing for BSE and to assist in the testing and certification requirements of a variety of schemes such as certification of beef for Russia, determination of age for BSE testing, etc. It has become an integral part of the ante-mortem process at factories and pre-export clearance for live exports. It is employed as a marketing tool for Ireland's beef export industry. It is also used systematically for verification of livestock premium payments, the establishment of premium entitlements direct from the system and the provision of ongoing data to farmers on the number and status of animals in their herds.

As the database becomes more and more accurate and with the addition of comparative data this report should have an increasing impact in assisting the industry as a whole and individual components in planning strategy and managing and marketing their particular sector whether it is for breeding, production or corporate decisions.

Readers will note that there is a difference of some 300,000 head between the end-year live animal population figure in the 2002 Report and the start 2003 figure in this Report. This difference arises from a decision taken during 2003 to remove from the live animal file some 300,000 animals born in 2000 or earlier for which there was no record on the herd reconciliation project undertaken in 2000 or of a movement or calving in the period from 2000 onwards. These animals had been maintained as live on the database until the Department was satisfied that they represented animals that were disposed of in the period before CMMS was fully operational.

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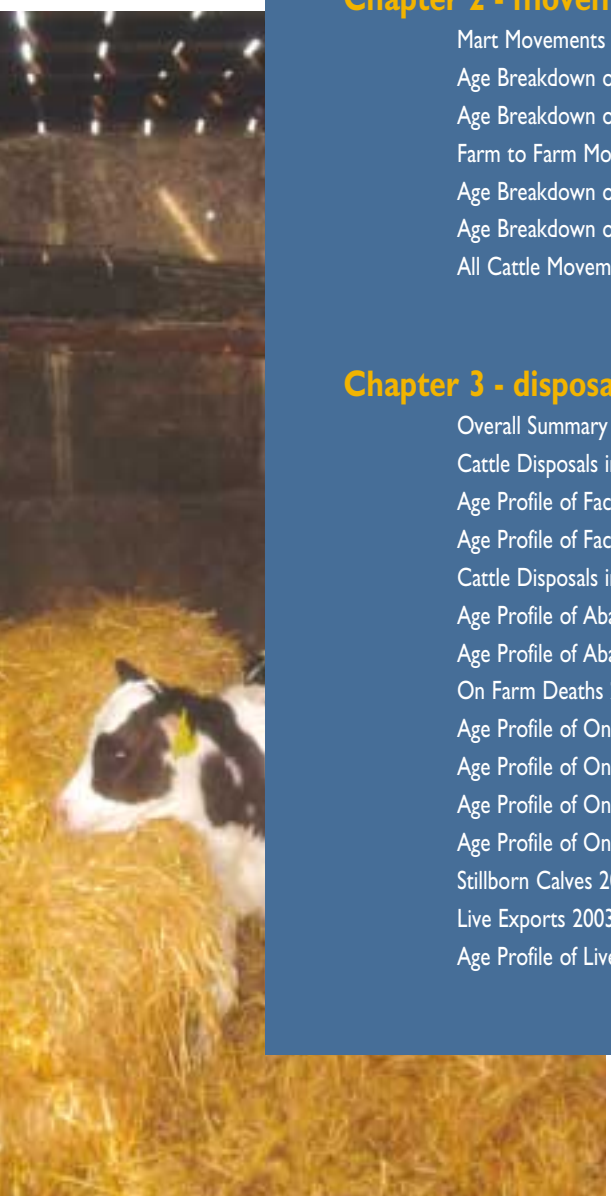

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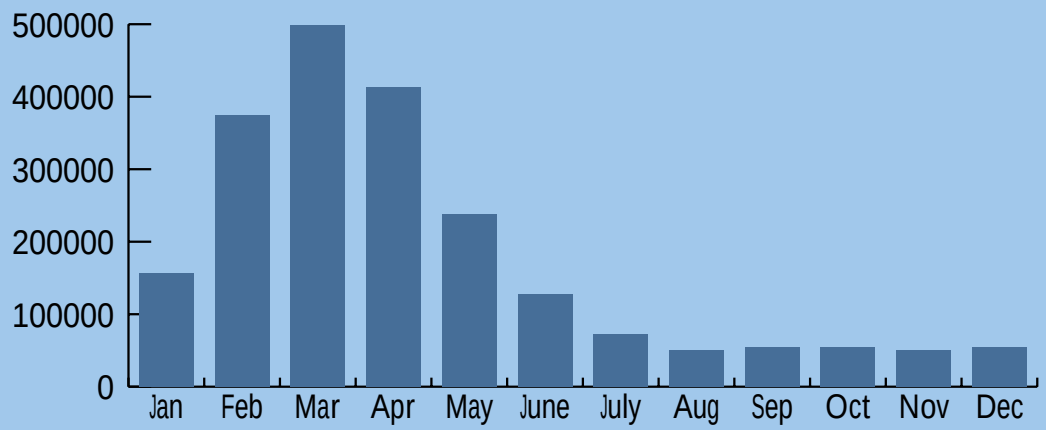
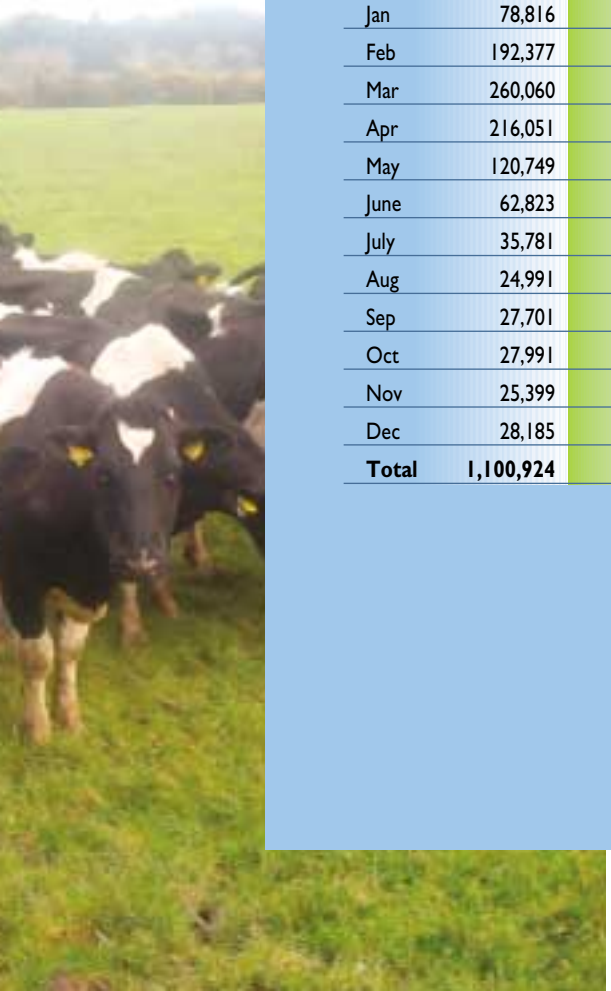
Calf Births 2003 by Month



Calf Births 2003 by Month and by Gender

	2003 Males	2002 Males	2003 Females	2002 Females	2003 Total	2002 Total	% change
Jan	78,816	65,030	77,229	64,389	156,045	129,419	20.6
Feb	192,377	192,764	182,784	183,684	375,161	376,448	-0.3
Mar	260,060	275,624	238,553	225,240	498,613	530,864	-6.1
Apr	216,051	225,237	197,655	209,193	413,706	434,430	-4.8
May	120,749	128,380	116,883	121,940	237,632	250,320	-5.1
June	62,823	63,143	64,206	62,534	127,029	125,677	1.1
July	35,781	36,231	36,402	35,429	72,183	71,660	0.7
Aug	24,991	25,198	25,458	24,746	50,449	49,944	1.0
Sep	27,701	27,355	27,051	27,141	54,752	54,496	0.5
Oct	27,991	28,921	26,764	27,257	54,755	56,178	-2.5
Nov	25,399	24,989	24,294	24,101	49,693	49,090	1.2
Dec	28,185	26,440	26,477	25,160	54,662	51,600	5.9
Total	**1,100,924**	**1,119,312**	**1,043,756**	**1,060,814**	**2,144,680**	**2,180,126**	**-1.6**



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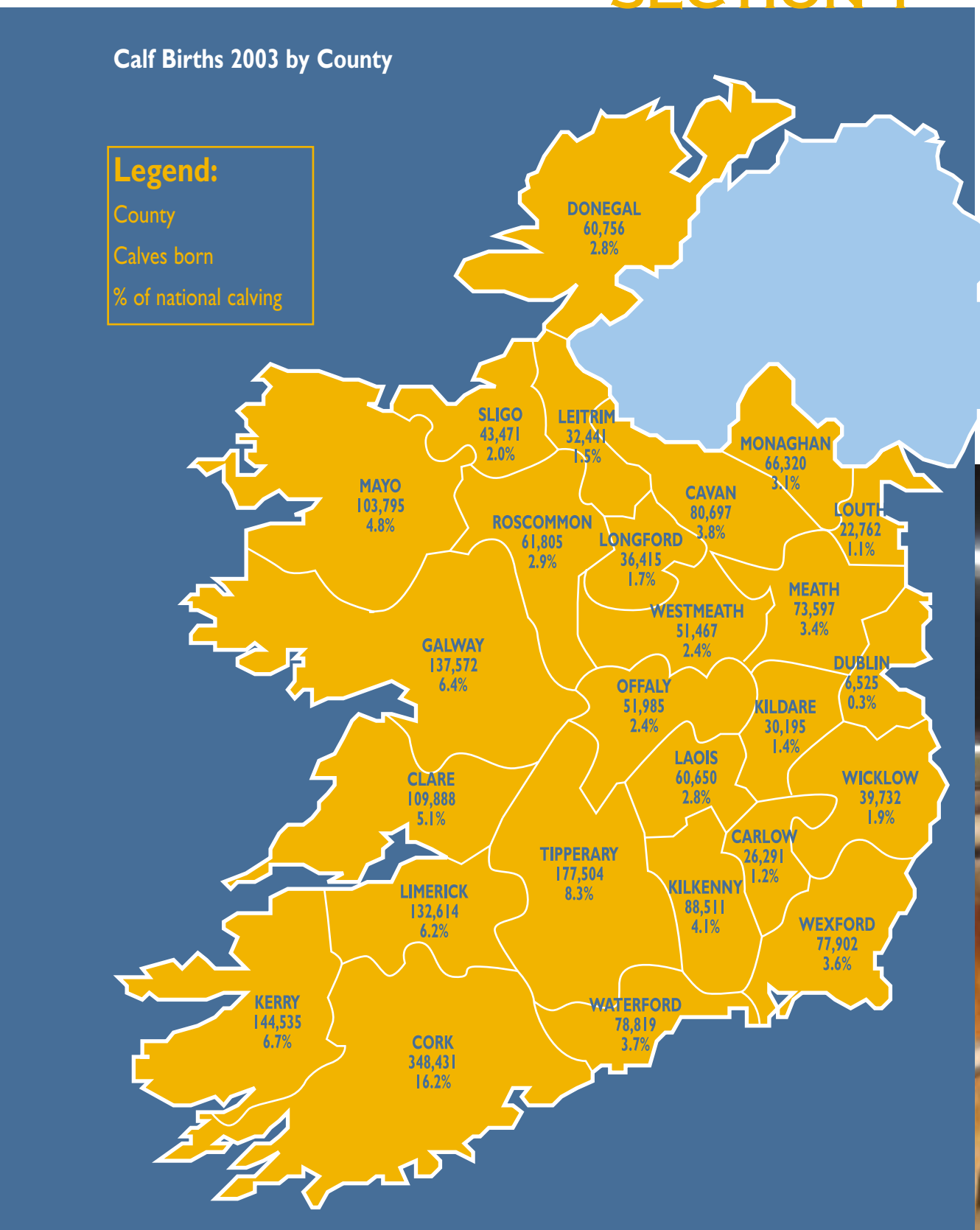

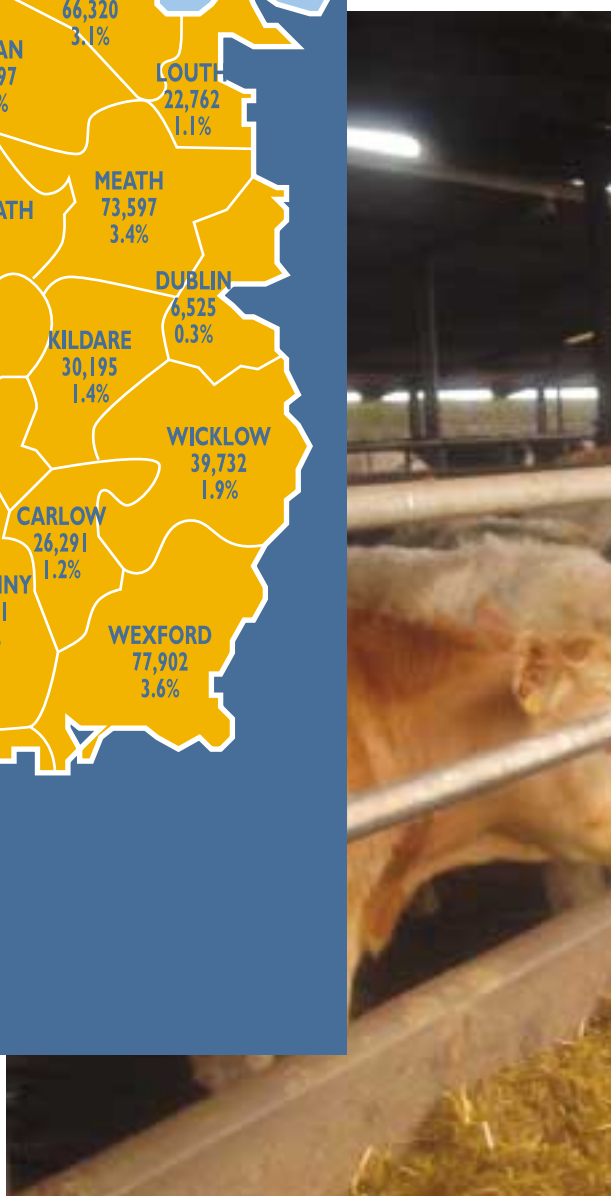

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Calf Births 2003 by County, by Gender and by Sire Type

	Calves born to a beef bull			Calves born to a dairy bull			Overall	% of	2002	'03 v
County	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Total	total	Births	'02 (%)
CARLOW	10,768	10,162	20,930	2,766	2,595	5,361	26,291	1.2	26,199	0.4
CAVAN	31,436	30,136	61,572	9,757	9,368	19,125	80,697	3.8	84,324	-4.3
CLARE	47,921	45,736	93,657	8,125	8,106	16,231	109,888	5.1	112,402	-2.2
CORK	103,570	96,920	200,490	75,847	72,094	147,941	348,431	16.2	351,030	-0.7
DONEGAL	26,217	24,765	50,982	4,981	4,793	9,774	60,756	2.8	61,977	-2.0
DUBLIN	2,574	2,493	5,067	774	684	1,458	6,525	0.3	6,528	0.0
GALWAY	62,306	59,363	121,669	8,113	7,790	15,903	137,572	6.4	140,152	-1.8
KERRY	46,284	43,448	89,732	28,250	26,553	54,803	144,535	6.7	147,184	-1.8
KILDARE	11,867	10,982	22,849	3,759	3,587	7,346	30,195	1.4	30,163	0.1
KILKENNY	31,753	29,827	61,580	13,817	13,114	26,931	88,511	4.1	88,690	-0.2
LAOIS	22,718	21,856	44,574	8,193	7,883	16,076	60,650	2.8	61,437	-1.3
LEITRIM	15,936	15,341	31,277	564	600	1,164	32,441	1.5	35,501	-8.6
LIMERICK	40,880	38,319	79,199	27,156	26,259	53,415	132,614	6.2	131,399	0.9
LONGFORD	16,712	15,772	32,484	2,036	1,895	3,931	36,415	1.7	38,345	-5.0
LOUTH	7,358	6,713	14,071	4,511	4,180	8,691	22,762	1.1	23,229	-2.0
MAYO	47,709	45,094	92,803	5,617	5,375	10,992	103,795	4.8	108,881	-4.7
MEATH	25,031	24,003	49,034	12,454	12,109	24,563	73,597	3.4	75,066	-2.0
MONAGHAN	23,703	21,821	45,524	10,795	10,001	20,796	66,320	3.1	68,041	-2.5
OFFALY	20,944	19,753	40,697	5,749	5,539	11,288	51,985	2.4	51,654	0.6
ROSCOMMON	30,094	28,942	59,036	1,379	1,390	2,769	61,805	2.9	64,696	-4.5
SLIGO	19,952	18,709	38,661	2,418	2,392	4,810	43,471	2.0	46,043	-5.6
TIPPERARY	59,300	56,095	115,395	31,464	30,645	62,109	177,504	8.3	177,193	0.2
WATERFORD	26,300	24,613	50,913	14,256	13,650	27,906	78,819	3.7	78,371	0.6
WESTMEATH	21,844	20,844	42,688	4,542	4,237	8,779	51,467	2.4	51,725	-0.5
WEXFORD	27,608	25,892	53,500	12,457	11,945	24,402	77,902	3.6	79,152	-1.6
WICKLOW	15,164	14,499	29,663	5,195	4,874	10,069	39,732	1.9	40,744	-2.5
	795,949	**752,098**	**1,548,047**	**304,975**	**291,658**	**596,633**	**2,144,680**		**2,180,126**	**-1.6**

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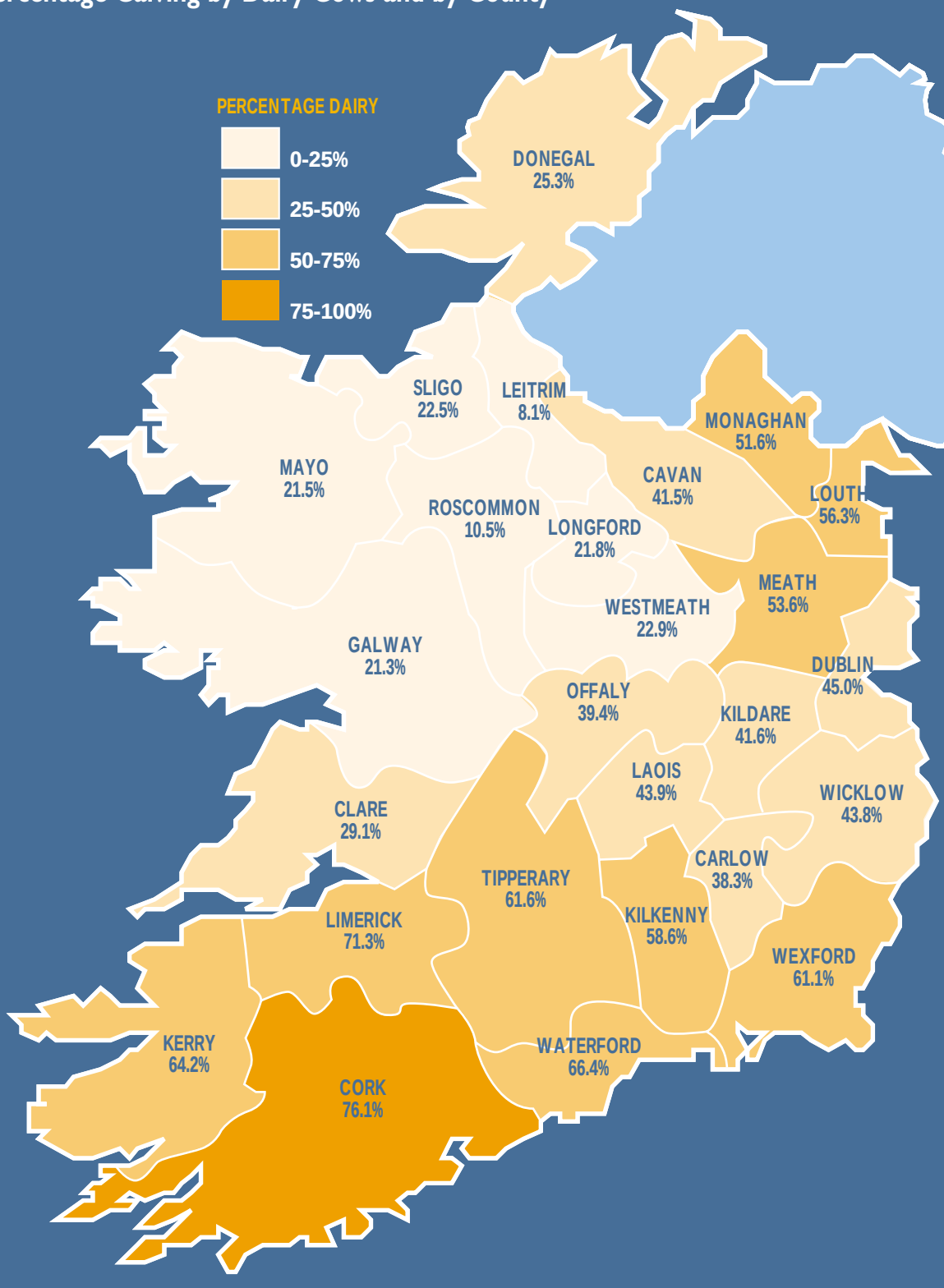
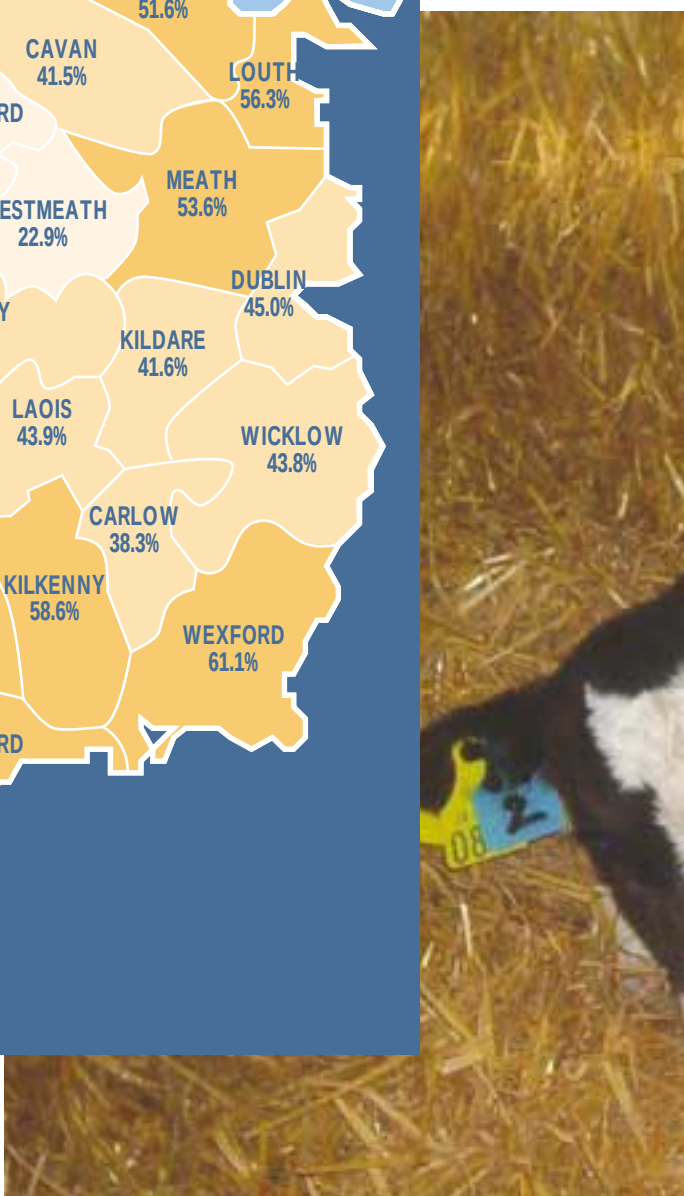
Percentage Calving by Dairy Cows and by County





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Total Number of Breeding Cows and Herds

	Beef Calves	Dairy Calves	M.C.D*	Total Calves	% Dairy	No of Breeding Herds	Av No Calves
CARLOW	16,223	10,068	12-Mar-03	26,291	38.3	1,086	24.2
CAVAN	47,207	33,490	18-Mar-03	80,697	41.5	4,230	19.1
CLARE	77,870	32,018	17-Mar-03	109,888	29.1	5,468	20.1
CORK	83,273	265,158	9-Mar-03	348,431	76.1	9,992	34.9
DONEGAL	45,355	15,401	17-Mar-03	60,756	25.3	4,972	12.2
DUBLIN	3,588	2,937	14-Mar-03	6,525	45.0	295	22.1
GALWAY	108,302	29,270	17-Mar-03	137,572	21.3	9,829	14.0
KERRY	51,690	92,845	12-Mar-03	144,535	64.2	5,869	24.6
KILDARE	17,636	12,559	14-Mar-03	30,195	41.6	1,216	24.8
KILKENNY	36,661	51,850	8-Mar-03	88,511	58.6	2,623	33.7
LAOIS	34,008	26,642	12-Mar-03	60,650	43.9	2,164	28.0
LEITRIM	29,828	2,613	23-Mar-03	32,441	8.1	3,001	10.8
LIMERICK	38,085	94,529	14-Mar-03	132,614	71.3	4,298	30.9
LONGFORD	28,461	7,954	19-Mar-03	36,415	21.8	2,039	17.9
LOUTH	9,956	12,806	14-Mar-03	22,762	56.3	895	25.4
MAYO	81,514	22,281	21-Mar-03	103,795	21.5	8,842	11.7
MEATH	34,139	39,458	16-Mar-03	73,597	53.6	2,571	28.6
MONAGHAN	32,070	34,250	17-Mar-03	66,320	51.6	3,294	20.1
OFFALY	31,483	20,502	14-Mar-03	51,985	39.4	2,267	22.9
ROSCOMMON	55,293	6,512	20-Mar-03	61,805	10.5	4,508	13.7
SLIGO	33,702	9,769	19-Mar-03	43,471	22.5	3,268	13.3
TIPPERARY	68,121	109,383	11-Mar-03	177,504	61.6	5,263	33.7
WATERFORD	26,477	52,342	8-Mar-03	78,819	66.4	1,868	42.2
WESTMEATH	36,249	15,218	18-Mar-03	51,467	29.6	2,249	22.9
WEXFORD	30,284	47,618	8-Mar-03	77,902	61.1	2,622	29.7
WICKLOW	22,344	17,388	14-Mar-03	39,732	43.8	1,434	27.7
	1,079,819	**1,064,861**	**13-Mar-03**	**2,144,680**	**49.7**	**96,163**	**22.3**

*Note . M.C.D - mean calving date

M.C.D for dairy cows is the average for the Spring calving animals.

SECTION 2

Calf Births 2003 by Month, by Gender and by Sire Type

	Calves born to a beef bull			Calves born to a dairy bull			Overall
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Total
Jan	43,472	41,188	84,660	35,344	36,041	71,385	156,045
Feb	98,396	92,508	190,904	93,981	90,276	184,257	375,161
Mar	185,534	170,305	355,839	74,526	68,248	142,774	498,613
Apr	179,479	163,787	343,266	36,572	33,868	70,440	413,706
May	104,826	101,365	206,191	15,923	15,518	31,441	237,632
Jun	55,816	56,939	112,755	7,007	7,267	14,274	127,029
Jul	32,248	32,588	64,836	3,533	3,814	7,347	72,183
Aug	21,325	21,686	43,011	3,666	3,772	7,438	50,449
Sep	18,638	18,126	36,764	9,063	8,925	17,988	54,752
Oct	18,218	17,596	35,814	9,773	9,168	18,941	54,755
Nov	17,101	16,440	33,541	8,298	7,854	16,152	49,693
Dec	20,896	19,570	40,466	7,289	6,907	14,196	54,662
Total	**795,949**	**752,098**	**1,548,047**	**304,975**	**291,658**	**596,633**	**2,144,680**

SECTION 3

Calf Births 2003 by Month and by Breed of Dam

Calf Births 2003 by Month and by Breed of Dam

Month	FR	HE	CH	SI	LM	AA	BA	BB	JE	MO	RB	MY	SA	SH	Other*	Total
Jan	94,411	10,956	12,638	11,204	12,509	6,858	273	2,839	77	966	225	423	260	1,929	477	156,045
Feb	262,572	21,021	21,339	20,310	21,226	12,755	415	4,839	552	3,111	548	1,163	375	3,944	991	375,161
Mar	260,068	45,448	48,249	39,187	46,824	30,726	772	10,058	654	3,630	593	1,084	917	9,154	1,249	498,613
Apr	165,875	45,144	54,766	38,044	50,967	32,005	1,009	10,334	330	2,535	251	710	806	9,943	987	413,706
May	85,011	27,287	35,176	22,587	31,652	19,708	593	6,587	174	1,315	147	317	555	5,921	602	237,632
June	40,832	15,445	20,859	12,432	17,349	10,936	336	3,890	74	579	72	174	296	3,386	369	127,029
July	20,936	9,467	12,545	7,296	10,408	6,356	234	2,320	44	297	25	65	159	1,853	178	72,183
Aug	14,913	6,535	8,367	5,234	7,672	4,094	160	1,641	20	200	26	57	129	1,278	123	50,449
Sep	24,682	4,939	6,823	4,779	6,864	3,224	192	1,437	47	412	70	126	120	873	164	54,752
Oct	26,221	4,319	6,260	4,777	6,989	2,838	189	1,420	64	450	66	102	121	800	139	54,755
Nov	22,896	4,070	6,058	4,462	6,435	2,656	180	1,428	55	342	100	89	132	661	129	49,693
Dec	20,999	4,947	7,537	5,822	8,294	3,290	185	1,768	36	375	81	81	142	947	158	54,662
Total	1,039,416	199,578	240,617	176,134	227,189	135,446	4,538	48,561	2,127	14,212	2,204	4,391	4,012	40,689	5,566	2,144,680

FR: Friesian
AA: Aberdeen Angus
RB: Rotbunte
HE: Hereford
BA: Blonde D'Aquitaine
MY: Meuse Rhine Yssel
CH: Charolais
BB: Belgian Blue
SA: Salers
SI: Simmental
JE: Jersey
SH: Shorthorn
LM: Limousin
MO: Montbelliarde

* For full list of breeds see appendix

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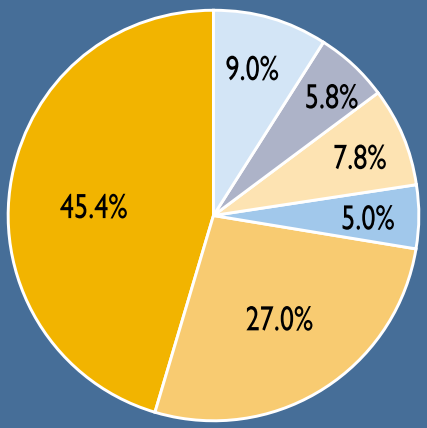
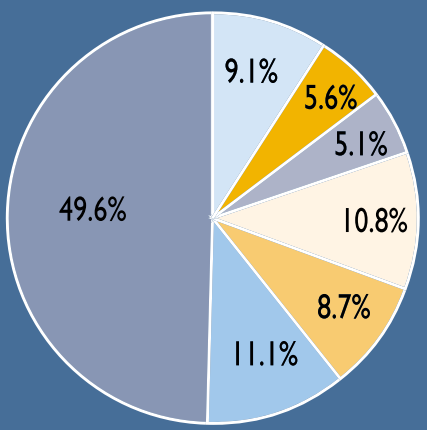
Sire Selection for Beef Dams



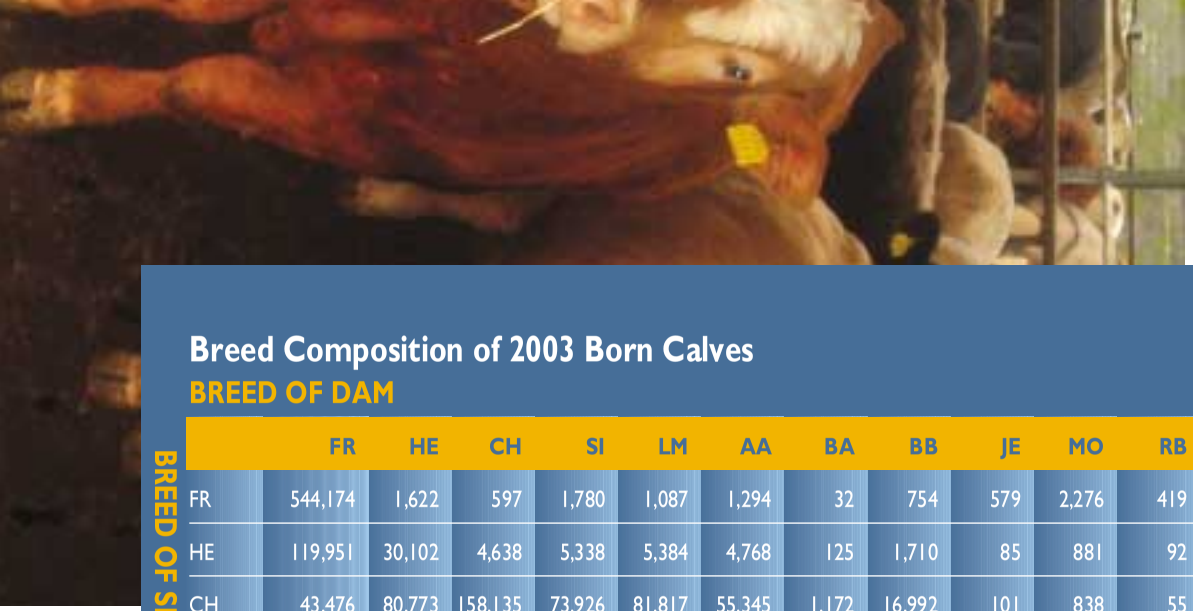
45.4%	CH
27.0%	LM
5.0%	HE
7.8%	SI
5.8%	BB
9.0%	Other Beef Breeds*

Sire Selection for Dairy Dams



49.6%	FR
11.1%	HE
8.7%	LM
10.8%	AA
5.1%	BB
5.6%	CH
9.1%	Other Dairy Breeds*

* For full list of breeds see appendix



Breed Composition of 2003 Born Calves

BREED OF DAM

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	FR	HE	CH	SI	LM	AA	BA	BB	JE	MO	RB	MY	SA	SH	Other*	Total
FR	544,174	1,622	597	1,780	1,087	1,294	32	754	579	2,276	419	768	9	546	505	556,442
HE	119,951	30,102	4,638	5,338	5,384	4,768	125	1,710	85	881	92	409	43	1,735	279	175,540
CH	43,476	80,773	158,135	73,926	81,817	55,345	1,172	16,992	101	838	55	307	1,467	15,329	750	530,483
SI	45,697	16,021	10,524	33,601	10,500	7,008	242	2,539	24	705	67	170	75	2,049	238	129,460
LM	84,495	46,992	45,646	40,590	99,845	30,927	992	14,016	92	1,280	109	436	780	9,386	717	376,303
AA	113,841	10,320	8,037	7,148	10,027	24,856	226	3,594	146	1,686	269	279	157	2,721	618	183,925
BA	1,663	1,245	1,031	1,107	1,261	710	1,382	388	3	41	4	28	11	225	20	9,119
BB	52,762	9,759	9,799	10,076	14,577	8,052	297	7,721	94	770	53	272	163	1,932	259	116,586
JE	2,296	4	0	6	6	12	0	1	912	39	44	4	0	8	11	3,343
MO	16,706	212	100	436	133	111	6	69	26	5,260	49	283	0	57	116	23,564
RB	5,303	11	9	66	15	19	0	8	3	127	966	106	0	16	59	6,708
MY	2,144	41	30	89	20	57	10	14	2	33	23	1,216	1	31	24	3,735
SA	1,133	485	656	603	731	622	17	187	3	58	0	11	1,246	219	61	6,032
SH	2,345	1,509	1,001	919	1,273	1,251	20	392	26	44	28	88	28	6,302	54	15,280
Other	3,430	482	414	449	513	414	17	176	31	174	26	14	32	133	1,855	8,160
Total	**1,039,416**	**199,578**	**240,617**	**176,134**	**227,189**	**135,446**	**4,538**	**48,561**	**2,127**	**14,212**	**2,204**	**4,391**	**4,012**	**40,689**	**5,566**	**2,144,680**

FR: Friesian
AA: Aberdeen Angus
RB: Rotbunte
HE: Hereford
BA: Blonde D'Aquitaine
MY: Meuse Rhine Yssel
CH: Charolais
BB: Belgian Blue
SA: Salers
SI: Simmental
JE: Jersey
SH: Shorthorn
LM: Limousin
MO: Montbelliarde

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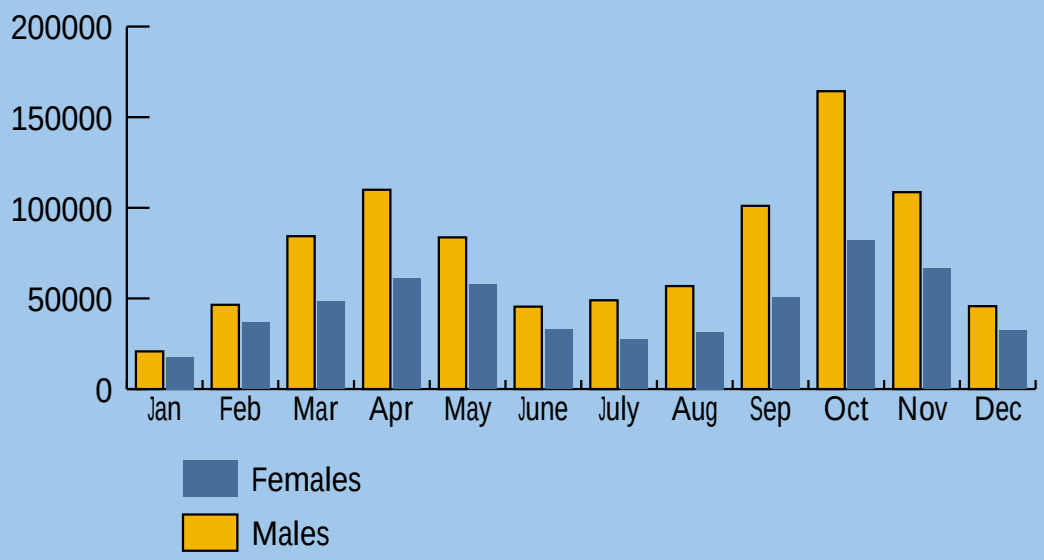
CHAPTER 2

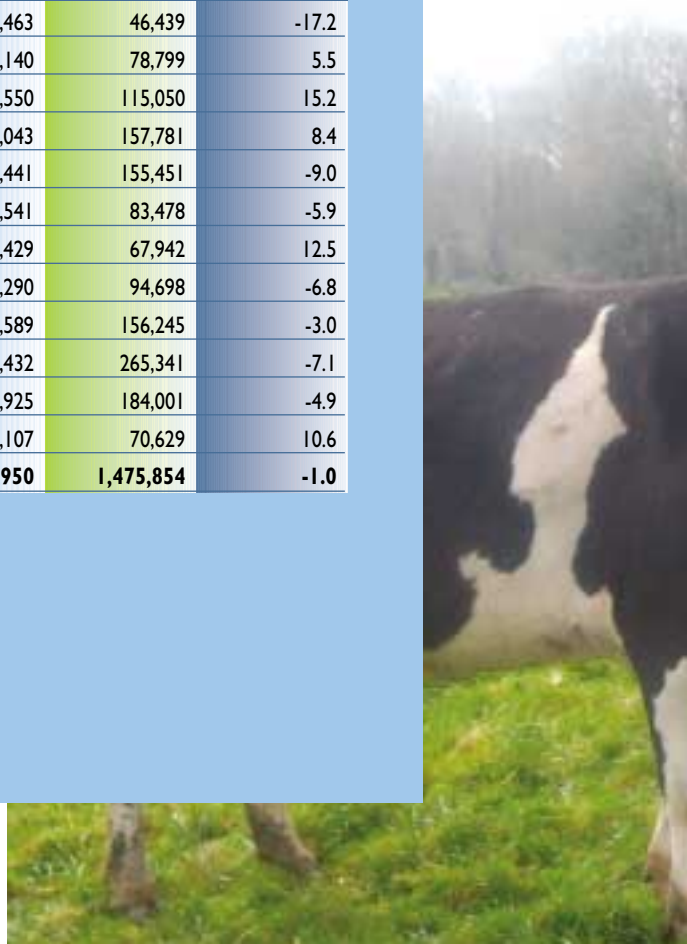
movement data

SECTION 1

Mart Movements 2003 by Month and by Gender



	Male 2003	Male 2002	Female 2003	Female 2002	Total 2003	Total 2002	'03 v '02 (%)
Jan	20,777	24,726	17,686	21,713	38,463	46,439	-17.2
Feb	46,479	41,614	36,661	37,185	83,140	78,799	5.5
Mar	84,334	71,448	48,216	43,602	132,550	115,050	15.2
Apr	109,946	101,633	61,097	56,148	171,043	157,781	8.4
May	83,684	94,790	57,757	60,661	141,441	155,451	-9.0
June	45,461	49,870	33,080	33,608	78,541	83,478	-5.9
July	48,976	43,119	27,453	24,823	76,429	67,942	12.5
Aug	56,817	63,050	31,473	31,648	88,290	94,698	-6.8
Sep	101,086	116,248	50,503	49,997	151,589	156,245	-3.0
Oct	164,334	178,912	82,098	86,429	246,432	265,341	-7.1
Nov	108,635	114,579	66,290	69,422	174,925	184,001	-4.9
Dec	45,731	42,414	32,376	28,215	78,107	70,629	10.6
Total	**916,260**	**932,403**	**544,690**	**543,451**	**1,460,950**	**1,475,854**	**-1.0**



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Age Breakdown of Mart Movements For Beef Cattle* by month and by gender

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Age Breakdown of Mart Movements For Beef Cattle* by month and by gender

	0 - 6 weeks		6 wks - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		Total
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
Jan	1,204	1,077	782	648	6,606	7,219	1,081	636	4,906	3,077	453	240	390	2,780	31,099
Feb	3,526	3,527	868	730	12,358	12,346	2,878	1,680	10,016	7,143	1,497	936	905	5,287	63,697
Mar	9,486	9,739	942	775	15,230	11,051	9,483	3,990	13,928	7,218	5,428	2,320	816	5,635	96,041
Apr	11,192	11,493	1,395	1,431	16,089	10,102	24,201	11,384	14,946	6,083	13,088	4,678	1,114	5,997	133,193
May	10,897	10,874	2,218	2,489	9,003	6,198	22,685	13,514	6,880	3,976	11,824	6,007	1,040	7,235	114,840
Jun	6,623	6,404	1,957	2,216	3,785	2,774	13,988	9,197	2,391	1,424	6,151	3,389	619	4,592	65,510
Jul	3,513	3,254	1,874	2,186	3,883	2,535	18,411	10,813	2,566	1,329	7,360	2,811	640	2,394	63,569
Aug	1,542	1,298	4,587	3,953	6,797	4,400	21,560	12,303	4,440	2,269	6,933	2,661	874	2,863	76,480
Sep	1,073	1,001	13,057	8,902	22,961	13,062	27,489	13,183	14,013	5,654	7,252	2,485	1,638	4,021	135,791
Oct	1,026	930	17,733	11,798	54,106	33,144	26,931	11,116	36,097	12,867	6,379	2,521	3,109	6,286	224,043
Nov	1,006	878	9,352	6,531	35,997	25,754	13,041	6,305	29,778	13,988	3,316	1,527	2,685	7,507	157,665
Dec	807	737	3,017	2,157	13,819	10,532	4,271	2,380	13,117	7,099	1,194	701	1,525	5,608	66,964
Total	**51,895**	**51,212**	**57,782**	**43,816**	**200,634**	**139,117**	**186,019**	**96,501**	**153,078**	**72,127**	**70,875**	**30,276**	**15,355**	**60,205**	**1,228,892**

SECTION 1

Age Breakdown of Mart Movements For Dairy Cattle* by month and by gender

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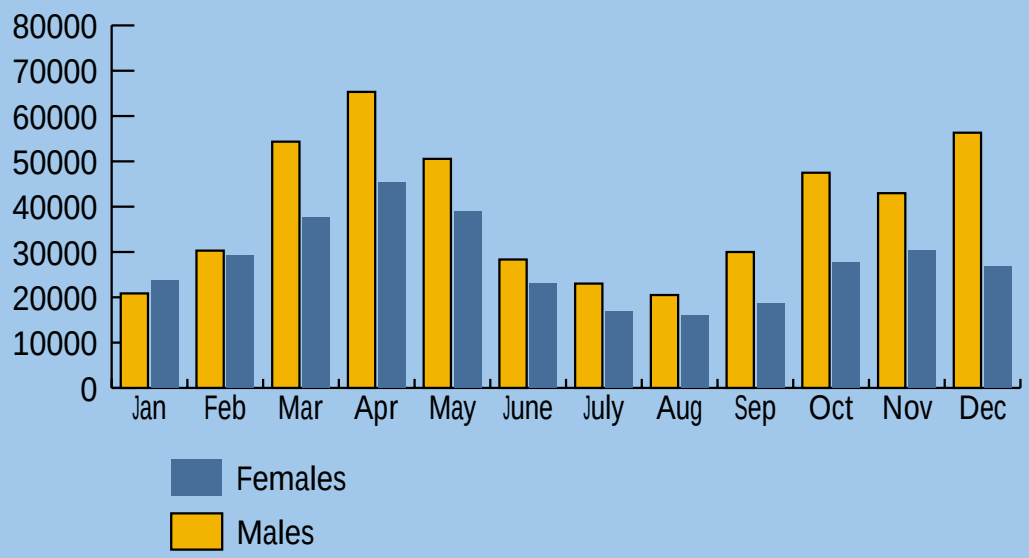
Age Breakdown of Mart Movements For Dairy Cattle* by month and by gender

	0 - 6 weeks		6 wks - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		Total
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
Jan	2,073	91	332	27	1,185	121	302	5	1,264	267	157	70	42	1,428	7,364
Feb	8,822	442	273	9	1,968	177	1,052	44	1,518	724	720	558	78	3,058	19,443
Mar	18,440	989	661	116	1,719	134	4,467	196	1,651	600	2,009	1,526	74	3,927	36,509
Apr	11,614	1,146	1,482	197	1,258	183	8,485	655	1,496	377	3,449	2,210	137	5,161	37,850
May	6,775	1,048	1,620	284	795	141	6,353	934	959	132	2,508	1,128	127	3,797	26,601
Jun	2,950	636	1,267	175	264	46	3,651	316	416	46	1,304	310	95	1,555	13,031
Jul	1,564	351	946	173	361	30	5,508	222	717	53	1,496	221	137	1,081	12,860
Aug	563	142	548	90	535	40	4,689	229	2,393	72	1,083	129	273	1,024	11,810
Sep	830	101	403	81	1,421	66	3,356	188	6,509	128	677	151	407	1,480	15,798
Oct	1,374	82	432	59	3,156	197	2,137	156	10,706	359	642	137	506	2,446	22,389
Nov	1,392	53	364	107	2,989	204	1,078	111	6,870	414	361	126	406	2,785	17,260
Dec	1278	44	275	36	2,081	162	623	51	3,276	452	227	62	221	2,355	11,143
Total	**57,675**	**5,125**	**8,603**	**1,354**	**17,732**	**1,501**	**41,701**	**3,107**	**37,775**	**3,624**	**14,633**	**6,628**	**2,503**	**30,097**	**232,058**

SECTION 2

Farm to Farm Movements 2003 by Month and by Gender



	2003 Male	2002 Male	2003 Female	2002 Female	2003 Total	2002 Total	'03 v'02 (%)
Jan	20,858	24,236	23,810	26,553	44,668	50,789	-12.1
Feb	30,300	28,552	29,168	33,232	59,468	61,784	-3.7
Mar	54,346	46,038	37,647	36,248	91,993	82,286	11.8
Apr	65,330	60,887	45,393	48,778	110,723	109,665	1.0
May	50,549	49,288	39,007	42,955	89,556	92,243	-2.9
June	28,341	26,040	23,033	25,117	51,374	51,157	0.4
July	23,025	20,938	16,966	14,347	39,991	35,285	13.3
Aug	20,501	21,701	15,909	14,237	36,410	35,938	1.3
Sep	29,995	29,479	18,682	18,808	48,677	48,287	0.8
Oct	47,490	47,781	27,604	28,371	75,094	76,152	-1.4
Nov	42,978	44,375	30,435	32,002	73,413	76,377	-3.9
Dec	56,323	52,342	26,754	25,112	83,077	77,454	7.3
Total	**470,036**	**451,657**	**334,408**	**345,760**	**804,444**	**797,417**	**0.9**

SECTION 2

Age Breakdown of Farm to Farm Movements For Beef Cattle* by month and by gender

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Age Breakdown of Farm to Farm Movements For Beef Cattle* by month and by gender

	0 - 6 weeks		6 wks - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
Jan	1,491	1,143	1,029	708	6,391	6,273	866	592	3,217	2,612	301	308	658	5,181	30,770
Feb	3,742	2,638	911	643	6,901	5,771	1,399	769	2,874	2,604	427	550	697	5,261	35,187
Mar	9,793	6,405	964	790	8,003	4,914	4,566	2,084	4,501	2,195	1,844	1,128	796	6,101	54,084
Apr	11,679	8,012	1,800	1,446	7,886	4,215	10,164	4,516	5,235	2,128	4,676	2,275	1,277	6,576	71,885
May	9,884	6,392	2,649	2,213	4,596	2,352	9,822	5,248	2,578	1,335	3,516	2,623	1,395	5,849	60,452
Jun	4,438	2,695	2,449	1,931	2,145	1,359	6,592	4,075	1,005	713	2,141	1,980	868	4,458	36,849
Jul	2,256	1,486	2,566	1,905	1,907	889	5,905	3,539	681	380	1,784	1,205	688	2,485	27,676
Aug	1,033	705	3,187	2,058	2,226	1,357	5,508	3,539	745	662	1,447	1,019	606	2,348	26,440
Sep	689	631	5,132	2,801	6,357	2,923	5,518	2,693	2,345	1,263	1,323	835	762	2,857	36,129
Oct	861	785	5,692	3,551	15,242	6,990	5,248	2,256	5,819	2,946	1,130	752	1,309	4,073	56,654
Nov	961	758	3,301	2,411	15,399	9,574	3,199	1,561	6,870	3,530	757	571	1,227	5,341	55,460
Dec	950	739	2,338	1,443	20,751	7,897	3,357	1,003	10,392	3,504	699	435	1,217	5,286	60,011
Total	**47,777**	**32,389**	**32,018**	**21,900**	**97,804**	**54,514**	**62,144**	**31,875**	**46,262**	**23,872**	**20,045**	**13,681**	**11,500**	**55,816**	**551,597**

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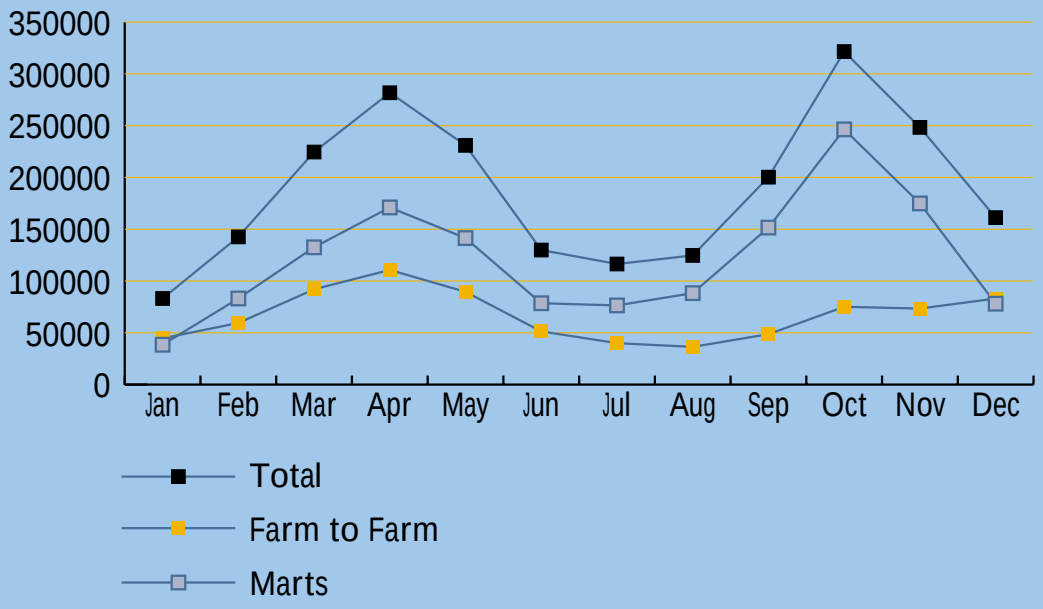
Age Breakdown of Farm to Farm Movements For Dairy Cattle* by month and by gender

	0 - 6 weeks		6 wks - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		Total
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
Jan	2,938	263	690	136	1,621	567	399	126	985	1,415	154	498	118	3,988	13,898
Feb	8,864	889	676	207	1,829	422	680	116	901	1,707	320	1,574	79	6,017	24,281
Mar	16,565	2,197	1,487	408	1,248	326	2,270	635	914	772	1,246	2,506	149	7,186	37,909
Apr	10,991	2,120	2,950	825	1,252	359	4,579	1,244	966	451	1,696	2,890	179	8,336	38,838
May	5,199	1,171	3,296	1,127	1,117	186	4,186	1,341	694	243	1,439	1,749	178	7,178	29,104
Jun	1,756	543	3,109	603	530	74	2,138	645	266	122	779	616	125	3,219	14,525
Jul	834	283	2,424	553	786	136	2,008	429	390	210	630	569	166	2,897	12,315
Aug	348	140	1,294	358	1,137	202	1,520	373	754	203	460	397	236	2,548	9,970
Sep	1,289	123	1,042	217	2,446	376	1,024	205	1,643	344	199	308	226	3,106	12,548
Oct	3,332	217	656	210	3,964	429	789	138	3,032	820	227	405	189	4,032	18,440
Nov	2,507	199	581	200	3,779	703	880	182	3,011	1,099	273	346	233	3,960	17,953
Dec	1,919	139	791	141	7,955	614	1,215	87	4,357	1,158	185	218	197	4,090	23,066
Total	**56,542**	**8,284**	**18,996**	**4,985**	**27,664**	**4,394**	**21,688**	**5,521**	**17,913**	**8,544**	**7,608**	**12,076**	**2,075**	**56,557**	**252,847**

SECTION 2

All Cattle Movements by Month and by Gender



	2003 Male	2002 Male	2003 Female	2002 Female	2003 Total	2002 Total	'03 v '02 (%)
Jan	38,463	48,962	44,668	48,266	83,131	97,228	-14.5
Feb	83,140	70,166	59,468	70,417	142,608	140,583	1.4
Mar	132,550	117,486	91,993	79,850	224,543	197,336	13.8
Apr	171,043	162,520	110,723	104,926	281,766	267,446	5.4
May	141,441	144,078	89,556	103,616	230,997	247,694	-6.7
Jun	78,541	75,910	51,374	58,725	129,915	134,635	-3.5
Jul	76,429	64,057	39,991	39,170	116,420	103,227	12.8
Aug	88,290	84,751	36,410	45,995	124,700	130,636	-4.5
Sep	151,589	135,727	48,677	68,805	200,266	204,532	-2.1
Oct	246,432	226,693	75,094	114,800	321,526	341,493	-5.8
Nov	174,925	158,954	73,413	101,424	248,338	260,378	-4.6
Dec	78,107	94,756	83,077	53,327	161,184	148,083	8.8
Total	**1,460,950**	**1,384,060**	**804,444**	**889,211**	**2,265,394**	**2,273,271**	**-0.3**

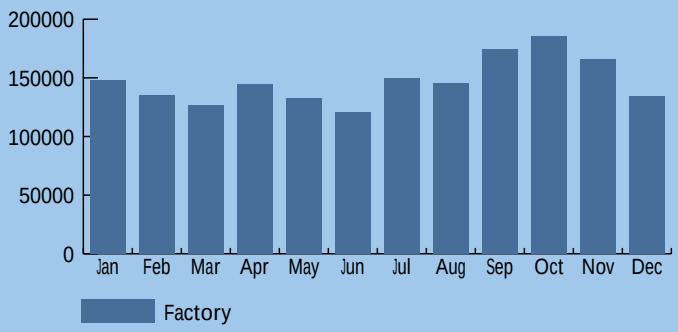
CHAPTER 3

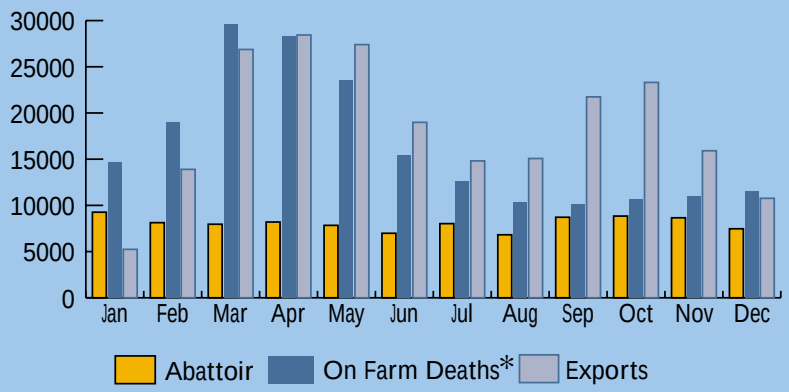
disposal of cattle

Chapter 3 disposal of cattle

SECTION 1

Overall Summary of Cattle Disposals and On Farm Deaths 2003





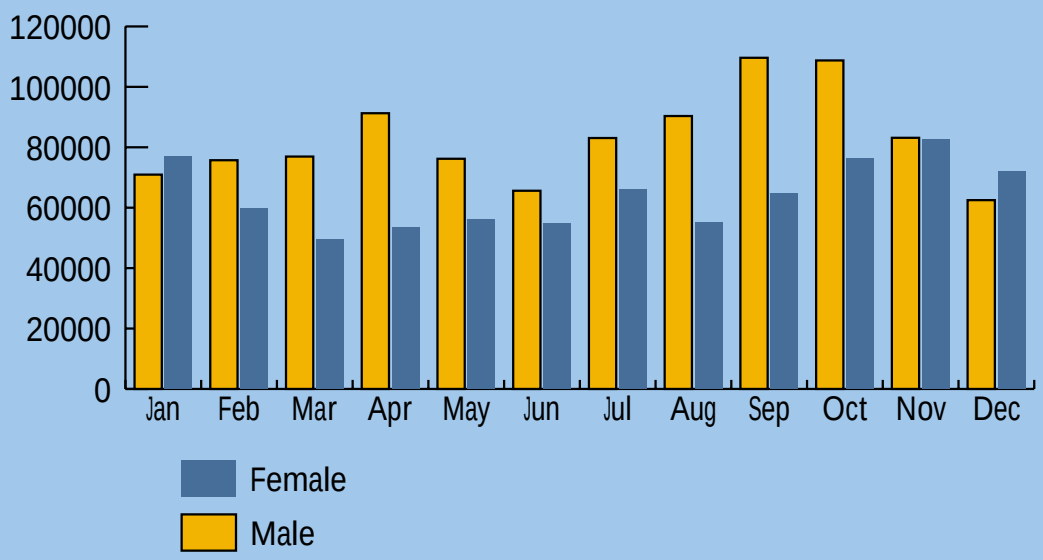
	Factory	Abattoir	On Farm Deaths **	Stillborn	Exports	Total
Jan	148,062	9,264	14,660	1,451	5,241	178,678
Feb	135,448	8,130	18,973	4,115	13,899	180,565
Mar	126,269	7,960	29,610	4,846	26,873	195,558
Apr	144,899	8,199	28,327	3,552	28,438	213,415
May	132,323	7,838	23,547	1,983	27,400	193,091
Jun	120,390	6,983	15,400	844	18,986	162,603
Jul	149,227	8,025	12,639	452	14,816	185,159
Aug	145,332	6,817	10,322	339	15,074	177,884
Sep	174,335	8,716	10,154	523	21,745	215,473
Oct	185,157	8,845	10,683	667	23,308	228,660
Nov	165,850	8,657	10,943	683	15,911	202,044
Dec	134,517	7,469	11,475	655	10,765	164,881
	1,761,809	**96,903**	**196,733**	**20,110**	**222,456**	**2,298,011**

* Including Stillborn Animals ** Excluding Stillborn Animals

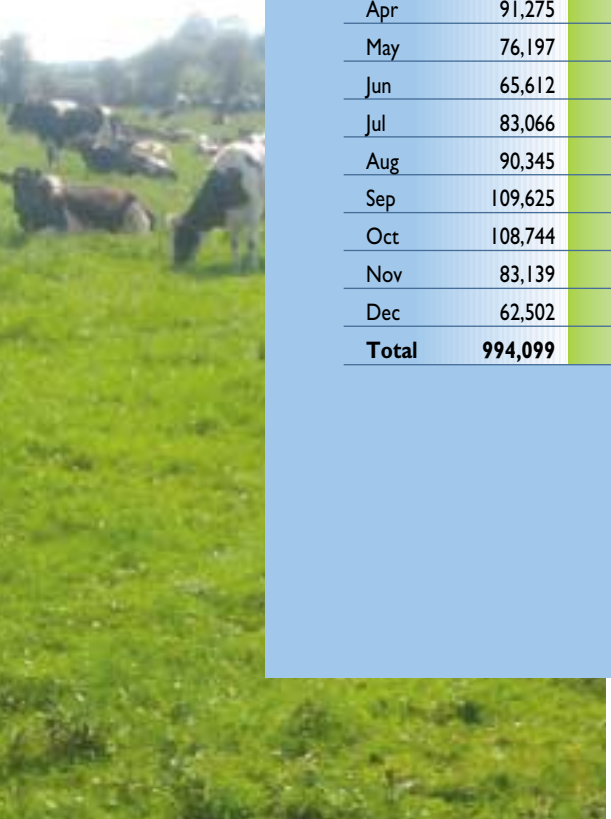
The above figures on stillborn animals are not directly comparable with those listed in the 2002 Report. The extract for 2002 stillborn animals defined stillborn animals as animals that had a CMMS record of birth and death on the same day. For the purpose of the 2003 extract stillborn animals are defined as those declared as stillborn by the keeper of the herd on the calf birth registration document.

SECTION 2

Cattle Disposals in Export Approved Slaughter Plants 2003



	2003 Male	2002 Male	2003 Female	2002 Female	2003 Total	2002 Total	'03 v '02 (%)
Jan	70,950	76,499	77,112	81,723	148,062	158,222	-6.4
Feb	75,716	69,101	59,732	57,017	135,448	126,118	7.4
Mar	76,928	68,791	49,341	45,150	126,269	113,941	10.8
Apr	91,275	82,497	53,624	47,808	144,899	130,305	11.2
May	76,197	80,140	56,126	52,823	132,323	132,963	-0.5
Jun	65,612	59,165	54,778	46,327	120,390	105,492	14.1
Jul	83,066	81,881	66,161	59,670	149,227	141,551	5.4
Aug	90,345	76,742	54,987	59,403	145,332	136,145	6.7
Sep	109,625	95,426	64,710	63,483	174,335	158,909	9.7
Oct	108,744	94,784	76,413	77,462	185,157	172,336	7.4
Nov	83,139	82,671	82,711	89,714	165,850	172,385	-3.8
Dec	62,502	58,610	72,015	66,970	134,517	125,580	7.1
Total	**994,099**	**926,397**	**767,710**	**747,550**	**1,761,809**	**1,673,947**	**5.2**



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SECTION 2

Age Profile of Factory Slaughterings 2003 for Beef Cattle * by month and by gender

	0 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		
Month	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
Jan	1,233	2,807	640	1,448	18,598	32,636	9,561	4,143	20,258	19,602	110,926
Feb	1,586	2,828	648	937	24,888	21,129	12,886	5,173	14,422	14,283	98,780
Mar	1,723	2,678	1,065	1,140	22,488	14,000	21,604	8,587	7,631	8,971	89,887
Apr	1,519	1,706	2,248	1,964	15,716	10,702	39,326	14,709	8,174	9,084	105,148
May	811	958	3,297	2,702	6,665	5,492	39,082	16,515	7,251	10,981	93,754
Jun	481	637	4,001	3,136	3,060	3,090	35,838	16,396	7,220	13,421	87,280
Jul	805	938	3,084	4,334	2,136	2,986	49,341	18,861	8,773	18,626	109,884
Aug	830	1,268	1,929	4,587	2,034	3,342	56,779	16,162	10,349	15,195	112,475
Sep	1,138	1,749	1,578	4,668	2,787	6,246	66,418	15,126	19,790	20,472	139,972
Oct	1,426	2,038	1,099	4,469	4,242	15,384	53,831	12,453	30,482	25,318	150,742
Nov	1,284	2,065	991	2,943	6,253	24,816	27,755	7,550	32,949	26,629	133,235
Dec	1,386	2,288	861	2,021	10,155	28,234	13,547	4,795	21,974	19,304	104,565
	14,222	**21,960**	**21,441**	**34,349**	**119,022**	**168,057**	**425,968**	**140,470**	**189,273**	**201,886**	**1,336,648**

Age Profile of Factory Slaughterings 2003 for Dairy Cattle ** by month and by gender

	0 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		
Month	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
Jan	236	294	86	46	12,529	868	4,503	270	3,307	14,998	37,137
Feb	340	242	174	157	9,238	582	9,505	630	2,029	13,771	36,668
Mar	275	320	344	254	5,061	386	15,666	909	1,071	12,096	36,382
Apr	168	201	647	334	2,160	189	19,817	1,248	1,500	13,487	39,751
May	127	170	1,287	250	1,022	132	15,219	1,358	1,436	17,568	38,569
Jun	37	94	1,265	201	490	80	11,749	1,299	1,470	16,424	33,109
Jul	91	87	712	177	569	117	15,525	1,781	2,030	18,254	39,343
Aug	120	127	403	168	644	158	13,593	1,157	3,664	12,823	32,857
Sep	171	202	259	122	1,272	326	9,351	751	6,861	15,048	34,363
Oct	163	186	202	118	1,654	478	6,447	477	9,198	15,492	34,415
Nov	100	182	244	67	2,218	716	3,977	314	7,368	17,429	32,615
Dec	189	301	320	66	6,658	829	2,887	216	4,525	13,961	29,952
	2,017	2,406	5,943	1,960	43,515	4,861	128,239	10,410	44,459	181,351	425,161

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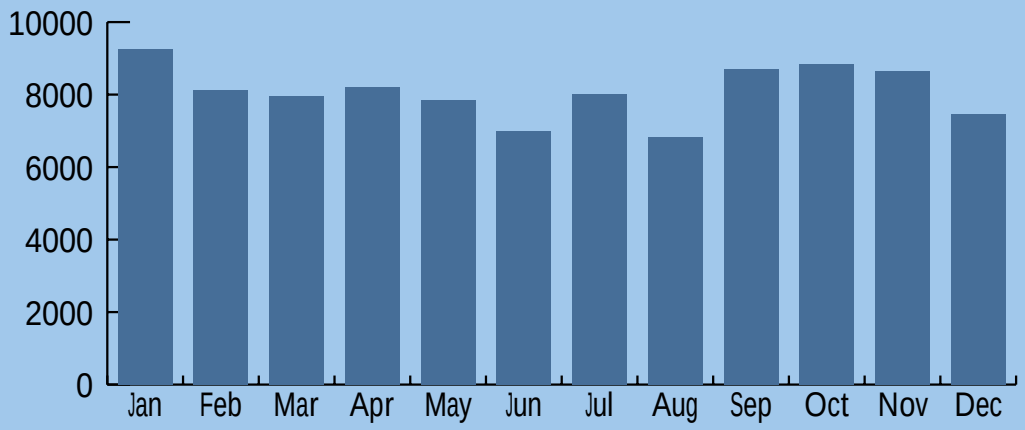

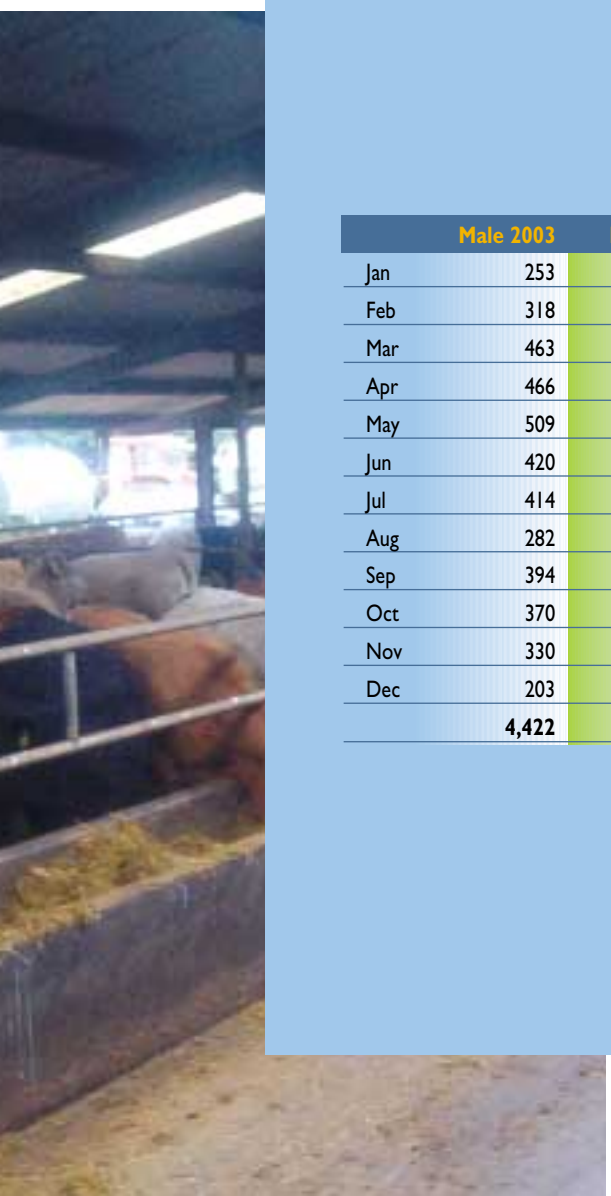

	Male 2003	Male 2002	Female 2003	Female 2002	Total 2003	Total 2002	'03 v '02 (%)
Jan	253	338	9,011	10,273	9,264	10,611	-12.7
Feb	318	365	7,812	8,133	8,130	8,498	-4.3
Mar	463	534	7,497	7,984	7,960	8,518	-6.6
Apr	466	502	7,733	8,395	8,199	8,897	-7.8
May	509	537	7,329	8,240	7,838	8,777	-10.7
Jun	420	351	6,563	7,070	6,983	7,421	-5.9
Jul	414	369	7,611	8,979	8,025	9,348	-14.2
Aug	282	275	6,535	7,783	6,817	8,058	-15.4
Sep	394	247	8,322	8,220	8,716	8,467	2.9
Oct	370	252	8,475	9,951	8,845	10,203	-13.3
Nov	330	272	8,327	9,551	8,657	9,823	-11.9
Dec	203	139	7,266	7,980	7,469	8,119	-8.0
	4,422	**4,181**	**92,481**	**102,559**	**96,903**	**106,740**	**-9.2**

SECTION 3

Age Profile of Abattoir Slaughterings 2003 for Beef Cattle* by month and by gender

	0 - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		
Month	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
Jan	0	0	28	528	33	634	120	7,147	42	559	9,091
Feb	0	1	29	498	30	615	167	5,680	65	873	7,958
Mar	0	0	40	396	63	848	213	4,267	114	1,820	7,761
Apr	0	3	23	257	82	1,471	111	2,956	185	2,874	7,962
May	2	2	16	154	142	2,120	86	1,585	216	3,321	7,644
Jun	5	3	9	105	77	2,246	41	945	248	3,112	6,791
Jul	3	8	10	101	97	3,015	25	921	221	3,403	7,804
Aug	2	6	5	131	37	2,514	33	1,119	168	2,634	6,649
Sep	7	28	15	316	39	2,600	48	2,593	249	2,647	8,542
Oct	2	16	21	479	46	1,715	58	4,311	198	1,798	8,644
Nov	1	9	15	533	28	1,083	79	5,288	168	1,247	8,451
Dec	0	5	40	485	30	668	50	5,337	58	668	7,341
	22	**81**	**251**	**3,983**	**704**	**19,529**	**1,031**	**42,149**	**1,932**	**24,956**	**94,638**

Age Profile of Abattoir Slaughterings 2003 for Dairy Cattle ** by month and by gender

	0 - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		
Month	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
Jan	0	0	1	3	2	2	23	117	4	21	173
Feb	0	0	1	6	0	6	13	90	13	43	172
Mar	0	0	3	1	9	9	10	61	11	95	199
Apr	0	0	5	1	18	17	11	52	31	102	237
May	0	0	0	1	20	26	11	25	16	95	194
Jun	13	0	1	4	8	31	0	15	18	102	192
Jul	2	0	0	1	18	27	3	12	35	123	221
Aug	0	0	0	0	5	19	10	18	22	94	168
Sep	1	0	2	0	9	37	6	33	18	68	174
Oct	0	1	2	4	16	22	8	84	19	45	201
Nov	0	0	2	6	20	16	8	107	9	38	206
Dec	0	0	6	2	4	11	11	82	4	8	128
	16	**1**	**23**	**29**	**129**	**223**	**114**	**696**	**200**	**834**	**2,265**

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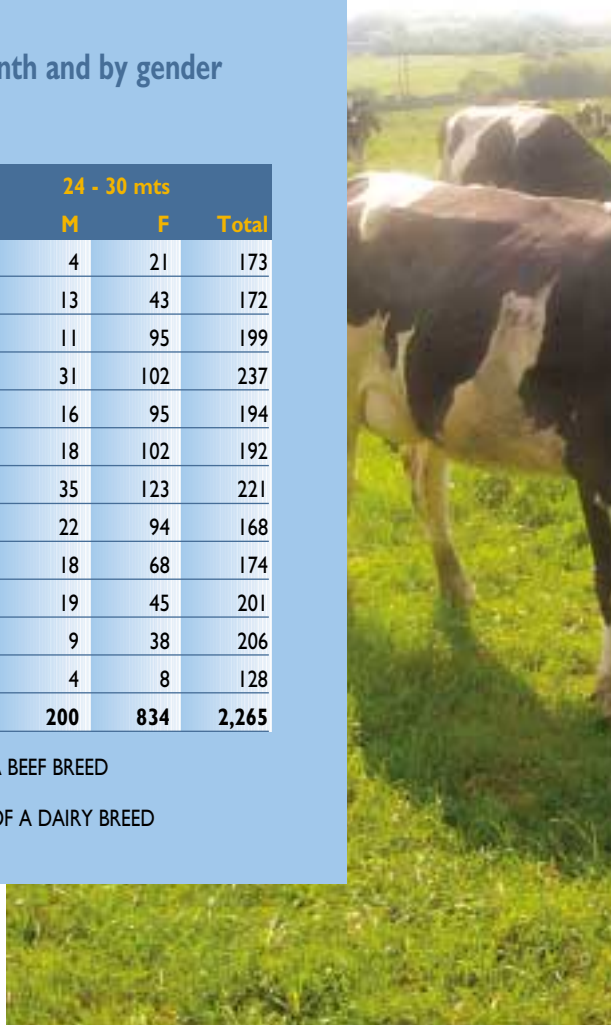

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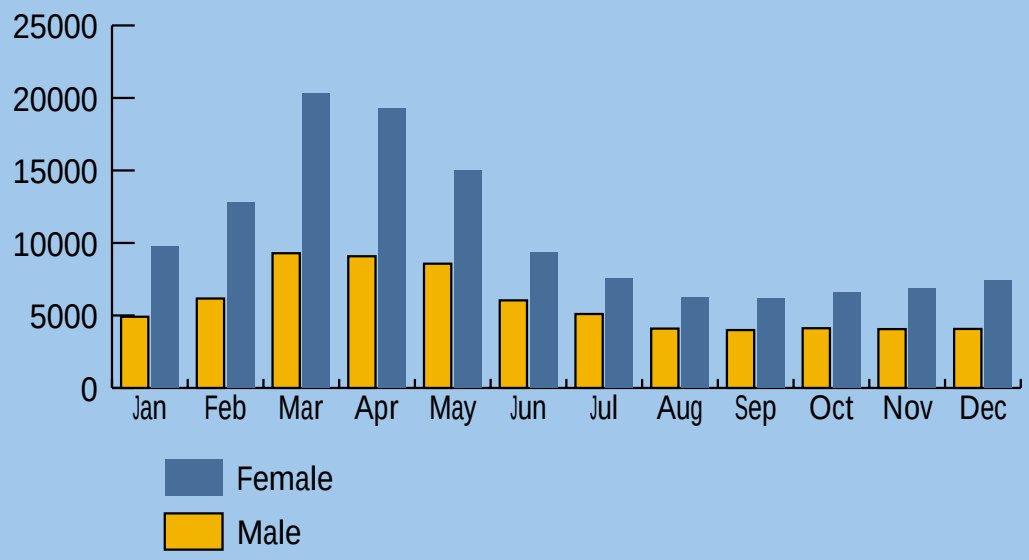
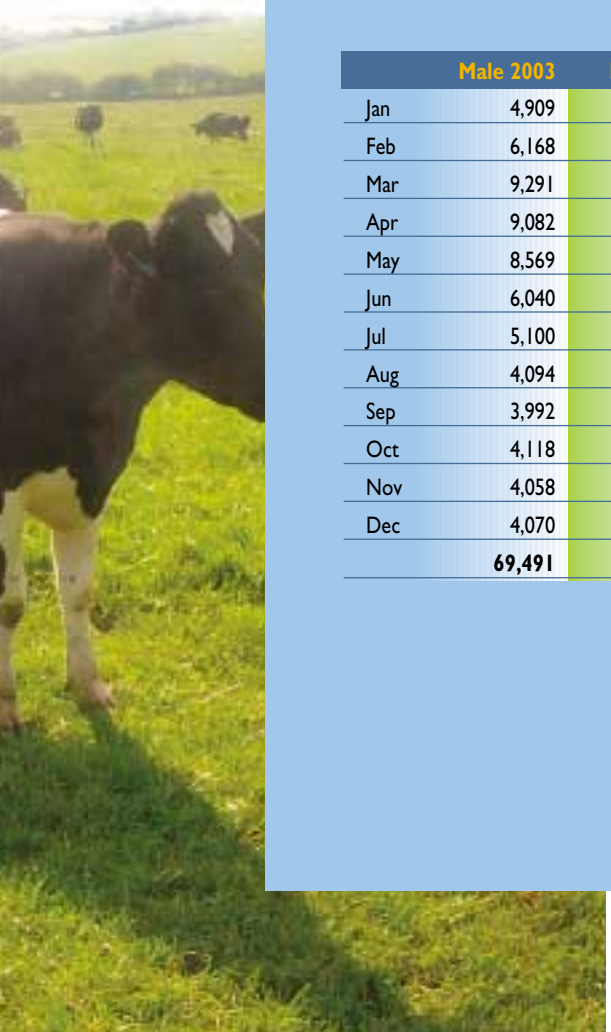
On Farm Deaths 2003 by month and by gender





	Male 2003	Male 2002	Female 2003	Female 2002	Total 2003	2002 Total	'03 v '02 (%)
Jan	4,909	3,452	9,751	6,710	14,660	10,162	44.3
Feb	6,168	5,361	12,805	9,870	18,973	15,231	24.6
Mar	9,291	8,797	20,319	16,229	29,610	25,026	18.3
Apr	9,082	9,510	19,245	17,691	28,327	27,201	4.1
May	8,569	9,063	14,978	15,396	23,547	24,459	-3.7
Jun	6,040	6,355	9,360	9,980	15,400	16,335	-5.7
Jul	5,100	5,250	7,539	7,879	12,639	13,129	-3.7
Aug	4,094	4,388	6,228	7,247	10,322	11,635	-11.3
Sep	3,992	4,005	6,162	6,041	10,154	10,046	1.1
Oct	4,118	4,721	6,565	8,358	10,683	13,079	-18.3
Nov	4,058	5,053	6,885	8,115	10,943	13,168	-16.9
Dec	4,070	4,860	7,405	8,106	11,475	12,966	-11.5
	69,491	**70,815**	**127,242**	**121,622**	**196,733**	**192,437**	**2.2**

SECTION 4

Age Profile of On Farm Deaths 2003 for Male Beef cattle* by month

Month	1 day - 1 week	1 -3 weeks	3 - 6 weeks	6 wks - 3 mts	3 - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 18 mts	18 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 mts +	Total
Jan	302	161	123	190	278	1,234	156	493	60	275	3,272
Feb	808	323	191	187	192	1,073	194	425	90	204	3,687
Mar	1,396	846	561	386	208	1,078	323	491	182	251	5,722
Apr	997	953	915	908	219	686	555	277	267	169	5,946
May	654	659	915	1,504	366	409	711	175	309	193	5,895
Jun	313	255	416	1,303	717	237	567	114	238	138	4,298
Jul	154	135	213	824	1,031	234	581	75	223	140	3,610
Aug	104	56	104	374	960	306	526	105	206	136	2,877
Sep	92	31	46	226	900	527	462	164	153	153	2,754
Oct	123	37	68	138	728	972	327	266	126	164	2,949
Nov	120	58	61	139	396	1,212	239	379	83	158	2,845
Dec	152	85	66	143	301	1,151	181	403	75	190	2,747
	5,215	**3,599**	**3,679**	**6,322**	**6,296**	**9,119**	**4,822**	**3,367**	**2,012**	**2,171**	**46,602**

Age Profile of On Farm Deaths 2003 for Female Beef cattle* by month

Month	1 day - 1 week	1 -3 weeks	3 - 6 weeks	6 wks - 3 mts	3 - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 18 mts	18 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 mts +	Total
Jan	242	103	105	149	216	1,003	113	412	67	3,069	5,479
Feb	582	289	154	159	174	775	118	372	107	3,569	6,299
Mar	941	766	533	317	190	809	243	408	246	6,079	10,532
Apr	710	930	770	765	178	476	433	353	404	5,899	10,918
May	433	552	749	1,341	338	303	539	216	453	4,132	9,056
Jun	194	240	401	1,078	576	154	464	97	349	2,416	5,969
Jul	104	120	216	620	958	195	491	92	255	1,717	4,768
Aug	55	59	101	319	858	258	464	105	208	1,511	3,938
Sep	53	35	60	177	697	441	403	186	176	1,575	3,803
Oct	91	43	52	110	551	809	286	269	127	1,770	4,108
Nov	68	57	62	91	387	958	189	299	70	2,156	4,337
Dec	75	56	72	120	225	874	143	340	65	2,438	4,408
	3,548	**3,250**	**3,275**	**5,246**	**5,348**	**7,055**	**3,886**	**3,149**	**2,527**	**36,331**	**73,615**

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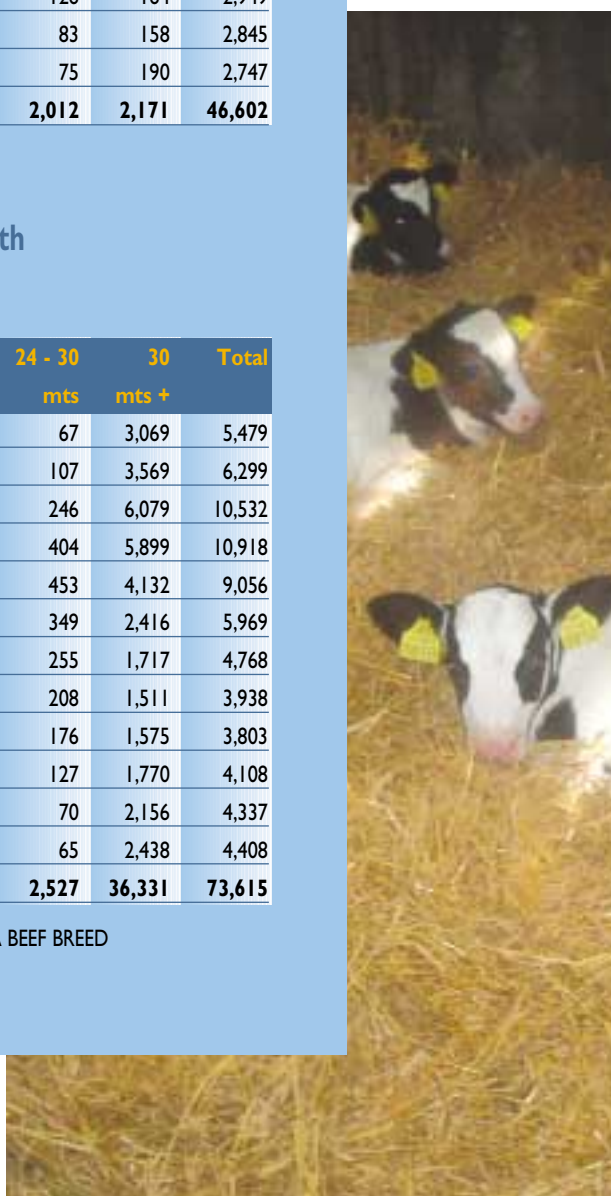

SECTION 4

Age Profile of On Farm Deaths 2003 for Male Dairy cattle** by month

Month	1 day - 1 week	1 -3 weeks	3 - 6 weeks	6 wks - 3 mts	3 - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 18 mts	18 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 mts +	Total
Jan	305	107	94	136	143	500	76	179	44	53	1,637
Feb	790	400	231	126	136	351	180	150	80	37	2,481
Mar	691	602	712	422	174	301	332	121	175	39	3,569
Apr	305	436	550	913	144	173	343	86	157	29	3,136
May	145	215	270	976	430	123	293	37	146	39	2,674
Jun	50	59	116	452	665	90	182	23	85	20	1,742
Jul	29	32	61	226	737	113	183	29	54	26	1,490
Aug	34	13	31	107	534	246	134	45	49	24	1,217
Sep	127	30	34	59	281	440	93	115	33	26	1,238
Oct	117	44	79	58	147	462	76	116	23	47	1,169
Nov	137	65	77	98	96	432	74	152	29	53	1,213
Dec	106	84	95	138	94	468	90	171	27	50	1,323
	2,836	**2,087**	**2,350**	**3,711**	**3,581**	**3,699**	**2,056**	**1,224**	**902**	**443**	**22,889**

Age Profile of On Farm Deaths 2003 for Female Dairy cattle** by month

Month	1 day - 1 week	1 -3 weeks	3 - 6 weeks	6 wks - 3 mts	3 - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 18 mts	18 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 mts +	Total
Jan	288	93	52	74	69	316	47	210	76	3,047	4,272
Feb	581	310	161	71	67	178	64	202	281	4,591	6,506
Mar	440	481	529	270	109	145	152	198	585	6,878	9,787
Apr	229	350	436	614	80	125	171	94	551	5,677	8,327
May	98	156	226	630	301	83	188	55	374	3,811	5,922
Jun	23	47	97	336	479	54	120	28	203	2,004	3,391
Jul	13	24	49	198	586	78	142	28	179	1,474	2,771
Aug	24	8	21	79	376	191	108	52	100	1,331	2,290
Sep	77	22	21	39	267	315	75	87	75	1,381	2,359
Oct	88	43	60	42	160	379	43	120	42	1,480	2,457
Nov	98	57	59	66	82	382	33	129	60	1,582	2,548
Dec	76	48	66	78	73	364	47	200	54	1,991	2,997
	2,035	**1,639**	**1,777**	**2,497**	**2,649**	**2,610**	**1,190**	**1,403**	**2,580**	**35,247**	**53,627**

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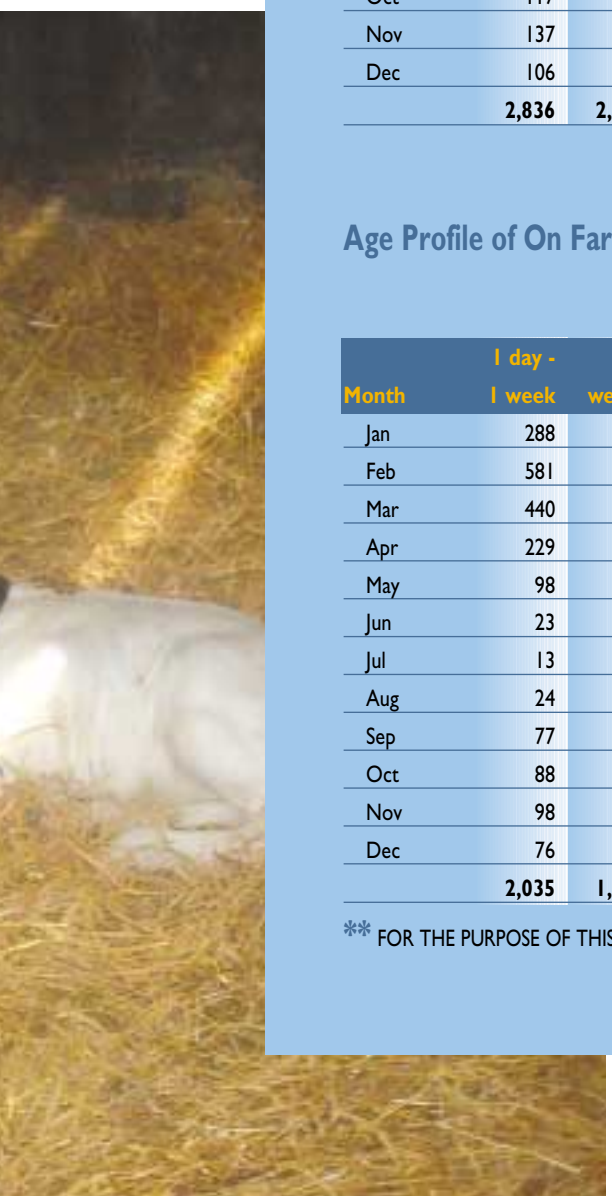
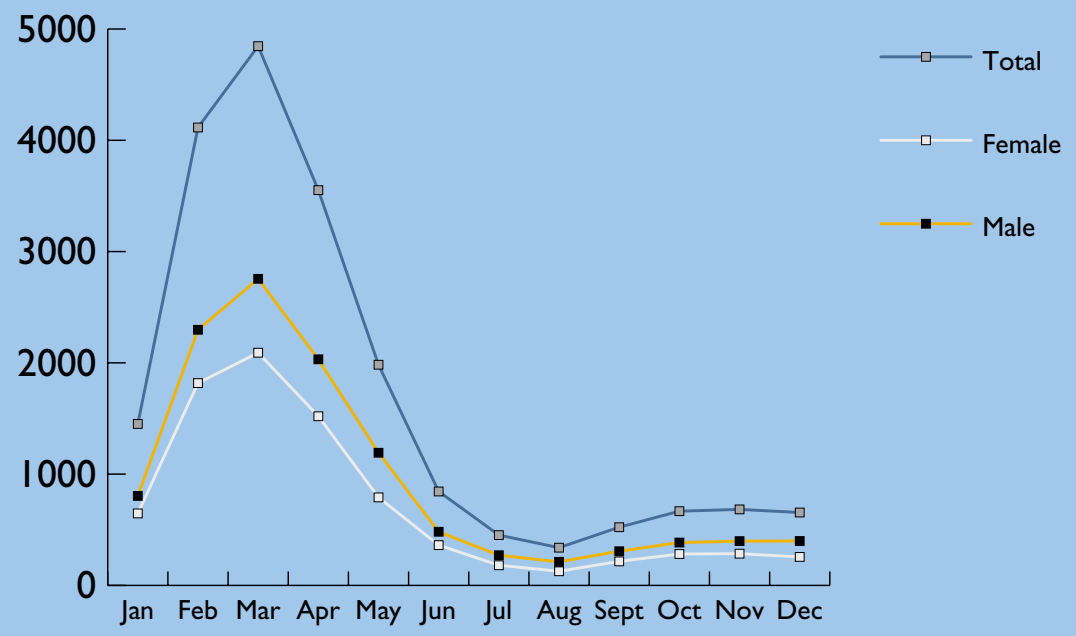
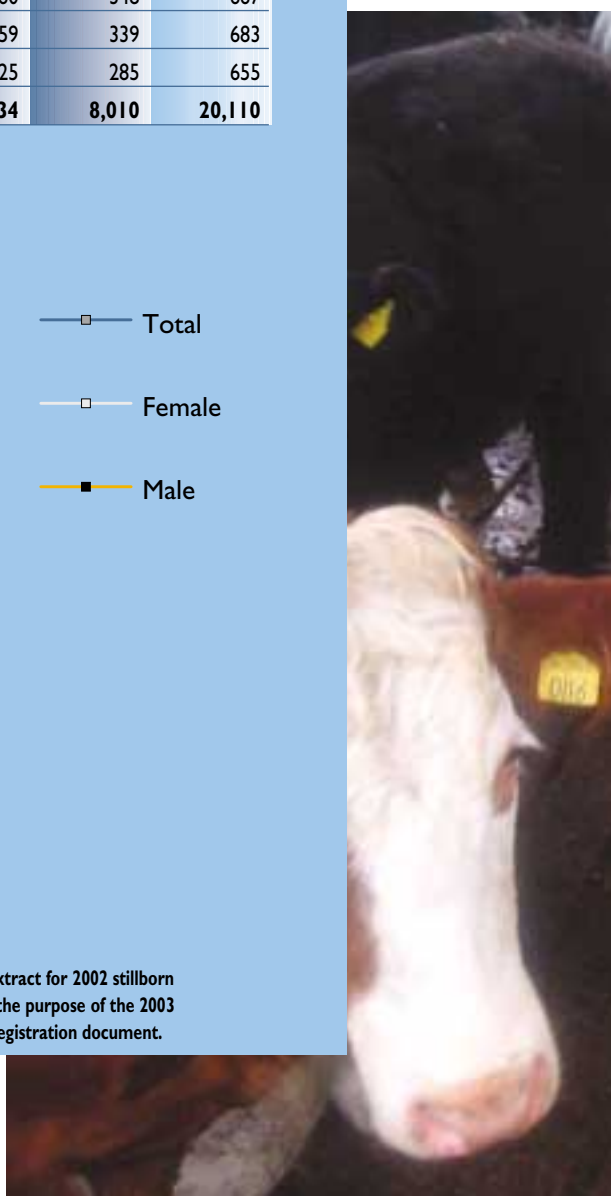


SECTION 5

Stillborn* Calves 2003 by month and by gender

	Calves from a beef bull			Calves from a dairy bull			Overall
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Total
Jan	349	263	612	455	384	839	1,451
Feb	1,033	812	1,845	1,264	1,006	2,270	4,115
Mar	1,655	1,249	2,904	1,100	842	1,942	4,846
Apr	1,484	1,104	2,588	548	416	964	3,552
May	946	601	1,547	246	190	436	1,983
Jun	401	291	692	81	71	152	844
Jul	225	151	376	46	30	76	452
Aug	156	87	243	56	40	96	339
Sep	155	105	260	152	111	263	523
Oct	197	122	319	188	160	348	667
Nov	218	126	344	180	159	339	683
Dec	239	131	370	160	125	285	655
Total	**7,058**	**5,042**	**12,100**	**4,476**	**3,534**	**8,010**	**20,110**

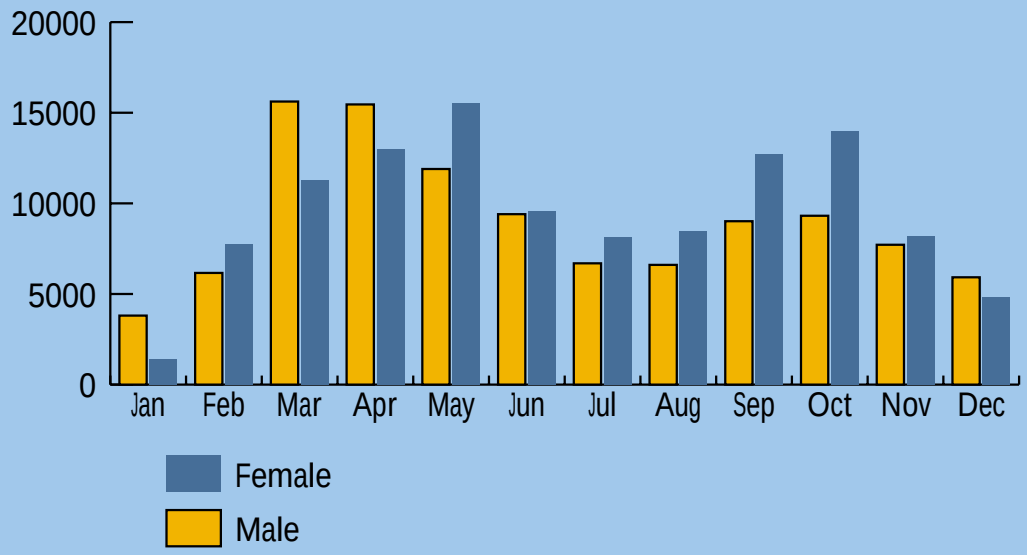




* The above figures on stillborn animals are not directly comparable with those listed in the 2002 Report. The extract for 2002 stillborn animals defined stillborn animals as animals that had a CMMS record of birth and death on the same day. For the purpose of the 2003 extract stillborn animals are defined as those declared as stillborn by the keeper of the herd on the calf birth registration document.

SECTION 6

Live Exports 2003 by month and by gender



	2003 Male	2002 Male	2003 Female	2002 Female	2003 Total	2002 Total	'03 v '02 (%)
Jan	3,808	2,077	1,433	1,676	5,241	3,753	39.6
Feb	6,162	3,503	7,737	3,135	13,899	6,638	109.4
Mar	15,618	5,293	11,255	6,783	26,873	12,076	122.5
Apr	15,458	4,196	12,980	5,368	28,438	9,564	197.3
May	11,896	5,088	15,504	5,825	27,400	10,913	151.1
Jun	9,404	5,163	9,582	5,438	18,986	10,601	79.1
Jul	6,692	3,499	8,124	6,633	14,816	10,132	46.2
Aug	6,606	5,585	8,468	9,401	15,074	14,986	0.6
Sep	9,015	8,445	12,730	12,023	21,745	20,468	6.2
Oct	9,316	8,638	13,992	14,789	23,308	23,427	-0.5
Nov	7,716	5,324	8,195	7,961	15,911	13,285	19.8
Dec	5,921	5,852	4,844	6,399	10,765	12,251	-12.1
Total	**107,612**	**62,663**	**114,844**	**85,431**	**222,456**	**148,094**	**50.2**

SECTION 6

Age Profile of Live Exports 2003 for Beef Cattle* by month and by gender

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Age Profile of Live Exports 2003 for Beef Cattle* by month and by gender

	0 - 6 weeks		6 wks - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
Jan	1	0	1	21	527	1,103	230	66	549	180	64	20	67	23	2,852
Feb	6	761	4	221	978	5,091	500	410	1,350	1,016	195	74	46	39	10,691
Mar	91	3,792	5	354	1,451	4,638	1,316	845	1,580	1,067	734	237	10	68	16,188
Apr	268	5,155	33	710	570	3,418	1,450	2,043	988	749	916	464	16	44	16,824
May	889	6,845	98	1,288	208	2,528	1,177	3,567	258	304	451	408	255	52	18,328
Jun	1,253	3,572	194	1,208	184	1,318	1,569	2,720	156	106	419	261	57	76	13,093
Jul	580	2,296	142	1,510	132	1,182	1,715	2,490	306	132	514	243	55	66	11,363
Aug	75	744	83	2,558	294	2,245	2,516	2,364	616	191	617	162	73	24	12,562
Sep	0	36	357	3,928	1,336	5,657	2,651	2,034	1,688	564	722	211	101	70	19,355
Oct	27	57	564	2,924	2,397	8,783	1,498	812	2,420	1,018	294	216	66	120	21,196
Nov	20	64	715	763	1,680	5,465	821	432	2,049	1,142	136	85	72	115	13,559
Dec	9	13	253	482	1,027	3,029	595	229	1,448	887	128	52	34	76	8,262
Total	**3,219**	**23,335**	**2,449**	**15,967**	**10,784**	**44,457**	**16,038**	**18,012**	**13,408**	**7,356**	**5,190**	**2,433**	**852**	**773**	**164,273**

SECTION 6

Age Profile of Live Exports 2003 for Dairy Cattle* by month and by gender

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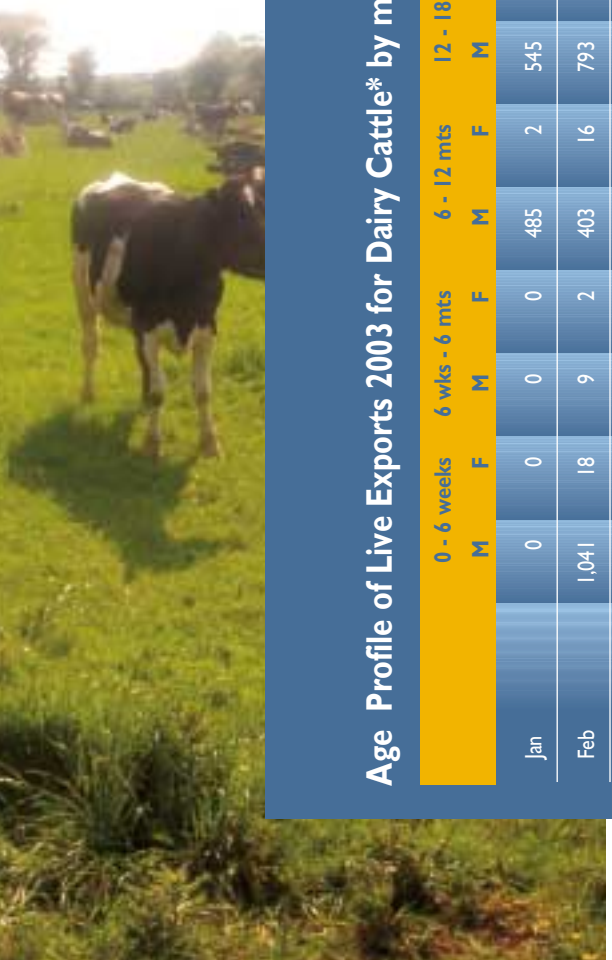
Age Profile of Live Exports 2003 for Dairy Cattle* by month and by gender

	0 - 6 weeks		6 wks - 6 mts		6 - 12 mts		12 - 18 mts		18 - 24 mts		24 - 30 mts		30 mts +		
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
Jan	0	0	0	0	485	2	545	0	1,051	1	286	0	2	17	2,389
Feb	1,041	18	9	2	403	16	793	2	381	45	453	18	3	24	3,208
Mar	6,504	87	256	8	400	18	1,753	7	525	23	991	63	2	48	10,685
Apr	8,141	187	818	33	129	15	1,620	40	107	13	401	59	1	50	11,614
May	6,469	344	1,243	72	18	13	700	31	49	2	76	27	5	23	9,072
Jun	2,291	219	765	47	26	9	1,688	33	130	4	644	1	28	8	5,893
Jul	1,102	133	473	49	60	7	1,303	13	121	0	182	2	7	1	3,453
Aug	255	33	123	22	278	7	916	22	460	9	297	61	3	26	2,512
Sep	0	1	5	13	241	11	674	34	887	102	338	26	15	43	2,390
Oct	799	4	12	14	134	11	387	2	592	5	121	1	5	25	2,112
Nov	770	4	64	7	174	5	389	4	714	86	108	3	4	20	2,352
Dec	217	0	2	6	369	11	924	0	747	29	166	9	2	21	2,503
Total	**27,589**	**1,030**	**3,770**	**273**	**2,717**	**125**	**11,692**	**188**	**5,764**	**319**	**4,063**	**270**	**77**	**306**	**58,183**



Chapter 3 disposal of cattle

SECTION 6

Destination of Live Exports

Destination	Male	Female	Total
France	48	10	58
Netherlands	18,600	15,766	34,366
Germany	29	34	63
Italy	6,550	12,288	18,838
Great Britain	514	1,242	1,756
Greece	486	88	574
Portugal	65	10	75
Spain	16,685	71,127	87,812
Northern Ireland	26,403	13,380	39,783
Belgium	1,529	685	2,214
Kosovo	0	93	93
Malawi	0	121	121
Lebanon	36,703	0	36,703
Total	**107,612**	**114,844**	**222,456**

Age Profile of Live Exports 2003 by Breed

	0 - 6 wks	6 wks - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 18 mts	18 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 mts +	Total
FR	28,010	3,870	2,684	11,538	5,839	4,255	357	56,553
HE	5,881	797	409	921	729	465	125	9,327
CH	2,675	9,318	30,729	14,968	9,323	2,838	479	70,330
LM	3,907	3,709	13,260	8,546	5,003	1,992	413	36,830
SI	2,311	878	2,069	2,064	1,328	471	147	9,268
AA	5,008	1,087	770	1,645	1,364	688	183	10,745
BB	6,376	2,362	7,173	5,192	2,636	997	228	24,964
Other*	1,005	438	989	1,056	625	250	76	4,439
Total	**55,173**	**22,459**	**58,083**	**45,930**	**26,847**	**11,956**	**2,008**	**222,456**

FR: Friesian **HE:** Hereford **CH:** Charolais **LM:** Limousin

SI: Simmental **AA:** Aberdeen Angus **BB:** Belgian Blue

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SECTION 6

Destination of Live Exports by Breed

Destination	FR	HE	CH	LM	SI	AA	BB	Other*	Total
France	12	0	34	8	0	2	1	1	58
Netherlands	17,437	4,796	988	2,061	997	4,396	3,010	681	34,366
Germany	6	0	22	11	0	0	4	20	63
Italy	279	214	6,518	4,873	464	316	5,848	326	18,838
Great Britain	176	27	222	686	132	237	207	69	1756
Greece	1	0	326	128	21	3	89	6	574
Portugal	0	2	43	15	3	6	3	3	75
Spain	13,752	2,068	37,762	16,541	4,126	2,227	9,816	1,520	87,812
Northern Ireland	1,162	621	20,225	9,711	1,828	1,511	4,064	661	39,783
Belgium	797	55	148	213	60	91	812	38	2,214
Kosovo	90	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	93
Malawi	115	0	1	0	0	0	2	3	121
Lebanon	22,726	1,544	4,041	2,581	1,637	1,956	1,108	1,110	36,703
	56,553	**9,327**	**70,330**	**36,830**	**9,268**	**10,745**	**24,964**	**4,439**	**222,456**

FR: Friesian **HE:** Hereford **CH:** Charolais **LM:** Limousin

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Destination of Live Exports by Age

	0 - 6 wks	6 wks - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 18 mts	18 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 mts +	Total
France	0	0	5	28	15	0	10	58
Netherlands	30,834	2,937	58	163	114	124	136	34,366
Germany	0	2	21	37	3	0	0	63
Italy	1,169	1,181	8,072	7,160	1,121	123	12	18,838
Great Britain	0	2	37	162	1137	501	79	1756
Greece	0	0	260	257	52	5	0	574
Portugal	0	2	40	33	0	0	0	75
Spain	21,475	16,614	37,831	11,454	374	18	46	87,812
Northern Ireland	72	1,555	7,720	8,380	15,180	5,253	1,623	39,783
Belgium	1,623	166	154	112	75	52	32	2,214
Kosovo	0	0	0	2	33	33	25	93
Malawi	0	0	0	12	52	31	26	121
Lebanon	0	0	3,885	18,130	8,853	5,816	19	36,703
	55,173	**22,459**	**58,083**	**45,930**	**26,847**	**11,956**	**2,008**	**222,456**

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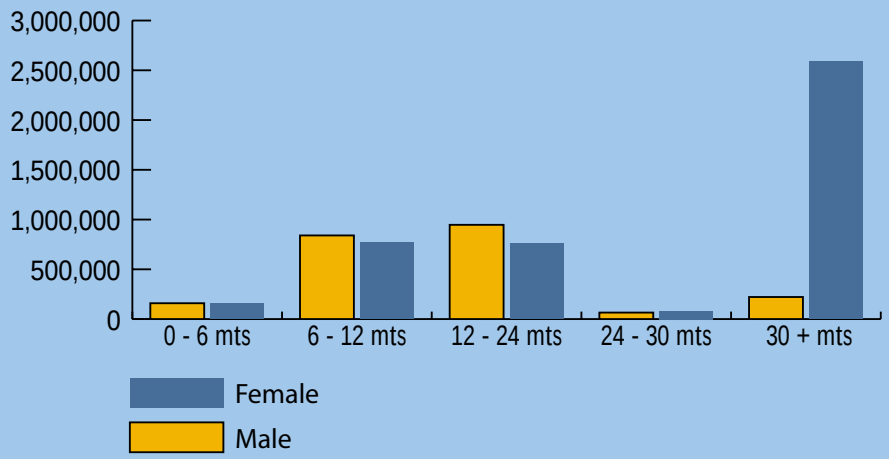
CHAPTER 4

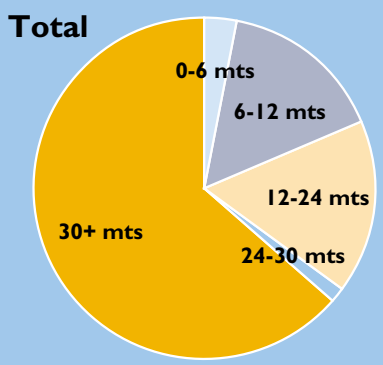
national herd data

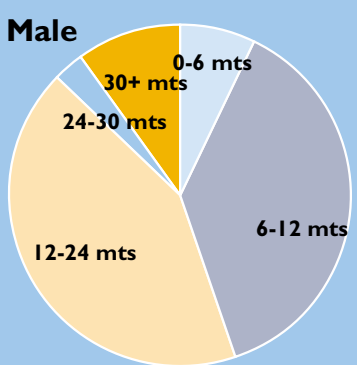
SECTION 1

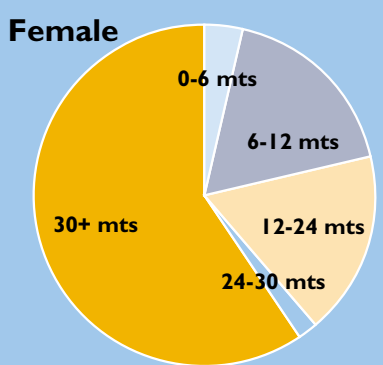
Age Profile of Live Herd at 31/12/2003 by gender

	0 - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 + mts	Total
Male	159,189	840,404	947,074	65,205	221,725	2,233,597
Female	157,674	771,497	756,530	81,686	2,588,990	4,356,377
	316,863	**1,611,901**	**1,703,604**	**146,891**	**2,810,715**	**6,589,974**





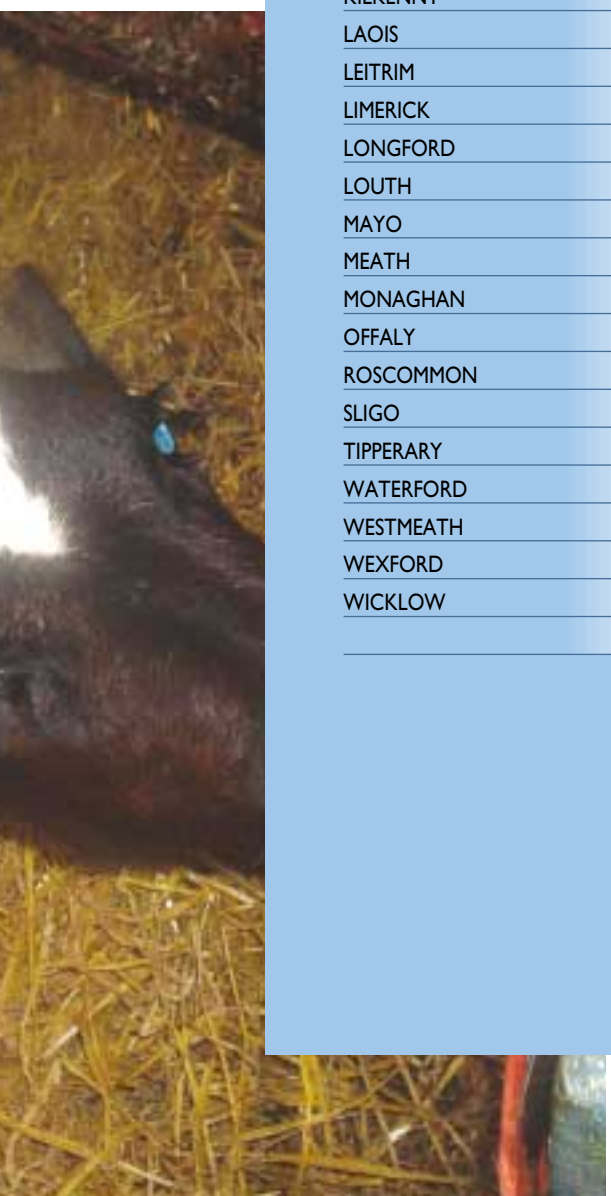




SECTION 2

Age Profile of Live Herd at 31/12/2003 by county

	0 - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30 + mts	Total	% of Total
CARLOW	6,568	22,341	28,285	3,486	37,231	97,911	1.49
CAVAN	11,799	55,896	50,881	4,929	105,520	229,025	3.48
CLARE	12,263	71,706	58,081	3,710	136,206	281,966	4.28
CORK	38,619	255,062	255,532	18,236	426,421	993,870	15.08
DONEGAL	9,662	48,586	47,566	3,865	81,072	190,751	2.89
DUBLIN	1,970	4,631	7,489	1,377	11,135	26,602	0.40
GALWAY	22,781	102,819	103,752	8,616	175,561	413,529	6.28
KERRY	12,723	78,412	67,764	3,879	175,461	338,239	5.13
KILDARE	7,933	24,329	40,257	5,973	46,444	124,936	1.90
KILKENNY	13,675	80,904	92,063	6,922	121,284	314,848	4.78
LAOIS	12,407	57,631	69,402	6,384	83,088	228,912	3.47
LEITRIM	5,194	17,649	12,258	1,493	49,274	85,868	1.30
LIMERICK	12,809	96,946	94,927	5,477	178,124	388,283	5.89
LONGFORD	6,523	28,608	30,436	2,650	49,088	117,305	1.78
LOUTH	6,294	15,405	25,777	4,059	31,100	82,635	1.25
MAYO	14,014	66,230	58,707	4,570	134,193	277,714	4.21
MEATH	18,846	57,263	86,363	12,675	119,340	294,487	4.47
MONAGHAN	10,314	52,331	52,585	5,102	86,540	206,872	3.14
OFFALY	11,138	53,661	69,427	5,962	71,212	211,400	3.21
ROSCOMMON	10,261	48,378	50,840	3,933	84,295	197,707	3.00
SLIGO	6,166	27,779	23,325	2,091	60,357	119,718	1.82
TIPPERARY	19,831	161,525	166,439	8,680	215,806	572,281	8.68
WATERFORD	10,740	60,105	58,780	4,615	94,361	228,601	3.47
WESTMEATH	10,475	45,220	56,952	5,687	73,159	191,493	2.91
WEXFORD	13,479	56,677	68,231	7,270	100,859	246,516	3.74
WICKLOW	10,379	21,807	27,485	5,250	63,584	128,505	1.95
	316,863	**1,611,901**	**1,703,604**	**146,891**	**2,810,715**	**6,589,974**	**100.00**



SECTION 3

Age Profile of Live Herd at 31/12/2003 by Breed

	0 - 6 mts	6 - 12 mts	12 - 24 mts	24 - 30 mts	30+ mts	Total
FR	71,133	417,751	451,587	48,241	1,238,303	2,227,015
HE	20,786	140,214	152,915	9,519	266,767	590,201
CH	87,224	391,129	383,428	30,454	374,967	1,267,202
LM	67,923	276,805	288,258	25,742	326,256	984,984
SI	19,427	100,098	123,239	10,580	231,487	484,831
AA	22,913	144,616	141,437	8,692	187,185	504,843
BB	17,321	81,807	107,287	8,960	82,811	298,186
Other*	10,136	59,481	55,453	4,703	102,939	232,712
	316,863	**1,611,901**	**1,703,604**	**146,891**	**2,810,715**	**6,589,974**

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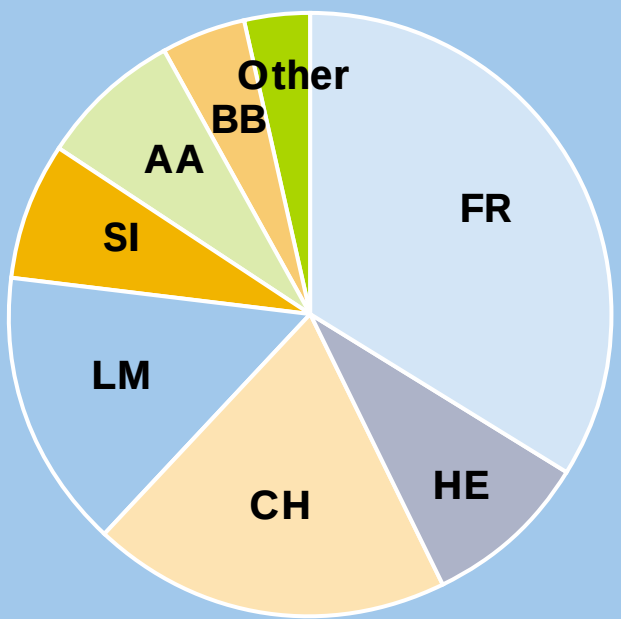

SECTION 4

Profile of Live Herd at 31/12/2003 by county and by breed code

	FR	HE	CH	LM	SI	AA	BB	Other*	Total
CARLOW	24,012	8,356	21,871	19,984	9,843	4,880	6,656	2,309	97,911
CAVAN	67,095	14,985	57,286	41,019	12,975	13,806	14,743	7,116	229,025
CLARE	57,343	35,197	60,473	75,874	14,328	11,124	12,705	14,922	281,966
CORK	535,382	100,190	76,418	70,227	61,006	87,947	28,762	33,938	993,870
DONEGAL	32,416	5,195	77,401	24,081	16,875	16,712	8,632	9,439	190,751
DUBLIN	7,047	2,110	7,081	3,660	2,076	1,624	2,037	967	26,602
GALWAY	59,670	48,705	101,174	113,531	31,104	27,719	20,115	11,511	413,529
KERRY	172,418	34,648	41,864	28,147	17,254	20,844	9,698	13,366	338,239
KILDARE	30,555	9,386	35,259	20,074	11,925	6,358	7,310	4,069	124,936
KILKENNY	117,523	30,744	55,040	44,037	33,081	17,331	9,840	7,252	314,848
LAOIS	66,796	18,950	52,933	37,597	23,347	11,889	11,142	6,258	228,912
LEITRIM	4,844	5,087	33,645	17,661	5,493	9,866	4,582	4,690	85,868
LIMERICK	195,031	50,893	33,501	35,075	16,752	30,027	11,364	15,640	388,283
LONGFORD	17,135	8,067	41,477	22,469	6,358	10,142	8,399	3,258	117,305
LOUTH	28,007	2,619	17,844	10,659	8,563	4,432	5,665	4,846	82,635
MAYO	42,928	11,842	71,570	56,947	21,061	47,333	14,761	11,272	277,714
MEATH	101,043	20,281	64,663	42,486	17,434	19,542	20,379	8,659	294,487
MONAGHAN	72,231	10,385	47,552	26,617	22,239	10,335	11,248	6,265	206,872
OFFALY	46,108	24,352	49,987	37,571	21,166	14,555	11,070	6,591	211,400
ROSCOMMON	12,717	9,090	71,875	42,519	17,731	26,985	10,885	5,905	197,707
SLIGO	18,943	3,600	30,287	21,244	10,474	21,418	6,884	6,868	119,718
TIPPERARY	239,955	68,075	73,505	76,277	41,215	37,640	14,910	20,704	572,281
WATERFORD	103,630	26,194	24,327	20,263	20,564	19,261	5,686	8,676	228,601
WESTMEATH	34,433	18,315	54,798	33,758	12,277	17,903	12,596	7,413	191,493
WEXFORD	96,834	14,648	36,723	43,585	17,970	10,642	19,250	6,864	246,516
WICKLOW	42,919	8,287	28,648	19,622	11,720	4,528	8,867	3,914	128,505
	2,227,015	**590,201**	**1,267,202**	**984,984**	**484,831**	**504,843**	**298,186**	**232,712**	**6,589,974**

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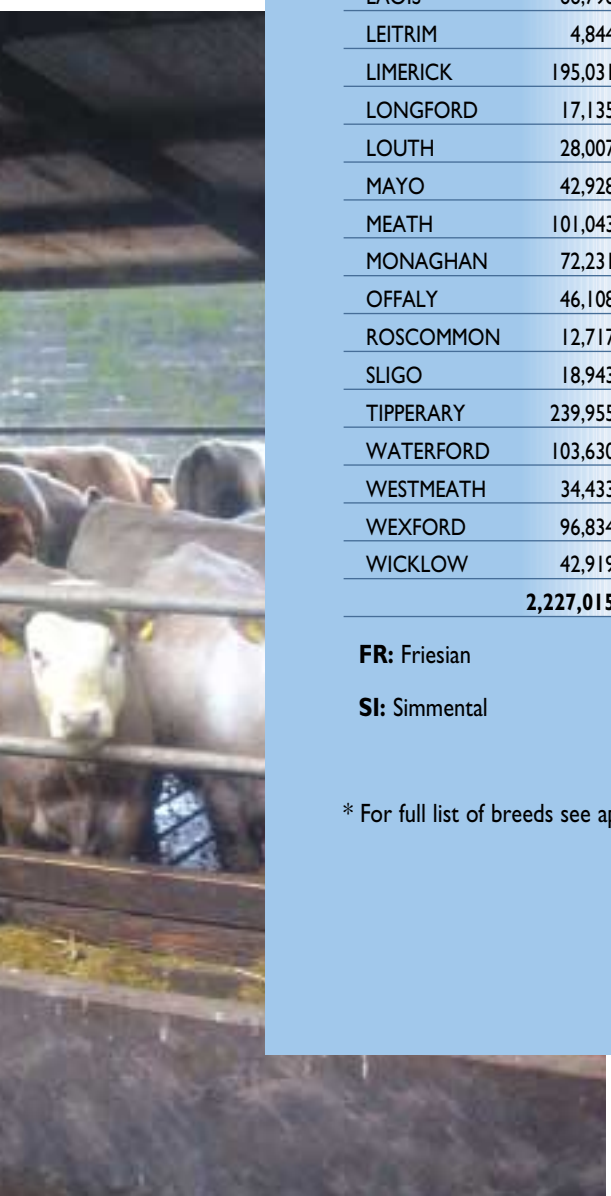
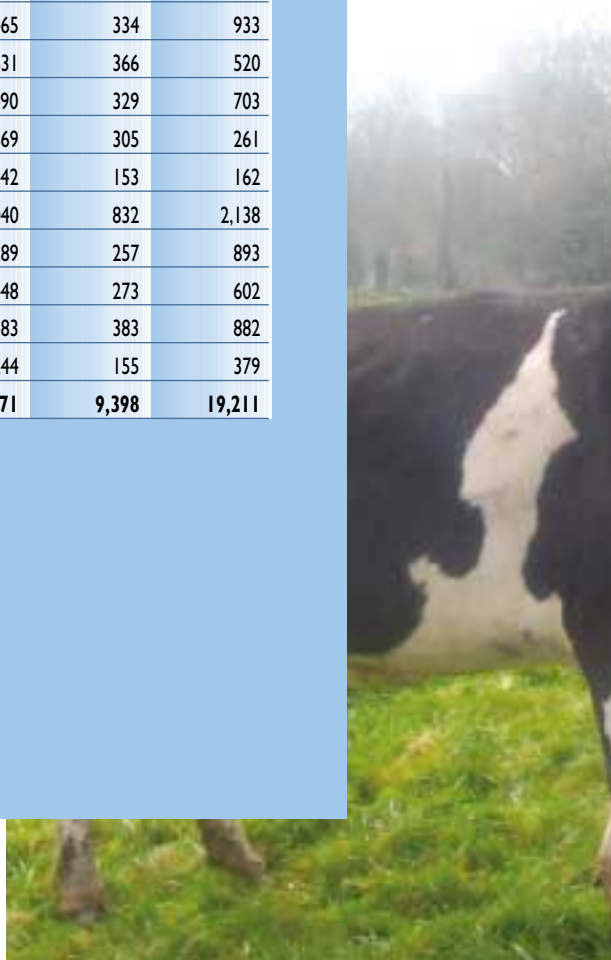


SECTION 5

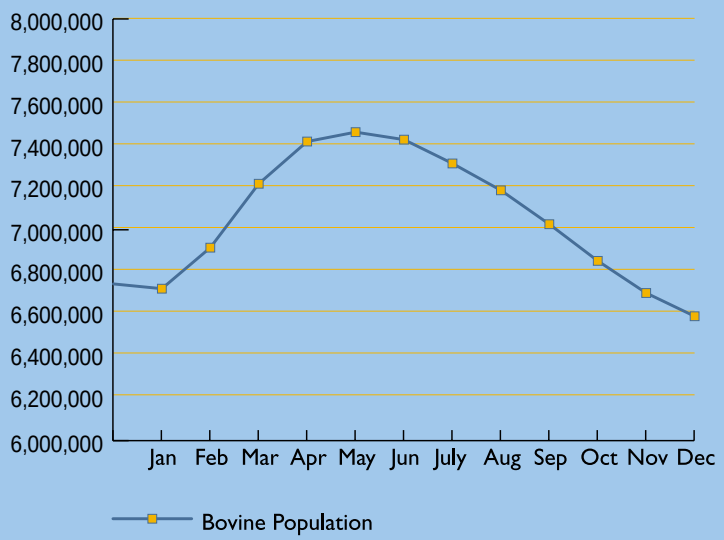
Profile of Herd Size at 31/12/2003

	Cattle	Herds	Av Herd Size	Analysis of Herd Size				
				< 25	25 - 49	50 -74	75 - 99	100 +
CARLOW	97,911	1,461	67.0	477	307	210	145	322
CAVAN	229,025	5,272	43.4	2,322	1,297	723	405	525
CLARE	281,966	6,362	44.3	2,555	1,773	964	480	590
CORK	993,870	12,977	76.6	3,680	2,425	1,827	1,435	3,610
DONEGAL	190,751	6,121	31.2	4,017	1,044	461	209	390
DUBLIN	26,602	487	54.6	246	100	41	20	80
GALWAY	413,529	12,217	33.8	6,487	3,124	1,313	590	703
KERRY	338,239	7,255	46.6	3,296	1,594	936	558	871
KILDARE	124,936	1,942	64.3	793	338	233	183	395
KILKENNY	314,848	3,356	93.8	703	546	483	378	1,246
LAOIS	228,912	3,025	75.7	882	578	452	306	807
LEITRIM	85,868	3,524	24.4	2,393	751	231	65	84
LIMERICK	388,283	5,919	65.6	1,998	1,180	827	606	1,308
LONGFORD	117,305	2,573	45.6	1,072	685	357	204	255
LOUTH	82,635	1,343	61.5	570	248	139	114	272
MAYO	277,714	10,512	26.4	6,679	2,467	773	313	280
MEATH	294,487	3,907	75.4	1,391	784	465	334	933
MONAGHAN	206,872	4,388	47.1	1,775	1,096	631	366	520
OFFALY	211,400	3,254	65.0	1,025	707	490	329	703
ROSCOMMON	197,707	5,727	34.5	2,867	1,625	669	305	261
SLIGO	119,718	3,940	30.4	2,330	953	342	153	162
TIPPERARY	572,281	7,144	80.1	1,836	1,298	1,040	832	2,138
WATERFORD	228,601	2,431	94.0	629	363	289	257	893
WESTMEATH	191,493	3,124	61.3	1,083	718	448	273	602
WEXFORD	246,516	3,500	70.4	1,087	665	483	383	882
WICKLOW	128,505	1,775	72.4	629	368	244	155	379
	6,589,974	**123,536**	**53.3**	**52,822**	**27,034**	**15,071**	**9,398**	**19,211**

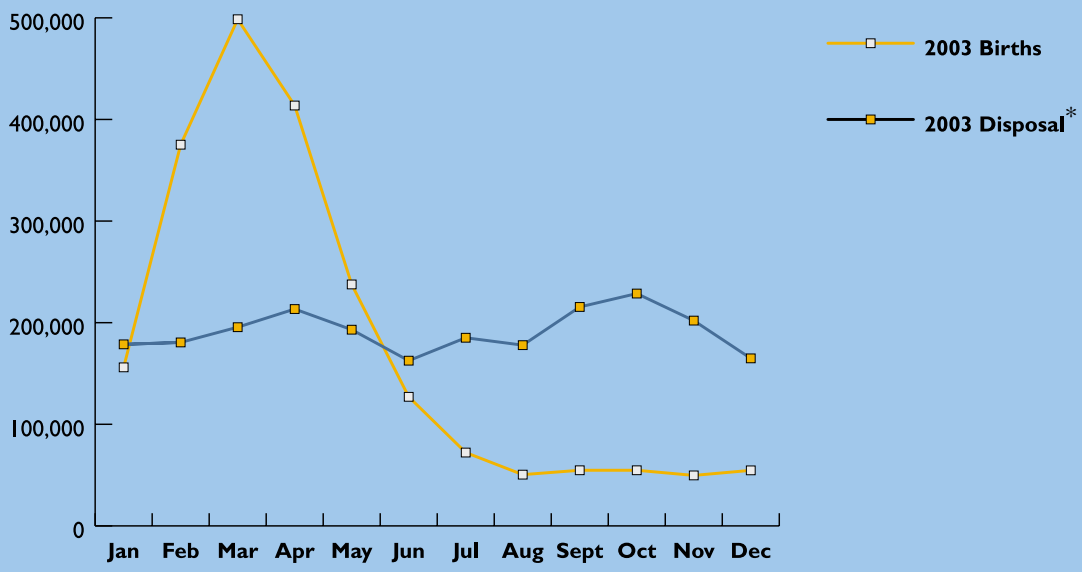


SECTION 5

Bovine Population 2003



Bovine Population		Change
Start Jan	6,743,305	
End Jan	6,720,672	-22,633
End Feb	6,915,268	194,596
End Mar	7,218,323	303,055
End Apr	7,418,614	200,291
End May	7,463,155	44,541
End Jun	7,427,581	-35,574
End July	7,314,605	-112,976
End Aug	7,187,170	-127,435
End Sep	7,026,449	-160,721
End Oct	6,852,544	-173,905
End Nov	6,700,193	-152,351
End Dec	6,589,974	-110,219



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Readers will note that there is a difference of some 300,000 head between the end-year live animal population figure in the 2002 Report and the start 2003 figure in this Report. This difference arises from a decision taken during 2003 to remove from the live animal file some 300,000 animals born in 2000 or earlier for which there was no record on the herd reconciliation project undertaken in 2000 or of a movement or calving in the period from 2000 onwards. These animals had been maintained as live on the database until the Department was satisfied that they represented animals that were disposed of in the period before CMMS was fully operational.

CHAPTER 5

suppliers of CMMS data 2003

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Livestock Marts

Abbeyfeale Mart, Limerick

Ardee Mart, Louth

Athenry Mart, Galway

Balla Mart, Mayo

Ballina Mart, Mayo

Ballinakill Mart, Laois

Ballinasloe Mart, Galway

Ballinrobe Mart, Mayo

Ballybay Mart, Monaghan

Ballybofey Mart, Donegal

Ballyjamesduff Mart, Cavan

Ballymahon Mart, Longford

Ballymote Mart, Sligo

Ballyshannon Mart, Donegal

Baltinglass Mart, Wicklow

Bandon Mart, Cork

Birr Mart, Offaly

Blessington Mart, Wicklow

Cahir Mart, Tipperary

Cahirciveen Mart, Kerry

Carlow Mart, Carlow

Carnaross Mart, Meath

Carnew Mart, Wicklow

Carrick-on-Shannon Mart, Leitrim

Carrick-on-Suir Mart, Tipperary

Carrigallen Mart, Leitrim

Cashel Mart, Tipperary

Castleblaney Mart, Monaghan

Castleisland Mart, Kerry

Castlerea Mart, Roscommon

Cavan Mart, Cavan

Clifden Mart, Galway

Clones Mart, Monaghan

Delvin Mart, Westmeath

Dingle Mart, Kerry

Donegal Mart, Donegal

Dowra Mart, Cavan

Dromcollogher Mart, Limerick

Drumshanbo Mart, Leitrim

Dungarvan Mart, Waterford

Edenderry Mart, Offaly

Elphin Mart, Roscommon

Ennis Mart, Clare

Enniscorthy Mart, Wexford

Ennistymon Mart, Clare

Fermoy Mart, Cork

Fethard Mart, Tipperary

Gort Mart, Galway

Gortatlea Mart, Kerry

Granard Mart, Longford

Headford Mart, Galway

Inishowen Mart, Donegal

Livestock Marts

Kanturk Mart, Cork

Kenmare Mart, Kerry

Kilcullen Mart, Kildare

Kilfenora Mart, Clare

Kilkenny Mart, Kilkenny

Kilmallock Mart, Limerick

Kilrush Mart, Clare

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Loughrea Mart, Galway

Maam Cross Mart, Galway

Macroom Mart, Cork

Mallow Mart, Cork

Manorhamilton Mart, Leitrim

Milford Mart, Donegal

Milltown Mart, Kerry

Moate Mart, Westmeath

Mohill Mart, Leitrim

Mountrath Mart, Laois

Naas Mart, Kildare

Nenagh Mart, Tipperary

New Ross Mart, Wexford

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Portlaoise Mart, Laois

Portumna Mart, Galway

Raphoe Mart, Donegal

Rathkeale Mart, Limerick

Roscommon Mart, Roscommon

Roscrea Mart, Tipperary

Scariff Mart, Clare

Sixmilebridge Mart, Clare

Skibbereen Mart, Cork

Swinford Mart, Mayo

Templemore Mart, Tipperary

Thurles Mart, Tipperary

Tipperary Mart, Tipperary

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Athenry Mart

Ballina Mart

Ballinasloe Mart

Ballinrobe Mart

Ballybay Mart

Ballyjamesduff Mart

Ballymahon Mart

Ballymote Mart

Ballyshannon Mart

Birr Mart

Carnaross Mart

Carrigallen Mart

Casey's, Limerick

Castlerea Mart

Cavan Mart

Corn Hill Fermoy

Dowra Mart

Drumshanbo Mart

Elphin Mart

Ennis Mart

Enniscorthy Mart

Gort Mart

Granard Mart

Kilkenny Mart

Laragh Livestock, Louth

Lenihans, Dublin

Manorhamilton Mart

Midleton

Mitchelstown Mart

Mohill Mart

O'Connell's Lairage, Trim

Pat Fox, Longford

Purcells, Waterford

PVO Tivoli

Raphoe Mart

Roscommon Mart

TLT, Mullingar

Tuam Mart

Tullamore Mart

Tullow Mart

LICENSED KNACKERIES 2003

Name	Address of Knackery
Bartlemy Road Disposal Service	Bartlemy Road, Watergrasshill, Co. Cork
Beechfield Products Ltd.	Beechwalk, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary
Carbery Hunt Kennels	Old Military Barracks, Bandon, Co. Cork
County Galway Hunt	The Kennels, Ballymore, Craughwell, Co Galway
Eugene McNamara	The Walk, Roscommon
Finbar Donohoe	The Kennels, Oldcastle, Co. Meath
Finbarr Murray	The Kennels, Knockgriffin, Midleton, Co. Cork
Frank Madden	Killaan, Woodlawn, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway
Golden Vale (Farmers) Hunt	Rossmult, Drombane, Thurles, Co. Tipperary
Golden Vale Hunt Kennels	Dovea Lower, Bouladuff, Thurles, Co. Tipperary
James Barrett Jnr	Ballydoyle, Castletownroche, Co Cork
Jim Murray	c/o The Kennels, Knockgriffin, Midleton, Co. Cork
John Green	Lowville, Ahascragh, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway
John McGuinness	Ballinree, Edgeworthstown, Co. Longford
John O'Rourke	Rathgillan, Nobber, Co. Meath
Kildare Hunt Club	Punchestown Naas, Co. Kildare
LKS Disposals	Lissrenny, Tallanstown, Dundalk, Co. Louth
Meath Hunt Club	Nugentstown, Kells, Co. Meath
Michael Duggan	Lisavan, Cahir, Co. Tipperary
Michael Flanagan	Tullamaine, Fethard, Co Tipperary
Mr. Colm Mulvaney	Kilduff, Redhills, Belturbet, Co. Cavan
Mr. Jimmy Lambe	C/O Kilduff, Redhills, Belturbet, Co. Cavan
Mr. John Costelloe	Ballymorane, Edenderry, Co. Offaly
Mr. K. Guinness	The Kennels,Knockdrin,Mullingar, Co.Westmeath

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Mr. Kevin Mulvaney	C/O Kilduff, Redhills, Belturbet, Co. Cavan
Mr. Larry Earle	Clonee Lower, Camolin, Co. Wexford
Mr. Laurence Buggy	Kilgreaney, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow
Mr. Liam Duggan	Goggins Hill, Ballinhassig, Co. Cork
Mr. Ned Deane	128 TKL Avenue, Carlow
Mr. Nicholas Hannigan	Robertstown, Newtown, Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford
Mr. Noel Mullins	Fingal Harriers Hunt, Coolquay, The Ward, Co. Dublin
Mr. Patrick Gahan	Finnane, Mullinahone, Thurles, Co. Tipperary
Mr. Richard Keane	Ballymore Cashel, Co. Tipperary
Mr. Thomas Lawless	4 Mountrath Road, Portlaoise, Co. Laoise
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Noel Downey	Church St., Abbeyfeale, Co Limerick
Patrick Morrissey	Athassel Abbey, Golden, Cashel, Co. Tipperary
Perry Aylward	Ballinlough, Carrigeen, via Waterford, Co Kilkenny
South Kilkenny Foxhounds	Gaulsmills House, Kilmacow, Co. Kilkenny
Thomas Rogers	Scramogue, Roscommon
Tim O'Brien	Upper Fr Russell Road, Limerick
Tipperary Foxhounds	Tullamaine, Fethard, Co Tipperary
Ward Union Hunt	Greenpark, Dunshaughlin, Co. Meath
Ward Waste	Knocknadiha, Tournafulla, Co. Limerick
William Fitzgerald	Bride View Hunt, Kilmagner, Fermoy, Co. Cork

EXPORT APPROVED MEAT PLANTS

AIBP Bandon, Cork

AIBP Cahir,Tipperary

AIBP Clones, Monaghan

AIBP Nenagh,Tipperary

AIBP Rathkeale, Limerick

AIBP, Waterford

Ashbourne Meats, Tipperary

B & F Meats Kilkenny

Ballaghaderreen Bacon Factory

Ballon Meats, Carlow

Bergin Meats, Kilkenny

Bergins Broadford, Kildare

Booth & Sons Ltd., Meath

D.N.D. Meats, Cork

Dawn Ballaghaderreen, Roscommon

Dawn Ballyhaunis, Mayo

Dawn Meats, Cork

Dawn Meats, Waterford

Donegal Meats, Donegal

Doyles, Wicklow

Dunleavy Meats, Mayo

Exel Meats, Westmeath

Fair Oak Clonmel, Tipperary

Fair Oak Foods, Carlow

Galtee Meats, Cork

Glynns Patrickswell, Limerick

Honeyclover, Kilkenny

Kavannaghs, Wexford

Kepak Athleague, Roscommon

Kepak Clonee, Meath

Kepak, Cork

Kildare Chilling, Kildare

Liffey Meats, Cavan

MA Molloys, Waterford

Martin Jennings, Mayo

McCarthy Meats, Kildare

Meadow Meats, Laois

O'Connor Meats, Roscommon

Sean Duffy Ltd, Galway

Slaney Meats, Wexford

Tara Farm Foods, Cavan

Appendix

APPENDIX

OFFICIAL LIST OF BREED CODES	
ANGLER	AN
ANGUS	AA
AUBRAC	AU
AYRSHIRE	AY
BELGIAN BLUE	BB
BISON	BI
BLONE D'AQUITANE	BA
BROWN SWISS	BS
CHAROLAIS	CH
CHIANINA	CI
DANISH RED	RD
DEXTER	DX
DROIMEANN	IM
GALLOWAY	GA
GUERNSEY	GU
HEREFORD	HE
HIGHLAND	HI
HOLSTEIN/FRIESIAN	FR
IRISH MAOL	IM

OFFICIAL LIST OF BREED CODES	
JERSEY	JE
KERRY	KE
LIMOUSIN	LM
MAINE ANJOU	MA
MONTBELLIARDE	MO
MRI/MRY	MY
MURRAY GREY	GS
NORMANDE	NO
NORWEGIAN RED	NR
PARTHENAISE	PT
PIEMONTESE	PI
ROMAGNOLA	RM
ROTBUNTE	RB
SALERS	SA
SHORTHORN	SH
SIMMENTAL	SI
SOUTH DEVON	SD
SWEDISH RED	SR