	Table 4.	Catt	le and	Calves	on I	Feed in	
Nine	Southern	U.S.	States.	1977-1	1981	(1,000	head)

	<u>1977</u>		1978		1979		1980		1981	
	No.	<u>%</u>	No.	<u>%</u>	No.	<u>%</u>	No.	<u>%</u>	No.	<u>%</u>
Alabama	44	0.4	40	0.3	33	0.2	27	0.2	33	0.3
Florida	73	0.6	72	0.5	65	0.5	60	0.5	55	0.5
Georgia	84	0.7	101	0.8	80	0.6	50	0.4	48	0.4
Louisiana	15	0.1	14	0.1	13	0.1	11	0.1	11	0.1
Mississippi	14	0.1	12	0.1	13	0.1	15	0.1	10	0.1
North Carolina	50	0.4	40	0.3	30	0.2	30	0.2	30	0.3
South Carolina	30	0.2	31	0.2	25	0.2	23	0.2	23	0.2
Tennessee	18	0.1	20	0.2	27	0.2	15	0.1	20	0.2
Texas	1,710	13.6	1,850	13.7	2,000	15.1	1,970	16.1	1,830	15.8
Nine-State										
Total	2,038	16.2	2,180	16.2	2,286	17.2	2,201	18.0	2,060	17.8
U.S. Total	12,580	100.0	13,472	100.0	13,265	100.0	12,249	100.0	11,598	100.0

Source: Cattle, Crop Reporting Board, United States Department of Agriculture

Table 5. Number of Operations with Cattle in 1979, Per Cent of Operations With 100 Cattle or More and Per Cent of State Inventory Held in Operations With 100 or More Cattle and Calves 1978-1980. Nine Southern U.S. States

	Operations With Cattle 1979 Number	<u>1978</u>		19	<u>79</u>	1980	
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Alabama	43,000	8.5	53.6	9.8	53.6	10.0	52.1
Florida	20,500	14.0	83.0	14.3	83.4	13.3	83.3
Georgia	39,000	10.0	51.4	10.5	51.5	11.8	54.8
Louisiana	31,000						
Mississippi	46,000	9.6	47.3	9.8	49.0	10.1	53.3
North Carolina	50,000			. (
South Carolina	21,000			1			
Tennessee	76,000	6.0	35.2	5.0	31.4	4.5	33.8
Texas	157,000	14.3	71.5	15.0	73.9	15.3	75.0
Nine-State Total	444,800						
U.S. Total	1,650,660	15.7	66.3	15.8	67.6	16.5	68.8

Per cent of operations with inventory of 100 cattle and calves or more.

Per cent of state inventory held by operations with 100 cattle and calves or more.

Source: Cattle, Crop Reporting Board, United States Department of Agriculture, various issues.