

Table 1: Effect of cow cull rate on number of heifers needed to maintain herd size

Herd size	Cow cull rate	Calf / heifer cull rate	Age at first calving	# heifers needed to maintain herd size
500	30%	5%	24 months	333
500	35%	5%	24 months	389
500	40%	5%	24 months	444