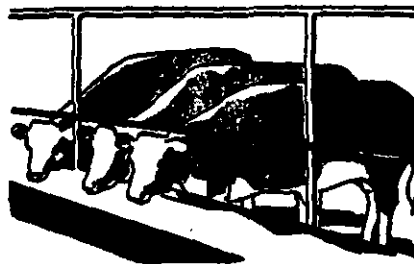


CATTLE ON FEED



CATTLE SOLD FOR SLAUGHTER--Selected Markets

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CATTLE ON FEED UP 15 PERCENT

Cattle and calves on feed July 1 for slaughter market totaled 10,397,000 head in the 22 major feeding States, up 15 percent from a year earlier according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Placements of cattle and calves on feed during April-June 1969 were up 17 percent from the same quarter last year. Fed cattle marketings during April-June were 3 percent above a year earlier in the 22 States.

Marketings during July-September 1969 are expected to be 11 percent greater than during the same period last year.

NORTH CENTRAL UP 7 PERCENT

The number on feed July 1, 1969 totaled 6,143,000 head, 7 percent more than a year earlier in the North Central -- Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas. The two leading States in the region, Iowa and Nebraska, were up 1 percent and 12 percent, respectively. Kansas showed the largest increase, up 47 percent from a year earlier.

NOTICE

Program analysis by the Statistical Reporting Service has resulted in some changes in publication of reports and data series. Quarterly data of cattle on feed have been discontinued for North Dakota, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Wyoming, Utah, and Nevada. Estimates of cattle on feed in these States will be published for January 1. A table on page 3 provides historic data for the 22 States continuing in the quarterly Cattle on Feed report.

10 WESTERN STATES UP 30 PERCENT

There were 4,254,000 cattle and calves on feed July 1 in the 10 Western States -- Oklahoma, Texas, Montana, Idaho, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Washington, Oregon and California. This was 30 percent above a year earlier. All States in this region showed increases. Texas, the largest feeding State in this region, increased 60 percent from a year ago. California was up 5 percent.

PLACEMENTS UP 17 PERCENT - MARKETINGS UP 3 PERCENT

The number of cattle and calves placed on feed in the 22 States during the April-June quarter totaled 5,171,000 head, up 17 percent from the same quarter a year earlier. The North Central States placed 4 percent more on feed, while Western States were up 32 percent from April-June placements a year ago. Texas showed the largest increase, up 68 percent. Placements in Kansas, Oklahoma, Montana, Colorado, and New Mexico were all up 50 percent or more from a year earlier.

Marketings of fed cattle for slaughter during April-June in the 22 States totaled 5,820,000 head, up 3 percent from the same quarter a year earlier. Fed cattle marketings in the North Central Region were down 3 percent from a year earlier, but Western States marketings were up 14 percent.

TIME ON FEED

Cattle and calves on feed less than 3 months in the 22 States are estimated at 4,951,000, up 18 percent from July 1, 1968. There were 3,411,000 cattle on feed 3-6 months, up 11 percent. Cattle on feed 6 months and over totaled 2,035,000, up 17 percent. The increase in cattle on feed 6 months and over was mostly in the North Central States where severe cold, snow and mud slowed winter gains.

KINDS ON FEED

There were 7,156,000 steers and steer calves on feed in the 22 major feeding States on July 1, up 15 percent from a year earlier. Heifers and heifer calves on feed numbered 3,215,000, up 17 percent from a year ago. Cows and other cattle on feed totaled 26,000, unchanged from a year ago.

WEIGHT OF STEERS AND HEIFERS ON FEED

The number of steers and steer calves in each weight group and change from July 1, 1968 are as follows: Under 500 pounds -- 238,000 head, up 1,000 head; 500-699 pounds -- 1,303,000 head, up 252,000 head; 700-899 pounds -- 3,102,000 head, up 542,000 head; 900-1,099 pounds -- 2,183,000 head, up 184,000 head; 1,100 pounds and over -- 330,000 head, down 68,000.

Heifers and heifer calves by weight groups and change from a year earlier are as follows: Under 500 pounds -- 238,000 head, up 30,000 head; 500-699 pounds -- 1,148,000 head, up 252,000 head; 700-899 pounds -- 1,485,000 head, up 98,000 head; 900-1,099 pounds -- 344,000 head, up 88,000.

MARKETING INTENTIONS

Cattle feeders in the 22 States intend to market 5,942,000 head in the July-September period from the number on feed on July 1. If these intentions are carried out, marketings from cattle on feed July 1, 1969 would be 11 percent above marketings during July-September a year earlier. Of the July 1 number on feed, 31 percent are expected to be marketed in July, 34 percent in August, and 35 percent in September. Expected marketings are based on the usual relationship of survey data and actual marketings.

JUNE MARKETINGS FOR 8 LIVESTOCK MARKETS

A total of 312,418 steers and heifers was marketed out of first hands for slaughter at 8 livestock markets during June 1969. This consisted of 205,472 steers and 106,946 heifers. The average live weight of steers marketed in June was 1,134 pounds, compared with 1,140 pounds a year earlier. Heifers averaged 922 pounds live weight, compared with 929 pounds a year ago.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed April 1 and July 1, April-June placements and marketings, 1960-1969, 22 States

	Number on feed April 1	Number placed on feed April 1-June 30	Number of fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30	Number on feed July 1
	----- 1,000 head -----			
1960	6,516	2,164	3,123	5,557
1961	6,934	2,279	3,474	5,739
1962	7,239	2,515	3,656	6,098
1963	8,176	2,868	4,048	6,996
1964	8,555	2,878	4,494	6,939
1965	8,540	3,429	4,364	7,605
1966	9,756	3,660	4,901	8,515
1967	10,073	3,818	5,437	8,454
1968	10,268	4,407	5,657	9,018
1969	11,046	5,171	5,820	10,397

Cattle and calves: Number on feed, placements and marketings, April 1-July 1, 1968 and 1969; number on feed by kinds, time on feed and weight groups July 1, 1968 and 1969; actual and expected marketings July-September 1968 and 1969, 22 States

Item	22 States		
	Number		1969 as % of 1968
	1968	1969	
	1,000 head		Percent
Cattle and calves on feed April 1	10,268	11,046	108
Cattle and calves placed on feed			
April 1-June 30 <u>1/</u>	4,407	5,171	117
Fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30 <u>1/</u>	5,657	5,820	103
Cattle and calves on feed July 1	9,018	10,397	115
<u>Kinds on feed July 1</u>			
Steers and steer calves	6,245	7,156	115
Heifers and heifer calves	2,747	3,215	117
Cows and other	26	26	100
<u>Time on feed July 1</u>			
Under 3 months	4,211	4,951	118
3 to 6 months	3,075	3,411	111
6 months and over	1,732	2,035	117
<u>Cattle and calves on feed by weight groups, July 1</u>			
<u>Steers and steer calves</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	237	238	100
500-699 pounds	1,051	1,303	124
700-899 pounds	2,560	3,102	121
900-1,099 pounds	1,999	2,183	109
1,100 pounds and over	398	330	83
<u>Heifers and heifer calves</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	208	238	114
500-699 pounds	896	1,148	128
700-899 pounds	1,387	1,485	107
900-1,099 pounds	256	344	134
1,100 pounds and over	---	---	---
<u>Total</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	445	476	107
500-699 pounds	1,947	2,452	126
700-899 pounds	3,953	4,592	116
900-1,099 pounds	2,272	2,541	112
1,100 pounds and over	401	336	84
Marketings July-September	<u>2/</u> 5,374	<u>3/</u> 5,942	111

1/ Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed before end of quarter. 2/ Actual marketings from July 1 number on feed, excluding those placed on feed after July 1, and marketed before September 30. 3/ Expected marketings from July 1, 1969 number on feed.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed, placements and marketings April 1-July 1, 1968 and 1969; number on feed by kinds, time on feed and weight groups, July 1, 1968 and 1969; actual and expected marketings July-September 1968 and 1969, North Central States

Item	North Central States 1/		
	1,000 head	1969	as % of 1968
	1968	1969	% of 1968
	<u>1,000 head</u>		<u>Percent</u>
Cattle and calves on feed April 1	7,109	7,292	103
Cattle and calves placed on feed			
April 1-June 30 2/.....	2,339	2,431	104
Fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30 2/.....	3,696	3,580	97
Cattle and calves on feed July 1	5,752	6,143	107
<u>Kinds on feed July 1</u>			
Steers and steer calves	3,890	4,115	106
Heifers and heifer calves	1,846	2,010	109
Cows and other	16	18	112
<u>Time on feed July 1</u>			
Under 3 months	2,214	2,311	104
3 to 6 months	2,068	2,130	103
6 months and over	1,470	1,702	116
<u>Cattle and calves on feed by weight groups, July 1:</u>			
<u>Steers and steer calves</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	80	70	88
500-699 pounds	488	552	113
700-899 pounds	1,657	1,874	113
900-1,099 pounds	1,369	1,388	101
1,100 pounds and over	296	231	78
<u>Heifers and heifer calves</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	60	59	98
500-699 pounds	575	682	119
700-899 pounds	1,016	1,054	104
900-1,099 pounds	195	215	110
1,100 pounds and over	---	---	---
<u>Total</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	140	129	92
500-699 pounds	1,063	1,235	116
700-899 pounds	2,675	2,931	110
900-1,099 pounds	1,576	1,614	102
1,100 pounds and over	298	234	79
Marketings July-September	3/3,464	4/ 3,523	102

1/ Includes Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, S. Dak., Nebraska and Kansas. 2/ Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed before end of quarter. 3/ Actual marketings from July 1 number on feed, excluding those placed on feed after July 1 and marketed before September 30. 4/ Expected marketings from July 1, 1969 number on feed.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed, placements and marketings, April 1-July 1, 1968 and 1969; number on feed by kinds, time on feed and weight groups July 1, 1968 and 1969; actual and expected marketings July-September, 1968 and 1969, Western States

Item	Western States 1/		
	1,000 head		1969 as % of 1968
	1968	1969	
	- 1,000 head -		Percent
Cattle and calves on feed April 1	3,159	3,754	119
Cattle and calves placed on feed April 1-June 30 2/ ..	2,068	2,740	132
Fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30 2/	1,961	2,240	114
Cattle and calves on feed July 1	3,266	4,254	130
<u>Kinds on feed July 1</u>			
Steers and steer calves	2,355	3,041	129
Heifers and heifer calves	901	1,205	134
Cows and other	10	8	80
<u>Time on feed July 1</u>			
Under 3 months	1,997	2,640	132
3 to 6 months	1,007	1,281	127
6 months and over	262	333	127
<u>Cattle and calves on feed by weight groups, July 1</u>			
<u>Steers and steer calves</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	157	168	107
500-699 pounds	563	751	133
700-899 pounds	903	1,228	136
900-1,099 pounds	630	795	126
1,100 pounds and over	102	99	97
<u>Heifers and heifer calves</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	148	179	121
500-699 pounds	321	466	145
700-899 pounds	371	431	116
900-1,099 pounds	61	129	211
1,100 pounds and over	---	---	---
<u>Total</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	305	347	114
500-699 pounds	884	1,217	138
700-899 pounds	1,278	1,661	130
900-1,099 pounds	696	927	133
1,100 pounds and over	103	102	99
<u>Marketings July-September</u>	3/1,910	4/2,419	127

1/ Includes Oklahoma, Texas, Montana, Idaho, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Washington, Oregon, and California.

2/ Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed before end of quarter.

3/ Actual marketings from July 1 number on feed, excluding those placed on feed after July 1 and marketed before September 30.

4/ Expected marketings from July 1, 1969 number on feed.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed by quarters,
July 1, 1968, April 1 and July 1, 1969 1/

State	July 1, 1968	April 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	
			Number	as % of 1968
		1,000 head	Percent	
Pa.	60	78	57	95
Ohio	212	306	206	97
Ind.	255	335	275	108
Ill.	575	740	569	99
Mich.	126	182	132	105
Wis.	112	146	113	101
Minn.	443	523	487	110
Iowa	1,916	2,291	1,935	101
Mo.	286	365	286	100
S. Dak.	276	332	270	98
Nebr.	1,070	1,344	1,195	112
Kans.	421	650	618	147
Okla.	123	171	196	159
Texas	748	1,019	1,198	160
Mont.	53	81	74	140
Idaho	159	225	187	118
Colo.	479	680	653	136
N. Mex.	147	192	195	133
Ariz.	335	422	452	135
Wash.	124	156	150	121
Oreg.	66	75	69	105
Calif.	1,032	733	1,080	105
22 State total	9,018	11,046	10,397	115

1/ Cattle and calves on feed are animals fattened for slaughter market on grain or other concentrates which are expected to produce a carcass that will grade good or better.

Cattle and calves: Number placed on feed by quarters, 1968-69 1/

State	Apr.-June 1968	Jan.-March 1969	Apr.-June 1969	
			Number	As % of 1968
		1,000 head	Percent	
Pa.	19	21	21	111
Ohio	41	75	50	122
Ind.	74	82	84	114
Ill.	171	236	137	80
Mich.	34	34	21	62
Wis.	28	44	29	104
Minn.	99	175	124	125
Iowa	795	1,059	730	92
Mo.	103	121	82	80
S. Dak.	86	78	61	71
Nebr.	629	850	697	111
Kans.	260	313	395	152
Okla.	89	103	135	152
Texas	494	604	830	168
Mont.	20	26	30	150
Idaho	70	89	78	111
Colo.	282	418	436	155
N. Mex.	63	76	100	159
Ariz.	197	178	252	128
Wash.	74	82	79	107
Oreg.	34	29	36	106
Calif.	745	295	764	103
22 State total	4,407	4,988	5,171	117

1/ Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed before end of quarter.

Cattle and calves: Number of fed cattle marketed, by quarters, 1968-69 1/

State	Apr.-June 1968	Jan.-Mar. 1969	Apr.-June 1969	
			Number	As % of 1968
1,000 head				
Pa.	39	27	42	108
Ohio	138	93	150	109
Ind.	132	96	144	109
Ill.	307	282	308	100
Mich.	80	52	71	89
Wis.	54	52	62	115
Minn.	218	208	160	73
Iowa	1,147	981	1,086	95
Mo.	176	198	161	91
S. Dak.	156	152	123	79
Nebr.	903	936	846	94
Kans.	346	429	427	123
Okla.	107	137	110	103
Texas	507	660	651	128
Mont.	37	65	37	100
Idaho	104	112	116	112
Colo.	391	449	463	118
N. Mex.	86	93	97	113
Ariz.	202	198	222	110
Wash.	85	85	85	100
Oreg.	41	45	42	102
Calif.	401	530	417	104
22 State total	5,657	5,880	5,820	103

1/ Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed before end of quarter.

Cattle and calves: Expected marketings from number on feed July 1, 1969, with comparisons 1/

State	Marketings from number on feed:		Expected marketings from number		
	July 1, 1968		on feed July 1, 1969		
	July-Sept. 1968	After Sept. 30, 1968:	July-Sept. 1969 Number	% of 1968 Percent	After Sept. 30, 1969 1,000 head
1,000 head					
Pa.	37	23	36	97	21
Ohio	131	81	122	93	84
Ind.	139	116	146	105	129
Ill.	364	211	358	98	211
Mich.	72	54	71	99	61
Wis.	41	71	43	105	70
Minn.	215	228	225	105	262
Iowa	1,083	833	1,050	97	885
Mo.	174	112	185	106	101
S. Dak.	145	131	132	91	138
Nebr.	758	312	745	98	450
Kans.	305	116	410	134	208
Okla.	84	39	116	138	80
Texas	462	286	715	155	483
Mont.	34	19	39	115	35
Idaho	99	60	120	121	67
Colo.	317	162	400	126	253
N. Mex.	81	66	104	128	91
Ariz.	171	164	235	137	217
Wash.	80	44	95	119	55
Oreg.	43	23	40	93	29
Calif.	539	493	555	103	525
22 State total	5,374	3,644	5,942	111	4,455

1/ Excludes marketings of cattle placed on feed after July 1.

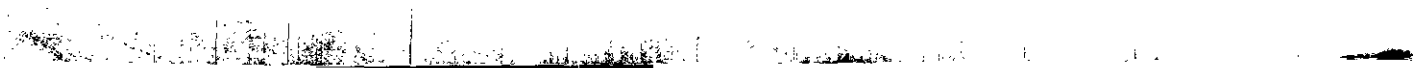
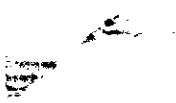
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"Cattle on Feed July 1, 1969 MtAn 2-1 (7-69)" page 13 should be changed as follows:

	Placed on Feed 1969 1,000 head		Marketed 1969 1,000 head	
	From	To	From	To
During January-Colorado	111	117	132	138
Total 6 States	1,273	1,279	1,292	1,298
During February-Colorado	133	136	152	155
Total 6 States	789	792	1,228	1,231
During March-Colorado	174	180	165	171
Total 6 States			1,2--	1,240
During April-Total 6 States			1,155	1,259
During June-Colorado	175	157		



**Cattle and calves: Number on feed by classes, by quarters,
July 1, 1968 and April 1 and July 1, 1969**

State	Steers and steer calves			Heifers and heifer calves			Cows and others		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	----- 1,000 head -----								
Pa.	49	69	50	9	4	4	2	5	3
Ohio	176	245	165	36	61	41	-	-	-
Ind.	176	217	166	76	116	108	3	2	1
Ill.	368	503	353	207	237	216	-	-	-
Mich.	109	156	112	16	24	19	1	2	1
Wis.	87	113	86	24	32	26	1	1	1
Minn.	279	324	273	163	198	213	1	1	1
Iowa	1,339	1,672	1,393	575	618	540	2	1	2
Mo.	213	274	209	73	91	77	-	-	-
S. Dak.	154	213	170	119	116	97	3	3	3
Nebr.	669	887	737	399	451	452	2	6	6
Kans.	271	438	401	149	212	217	1	-	-
Okla.	76	121	138	47	50	58	-	-	-
Texas	397	593	698	350	426	500	1	-	-
Mont.	23	43	39	29	37	34	1	1	1
Idaho	107	165	135	52	57	51	-	3	1
Colo.	275	401	349	204	279	302	4	-	2
N. Mex.	81	119	109	64	71	85	2	2	1
Ariz.	305	359	411	27	61	40	3	2	1
Wash.	95	114	112	29	41	38	-	1	-
Oreg.	39	48	46	26	26	23	1	1	-
Calif.	957	696	1,004	73	36	74	2	1	2
22 State total ...	6,245	7,770	7,156	2,747	3,244	3,215	26	32	26

**Cattle and calves: Length of time on feed beginning
of each quarter, July 1, 1968, April 1 and July 1, 1969**

State	Less than 3 months			3-6 months			More than 6 months		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	----- 1,000 head -----								
Pa.	17	20	19	16	44	13	27	14	25
Ohio	36	70	44	49	205	58	127	31	104
Ind.	70	80	80	68	211	77	117	44	118
Ill.	165	230	131	218	466	210	192	44	228
Mich.	32	33	20	20	109	28	74	40	84
Wis.	27	39	27	40	88	35	45	19	51
Minn.	97	173	122	155	298	156	191	52	209
Iowa	766	1,031	716	728	1,146	716	422	114	503
Mo.	99	114	77	106	233	109	81	18	100
S. Dak.	83	76	59	96	236	73	97	20	138
Nebr.	565	788	626	414	525	440	91	31	129
Kans.	257	309	390	158	334	215	6	7	13
Okla.	82	97	130	40	73	56	1	1	10
Texas	473	589	792	267	400	382	8	30	24
Mont.	19	24	30	23	55	23	11	2	21
Idaho	64	87	75	57	102	80	38	36	32
Colo.	263	390	400	180	274	210	36	16	43
N. Mex.	62	75	100	59	86	70	26	31	25
Ariz.	194	173	248	97	211	158	44	38	46
Wash.	69	80	75	44	70	57	11	6	18
Oreg.	33	29	34	29	38	29	4	8	6
Calif.	738	292	756	211	340	216	83	101	108
22 State total ...	4,211	4,799	4,951	3,075	5,544	3,411	1,732	703	2,035

Cattle and calves: Number on feed by weight groups, by quarters,
July 1, 1968, April 1 and July 1, 1969

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	1,000 head								
Pa.	3	4	3	10	15	6	19	26	16
Ohio	5	21	7	28	116	39	101	113	96
Ind.	6	21	6	44	111	56	123	122	141
Ill.	17	36	21	128	316	111	265	242	270
Mich.	2	11	2	22	61	24	50	67	55
Wis.	12	18	9	25	48	27	40	39	46
Minn.	30	52	25	102	272	149	197	116	222
Iowa	25	70	25	291	957	331	929	695	937
Mo.	4	24	7	61	159	58	149	121	140
S. Dak.	5	32	7	74	160	71	131	53	136
Nebr.	18	52	13	174	397	218	488	420	563
Kans.	13	18	4	104	179	145	183	270	309
Okla.	10	11	8	27	56	80	53	59	59
Texas	136	164	151	288	393	454	218	280	380
Mont.	---	4	---	11	29	15	32	22	32
Idaho	2	11	1	23	87	19	74	66	97
Colo.	9	26	9	65	149	103	206	180	323
N. Mex.	12	14	19	45	60	68	61	74	62
Ariz.	34	71	50	111	143	141	139	120	173
Wash.	---	5	1	17	49	16	55	49	71
Oreg.	3	4	5	13	25	18	35	30	31
Calif.	99	122	103	284	194	303	405	223	433
22 State total	445	791	476	1,947	3,976	2,452	3,953	3,387	4,592

State	900-1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	1,000 head					
Pa.	21	25	25	7	8	7
Ohio	74	54	61	4	2	3
Ind.	72	68	65	10	13	7
Ill.	140	121	139	25	25	28
Mich.	51	41	49	1	2	2
Wis.	27	33	26	8	8	5
Minn.	108	73	77	6	10	14
Iowa	550	469	572	121	100	70
Mo.	63	55	72	4	6	9
S. Dak.	50	67	46	16	20	10
Nebr.	315	395	336	75	80	65
Kans.	100	167	146	21	16	14
Okla.	28	41	45	5	4	4
Texas	101	175	206	5	7	7
Mont.	10	24	23	---	2	4
Idaho	46	57	53	14	4	17
Colo.	142	234	187	57	91	31
N. Mex.	28	43	43	1	1	3
Ariz.	48	84	80	3	4	8
Wash.	44	47	55	8	6	7
Oreg.	15	14	14	---	2	1
Calif.	234	187	221	10	7	20
22 State total	2,272	2,474	2,541	401	418	336

Steers and steer calves: Number on feed by weight groups, by quarters,
July 1, 1968, April 1 and July 1, 1969

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	- - - - - 1,000 head - - - - -								
Pa.	2	2	2	7	11	4	14	24	13
Ohio	4	12	5	18	83	26	77	96	71
Ind.	4	8	3	23	49	23	74	86	78
Ill.	11	15	10	51	186	46	155	166	145
Mich.	1	8	1	15	48	17	42	59	45
Wis.	9	14	7	16	35	17	30	28	35
Minn.	22	26	14	47	149	60	109	81	120
Iowa	13	33	14	147	636	153	589	485	655
Mo.	3	15	6	29	103	31	113	98	96
S. Dak.	3	13	3	28	90	36	65	36	85
Nebr.	5	16	4	64	179	89	266	282	327
Kans.	3	8	1	43	88	50	123	174	204
Okla.	---	4	2	7	29	42	38	46	46
Texas	23	13	15	138	185	208	135	217	272
Mont.	---	1	---	4	9	5	10	12	14
Idaho	2	6	1	9	61	8	42	44	61
Colo.	3	5	---	14	44	26	96	90	187
N. Mex.	4	5	6	18	27	36	32	46	32
Ariz.	27	46	41	101	122	128	128	108	156
Wash.	---	3	---	9	32	6	38	33	49
Oreg.	2	3	3	5	14	11	20	17	19
Calif.	96	118	100	258	181	281	364	209	392
22 State Total	237	374	238	1,051	2,361	1,303	2,560	2,437	3,102

State	900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	- - - - - 1,000 head - - - - -					
Pa.	20	24	24	6	8	7
Ohio	73	52	60	4	2	3
Ind.	65	61	55	10	13	7
Ill.	126	111	124	25	25	28
Mich.	50	39	47	1	2	2
Wis.	24	28	22	8	8	5
Minn.	95	58	65	6	10	14
Iowa	469	418	501	121	100	70
Mo.	64	52	67	4	6	9
S. Dak.	43	55	37	15	19	9
Nebr.	259	330	254	75	80	63
Kans.	81	152	132	21	16	14
Okla.	26	38	44	5	4	4
Texas	97	171	196	4	7	7
Mont.	9	19	16	---	2	4
Idaho	40	50	49	14	4	16
Colo.	105	171	106	57	91	30
N. Mex.	26	40	33	1	1	2
Ariz.	46	79	78	3	4	8
Wash.	40	40	50	8	6	7
Oreg.	12	12	12	---	2	1
Calif.	229	181	211	10	7	20
22 State Total	1,999	2,181	2,183	398	417	330

Heifers and heifer calves: Number on feed by weight groups, by quarters, July 1, 1968, April 1 and July 1, 1969

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	1,000 head								
Pa.	1	1	1	3	2	1	5	1	2
Ohio	1	9	2	10	33	13	24	17	25
Ind.	2	13	3	21	62	33	49	36	63
Ill.	6	21	11	77	130	65	110	76	125
Mich.	1	3	1	7	13	7	7	7	9
Wis.	3	4	2	9	13	10	10	11	11
Minn.	8	26	11	55	123	89	88	35	102
Iowa	12	37	11	144	321	178	339	210	281
Mo.	1	9	1	32	56	27	36	23	44
S. Dak.	2	19	4	46	70	35	66	17	51
Nebr.	13	36	9	110	218	129	222	138	236
Kans.	10	10	3	61	91	95	60	96	105
Okla.	10	7	6	20	27	38	15	13	13
Texas	113	151	136	150	208	246	83	63	108
Mont.	---	3	---	7	20	10	22	10	18
Idaho	---	5	---	14	26	11	32	22	36
Colo.	6	21	9	51	105	77	110	90	136
N. Mex.	8	9	13	27	33	32	28	27	30
Ariz.	7	25	9	10	21	13	9	11	16
Wash.	---	2	1	8	17	10	17	16	22
Oreg.	1	1	2	8	11	7	15	13	12
Calif.	3	4	3	26	13	22	40	14	40
22 State total	208	416	238	896	1,613	1,148	1,387	946	1,485

State	900-1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969	July 1, 1968	Apr. 1, 1969	July 1, 1969
	1,000 head					
Pa.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ohio	1	2	1	---	---	---
Ind.	4	5	9	---	---	---
Ill.	14	10	15	---	---	---
Mich.	1	1	2	---	---	---
Wis.	2	4	3	---	---	---
Minn.	12	14	11	---	---	---
Iowa	80	50	70	---	---	---
Mo.	4	3	5	---	---	---
S. Dak.	5	10	7	---	---	---
Nebr.	54	59	78	---	---	---
Kans.	18	15	14	---	---	---
Okla.	2	3	1	---	---	---
Texas	4	4	10	---	---	---
Mont.	---	4	6	---	---	---
Idaho	6	4	4	---	---	---
Colo.	37	63	80	---	---	---
N. Mex.	1	2	10	---	---	---
Ariz.	1	4	2	---	---	---
Wash.	4	6	5	---	---	---
Oreg.	2	1	2	---	---	---
Calif.	4	5	9	---	---	---
22 State total	256	269	344	---	---	---

**Cattle and calves on feed: Inventories, placements and marketings, by months,
Arizona, California, Colorado, Iowa, Nebraska, and Texas,
January 1, 1968 - July 1, 1968 and January 1, 1969 - July 1, 1969**

State	Cattle on Feed			Placed on Feed			Marketed		
	1968	1969	1969/1968	1968	1969	1969/1968	1968	1969	1969/1968
	1,000 head		Percent	1,000 head		Percent	1,000 head		Percent
	January 1			During January			During January		
Arizona	385	442	115	51	68	133	53	62	117
California	902	968	107	99	104	105	202	218	108
Colorado	628	711	113	102	111	115	114	132	121
Iowa	1,924	2,213	115	660	453	69	352	345	98
Nebraska	1,354	1,430	106	342	316	92	325	322	99
Texas	810	1,075	133	147	221	150	150	213	142
Total 6 States	6,003	6,839	114	1,401	1,273	91	1,196	1,292	109
	February 1			During February			During February		
Arizona	383	448	117	23	43	187	45	61	136
California	799	854	107	69	50	72	181	178	98
Colorado	616	690	112	91	133	149	107	152	145
Iowa	2,232	2,321	104	294	211	72	322	328	102
Nebraska	1,371	1,424	104	320	197	62	325	310	95
Texas	807	1,083	134	104	155	149	160	199	124
Total 6 States	6,208	6,820	110	901	789	88	1,140	1,228	108
	March 1			During March			During March		
Arizona	361	430	119	40	67	168	61	75	123
California	687	726	106	134	141	105	133	134	101
Colorado	600	671	112	115	174	157	127	165	135
Iowa	2,204	2,204	100	385	395	103	321	308	96
Nebraska	1,366	1,311	96	268	337	126	290	304	105
Texas	751	1,039	138	170	228	134	160	248	155
Total 6 States	5,969	6,381	107	1,112	1,348	121	1,092	1,2	114
	April 1			During April			During April		
Arizona	340	422	124	37	79	214	71	76	107
California	688	733	107	213	168	79	136	155	114
Colorado	588	680	116	95	129	136	133	158	119
Iowa	2,268	2,291	101	244	243	100	331	331	100
Nebraska	1,344	1,344	100	251	330	131	300	293	98
Texas	761	1,019	134	149	228	153	184	246	134
Total 6 States	5,989	6,489	108	989	1,177	119	1,155	1,155	109
	May 1			During May			During May		
Arizona	306	425	139	90	91	101	67	72	107
California	765	746	98	330	320	97	137	122	89
Colorado	550	651	118	106	150	142	134	149	111
Iowa	2,181	2,203	101	265	230	87	418	385	92
Nebraska	1,295	1,381	107	182	205	113	315	284	90
Texas	726	1,001	138	161	336	209	166	205	123
Total 6 States	5,823	6,407	110	1,134	1,332	117	1,237	1,217	98
	June 1			During June			During June		
Arizona	329	444	135	70	82	117	64	74	116
California	958	944	99	202	276	137	128	140	109
Colorado	522	652	125	81	175	194	124	156	126
Iowa	2,028	2,048	101	286	257	90	398	370	93
Nebraska	1,162	1,302	112	196	162	83	288	269	93
Texas	721	1,132	157	184	266	145	157	200	127
Total 6 States	5,720	6,522	114	1,019	1,200	118	1,159	1,209	104
	July 1								
Arizona	335	452	135						
California	1,032	1,080	105						
Colorado	479	653	136						
Iowa	1,916	1,935	101						
Nebraska	1,070	1,195	112						
Texas	748	1,198	160						
Total 6 States	5,580	6,513	117						

STEERS SOLD OUT OF FIRST HANDS AT SELECTED MARKETS FOR SLAUGHTER,
JUNE 1968 AND 1969 1/

Market and grade	Number		Average weight		Average price per 100 pounds liveweight	
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969
CHICAGO	<u>Head</u>		<u>Pounds</u>		<u>Dollars</u>	
Prime	6,983	14,042	1,292	1,268	28.04	35.46
Choice	48,186	45,627	1,181	1,163	26.89	34.22
Good	5,434	6,667	1,072	1,081	25.55	31.80
Other 2/	1,860	1,277	1,111	1,116	23.49	29.39
Total	62,463	67,613	1,182	1,176	26.83	34.20
KANSAS CITY						
Prime	226	138	1,106	1,136	27.28	34.82
Choice	6,841	4,513	1,073	1,086	26.69	34.04
Good	2,529	1,897	1,041	1,088	25.31	31.83
Other 2/	210	138	1,139	1,066	22.96	28.01
Total	9,806	6,686	1,067	1,087	26.27	33.31
OMAHA						
Prime	2,133	2,102	1,190	1,209	26.98	35.01
Choice	36,593	27,751	1,147	1,115	26.39	33.99
Good	13,246	9,034	1,110	1,081	25.32	31.95
Other 2/	777	738	1,094	1,070	23.21	28.75
Total	52,749	39,625	1,139	1,111	26.11	33.50
ST. LOUIS MSY						
Prime	149	351	1,017	1,207	26.90	34.84
Choice	10,306	7,890	1,052	1,071	26.17	33.52
Good	6,129	3,162	1,030	1,040	25.16	31.38
Other 2/	638	599	1,069	1,089	22.64	27.66
Total	17,222	12,002	1,044	1,068	25.69	32.71
STIOUX CITY						
Prime	2,457	1,482	1,243	1,240	27.14	35.37
Choice	27,229	22,663	1,157	1,142	26.39	34.05
Good	7,427	6,949	1,107	1,089	25.20	32.13
Other 2/	751	417	1,103	1,088	23.21	28.95
Total	37,864	31,511	1,152	1,134	26.16	33.65
STIOUX FALLS						
Prime	132	356	1,272	1,212	27.15	35.01
Choice	8,067	6,462	1,184	1,174	26.45	34.14
Good	3,874	2,839	1,152	1,127	25.15	32.50
Other 2/	451	1,155	1,147	1,198	23.25	29.57
Total	12,524	10,822	1,174	1,165	25.95	33.25
SO. ST. JOSEPH						
Prime	744	1,556	1,175	1,167	27.16	35.09
Choice	16,639	16,947	1,117	1,080	26.50	34.04
Good	4,179	2,456	1,068	1,111	25.10	31.04
Other 2/	265	497	1,098	1,158	22.83	28.77
Total	21,827	21,456	1,109	1,092	26.22	33.64
SO. ST. PAUL 3/						
Prime	151	771	1,177	1,201	27.62	35.07
Choice	8,501	7,317	1,129	1,118	26.82	34.23
Good	6,909	6,015	1,111	1,122	24.53	30.92
Other 2/	1,624	1,654	1,042	1,064	22.97	28.27
Total	17,185	15,757	1,113	1,118	25.57	32.41
TOTAL 8 MARKETS						
Prime	12,975	20,798	1,251	1,247	27.62	35.35
Choice	162,362	139,170	1,147	1,130	26.58	34.08
Good	49,727	39,019	1,092	1,091	25.16	31.73
Other 2/	6,576	6,485	1,090	1,110	23.16	28.82
Total	231,640	205,472	1,140	1,134	26.26	33.63

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2/ Standard, Commercial, and Utility.
3/ Partial Receipts.

HEIFERS SOLD OUT OF FIRST HANDS AT SELECTED MARKETS FOR SLAUGHTER,
JUNE 1968 AND 1969 ^{1/}

Market and grade	Number		Average weight		Average price per 100 pounds liveweight	
	1968	1969	1968	1969	1968	1969
	-- Head --		-- Pounds --		-- Dollars --	
CHICAGO						
Prime	1,578	1,868	988	992	26.61	34.39
Choice	8,235	13,750	943	928	25.90	32.98
Good	2,588	3,629	897	888	24.91	30.57
Other 2/	1,010	535	866	892	22.98	27.56
Total	13,411	19,782	934	926	25.60	32.56
KANSAS CITY						
Prime	149	98	942	934	26.33	33.66
Choice	2,920	2,903	871	889	23.68	32.58
Good	1,540	1,243	843	848	24.43	30.00
Other 2/	82	64	911	905	21.64	25.47
Total	4,691	4,308	865	879	23.23	31.78
OMAHA						
Prime	1,978	2,273	1,007	976	26.65	33.90
Choice	23,686	22,899	949	931	25.93	32.92
Good	9,459	7,728	922	904	24.62	30.41
Other 2/	750	1,226	1,012	1,014	21.19	25.38
Total	35,873	34,126	946	931	25.53	32.14
ST. LOUIS NSY						
Prime	124	140	911	950	25.97	33.18
Choice	4,839	5,134	874	887	25.29	31.87
Good	2,713	2,318	842	850	24.04	29.26
Other 2/	260	331	877	899	21.56	25.45
Total	7,936	7,923	864	878	24.76	30.88
SIOUX CITY						
Prime	1,258	756	988	983	26.42	34.22
Choice	11,376	11,099	944	932	25.69	32.97
Good	2,721	3,501	925	898	24.26	30.84
Other 2/	222	396	1,005	960	22.23	28.27
Total	15,577	15,752	945	928	25.46	32.45
SIOUX FALLS						
Prime	45	45	1,038	999	26.26	33.88
Choice	3,457	3,544	960	963	25.58	32.72
Good	2,024	2,291	947	938	24.16	30.63
Other 2/	287	815	984	959	21.46	27.15
Total	5,813	6,695	957	954	24.89	31.34
SO. ST. JOSEPH						
Prime	151	115	966	915	26.62	34.11
Choice	4,578	5,434	887	884	25.74	32.61
Good	2,016	2,025	890	870	24.06	30.11
Other 2/	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	6,745	7,574	890	881	25.26	31.97
SO. ST. PAUL 3/						
Prime	352	21	962	1,060	26.75	34.57
Choice	7,196	6,446	919	921	26.11	33.27
Good	2,579	2,581	920	925	24.11	29.92
Other 2/	1,689	1,738	986	1,000	21.08	24.23
Total	11,816	10,786	930	935	24.94	30.92
TOTAL 8 MARKETS						
Prime	5,635	5,316	990	981	26.57	34.10
Choice	66,287	71,209	932	923	25.82	32.85
Good	25,640	25,316	906	895	24.41	30.32
Other 2/	4,300	5,105	955	975	21.63	25.69
Total	101,862	106,946	929	922	25.34	31.97

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