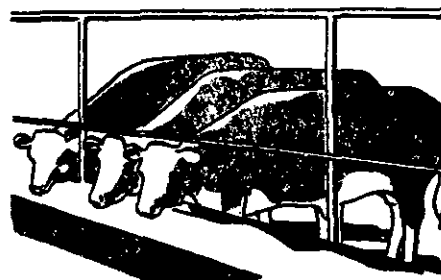


# CATTLE ON FEED



CATTLE SOLD FOR SLAUGHTER--Selected Markets

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## CATTLE ON FEED UP 2 PERCENT

Cattle and calves on feed July 1 for slaughter market totaled 10,596,000 head in the 22 major feeding States, 2 percent more than a year earlier, according to the Crop Reporting Board. North Dakota, which is not in the 22 State total, had 40,000 head on feed July 1.

Placements of cattle and calves in the 22 States during the April-June 1970 quarter were up 1 percent from the same quarter a year earlier. Marketings of fed cattle April through June, at 6,224,000 head, were 7 percent above a year earlier.

Marketings (from Cattle on Feed July 1) in the 22 States during July-September 1970 are expected to be 3 percent greater than during the same period in 1969.

## NORTH CENTRAL REGION UP 1 PERCENT

Cattle and calves on feed July 1, 1970 in the North Central Region totaled 6,219,000 head, 1 percent more than a year earlier. Iowa, the largest feeding State, had 3 percent less cattle on feed than a year earlier. States showing increases from a year earlier were Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, and Kansas. The remaining States showed declines. The largest percentage increase -- 18 percent was in Kansas. Missouri had the greatest percentage decline in number of cattle on feed -- 11 percent below a year earlier.

## 10 WESTERN STATES 3 PERCENT HIGHER

There were 4,377,000 cattle and calves on feed July 1 in the 10 Western States, 3 percent more than a year earlier. Texas, the largest feeding State in this region had 1,353,000 head, 13 percent more than a year earlier.

California showed a 12 percent decrease. Decreases were also reported in Montana, New Mexico, Arizona, Washington, and Oregon while Oklahoma, Idaho, and Colorado had larger numbers on feed than a year earlier.

#### PLACEMENTS UP 1 PERCENT, MARKETINGS 7 PERCENT HIGHER

Placements of cattle and calves on feed in the 22 major States during the April-June quarter totaled 5,255,000 head, 1 percent more than a year earlier. In the North Central States, placements were 2,546,000 head, 4 percent above a year earlier. In the Western States, placements of 2,709,000 head were down 1 percent.

Marketings of fed cattle for slaughter in the 22 States during April through June totaled 6,224,000 head, 7 percent more than during the same period in 1969. In the North Central States, fed cattle marketings of 3,786,000 head were 5 percent above a year earlier. Fed cattle marketings of 2,438,000 head showed a 9 percent increase in the Western States.

#### TIME ON FEED

Cattle and calves on feed less than 3 months in the 22 major feeding States on July 1, are estimated at 5,007,000 head, 1 percent more than a year earlier. There were 3,648,000 on feed from 3-6 months, 6 percent more than a year earlier. The number on feed 6 months and over, at 1,941,000, was 2 percent below last year.

#### KINDS ON FEED

There were 7,309,000 steers and steer calves on feed, a 2 percent increase from a year earlier. Heifers and heifer calves numbered 3,256,000 head, 1 percent above last July 1. Cows and other cattle on feed, up 5,000 from last year, made up the remaining 31,000 on feed.

The proportion of steers and heifers of the total cattle on feed July 1, remained unchanged from a year ago, 69 percent steers and 31 percent heifers.

#### WEIGHT OF STEERS AND HEIFERS ON FEED

The number of steers and steer calves in each weight group in the 22 States and the changes from July 1, 1969 are as follows: Under 500 pounds -- 300,000 head, up 62,000; 500-699 pounds -- 1,319,000 head, up 16,000; 700-899 pounds -- 2,963,000 head, down 138,000; 900-1,099 pounds -- 2,307,000 head, up 124,000; 1,100 pounds and over -- 420,000 head, 90,000 higher.

Heifers and heifer calves by weight groups and changes from a year earlier are as follows: Under 500 pounds -- 245,000 head, 7,000 more; 500-699 pounds -- 1,132,000 head, 15,000 less; 700-899 pounds -- 1,559,000 head, 74,000 more; 900-1,099 pounds -- 320,000 head, a decrease of 24,000 head.

#### MARKETING INTENTIONS

Cattle feeders in the 22 major States intend to market 5,978,000 head during the July-September 1970 period from the number on feed July 1. If feeders realize these intentions, marketings from those on feed July 1, 1970 would be 3 percent more than marketings during the same period last year. Feeders intend to market 31 percent of the 3 month total during July, 34 percent during August, and 35 percent during September.

#### JUNE MARKETINGS FOR 8 LIVESTOCK MARKETS

Steers and heifers sold out of first hands for slaughter at 8 livestock markets during June totaled 306,997 head. This total included 207,697 steers and 99,300 heifers. The average live weight of steers marketed was 1,155 pounds compared with 1,134 pounds a year earlier. Heifers averaged 944 pounds live weight compared with 922 last year.

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Cattle and calves: Number on feed, placements and marketings, April 1-July 1, 1968, 1969 and 1970; number on feed by kinds, time on feed and weight groups July 1, 1968, 1969 and 1970; actual and expected marketings July-September 1968, 1969 and 1970, 22 States

ITEM	22 States			
	Number			: 1970 as
	1968	1969	1970	: % of 1969
	- - 1,000 head - -			Percent
Cattle and calves on feed April 1 .....	10,268	11,046	11,565	105
Cattle and calves placed on feed April 1-June 30 <u>1/</u> .....	4,407	5,186	5,255	101
Fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30 <u>1/</u> .....	5,657	5,837	6,224	107
Cattle and calves on feed July 1 .....	9,018	10,395	10,596	102
<u>Kinds on feed July 1</u> .....				
Steers and steer calves .....	6,245	7,155	7,309	102
Heifers and heifer calves .....	2,747	3,214	3,256	101
Cows and other .....	26	26	31	119
<u>Time on feed July 1</u> .....				
Under 3 months .....	4,211	4,964	5,007	101
3 to 6 months .....	3,075	3,451	3,648	106
6 months and over .....	1,732	1,980	1,941	98
<u>Number on feed by weight groups, July 1</u> .....				
<u>Steers and steer calves</u> .....				
Less than 500 pounds .....	237	238	300	126
500-699 pounds .....	1,051	1,303	1,319	101
700-899 pounds .....	2,560	3,101	2,963	96
900-1,099 pounds .....	1,999	2,183	2,307	106
1,100 pounds and over .....	398	330	420	127
<u>Heifers and heifer calves</u> .....				
Less than 500 pounds .....	208	238	245	103
500-699 pounds .....	896	1,147	1,132	99
700-899 pounds .....	1,387	1,485	1,559	105
900-1,099 pounds .....	256	344	320	93
1,100 pounds and over .....	---	---	---	---
<u>All cattle and calves</u> .....				
Less than 500 pounds .....	445	476	546	115
500-699 pounds .....	1,947	2,451	2,452	100
700-899 pounds .....	3,953	4,591	4,528	99
900-1,099 pounds .....	2,272	2,541	2,646	104
1,100 pounds and over .....	401	336	424	126
Marketings July-September .....	<u>2/</u> 5,374	<u>2/</u> 5,801	<u>3/</u> 5,978	103

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, 1970 number on feed.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed, placements and marketings, April 1-July 1, 1968, 1969 and 1970; number on feed by kinds, time on feed and weight groups, July 1, 1968, 1969 and 1970; actual and expected marketings July-September 1968, 1969 & 1970, North Central States

ITEM	North Central States 1/			
	Number			:1970 as
	1968	1969	1970	& of 1969
	- - 1,000 head - -			Percent
Cattle and calves on feed April 1 .....	7,109	7,292	7,459	102
Cattle and calves placed on feed April 1-June 30 2/:	2,339	2,446	2,546	104
Fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30 2/ .....	3,696	3,595	3,786	105
Cattle and calves on feed July 1 .....	5,752	6,143	6,219	101
<u>Kinds on feed July 1</u>				
Steers and steer calves .....	3,890	4,115	4,234	103
Heifers and heifer calves .....	1,846	2,010	1,967	98
Cows and other .....	16	18	18	100
<u>Time on feed July 1</u>				
Under 3 months .....	2,214	2,325	2,397	103
3 to 6 months .....	2,068	2,170	2,252	104
6 months and over .....	1,470	1,648	1,570	95
<u>Number on feed by weight groups, July 1</u>				
<u>Steers and steer calves</u>				
Less than 500 pounds .....	80	70	70	100
500-699 pounds .....	488	552	608	110
700-899 pounds .....	1,657	1,874	1,822	97
900-1,099 pounds .....	1,369	1,388	1,418	102
1,100 pounds and over .....	296	231	316	137
<u>Heifers and heifer calves</u>				
Less than 500 pounds .....	60	59	42	71
500-699 pounds .....	575	682	656	96
700-899 pounds .....	1,016	1,054	1,053	100
900-1,099 pounds .....	195	215	216	100
1,100 pounds and over .....	---	---	---	---
<u>All cattle and calves</u>				
Less than 500 pounds .....	140	129	113	88
500-699 pounds .....	1,063	1,235	1,265	102
700-899 pounds .....	2,675	2,931	2,877	98
900-1,099 pounds .....	1,576	1,614	1,647	102
1,100 pounds and over .....	298	234	317	135
Marketings July-September .....	3/3,464	3/3,579	4/3,608	101

1/ Includes Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, S. Dakota, 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, 1970 number on feed.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed, placements and marketings, April 1-July 1, 1968 1969 and 1970; number on feed by kinds, time on feed and weight groups, July 1, 1968, 1969 and 1970; actual and expected marketings July-September 1968, 1969 and 1970, Western States.

Item	Western States 1/			1970 as % of 1969
	Number			
	1968	1969	1970	
	- - - - 1,000 head - - - -			<u>Percent</u>
Cattle and calves on feed April 1 .....	3,159	3,754	4,106	109
Cattle and calves placed on feed				
April 1-June 30 2/ .....	2,068	2,740	2,709	99
Fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30 2/...	1,961	2,242	2,438	109
Cattle and calves on feed July 1 .....	3,266	4,252	4,377	103
<u>Kinds on feed July 1</u>				
Steers and steer calves .....	2,355	3,040	3,075	101
Heifers and heifer calves .....	901	1,204	1,289	107
Cows and other .....	10	8	13	162
<u>Time on feed July 1</u>				
Under 3 months .....	1,997	2,639	2,610	99
3 to 6 months .....	1,007	1,281	1,396	109
6 months and over .....	262	332	371	112
<u>Number on feed by weight groups, July 1</u>				
<u>Steers and steer calves</u>				
Less than 500 pounds .....	157	168	230	137
500-699 pounds .....	563	751	711	95
700-899 pounds .....	903	1,227	1,141	93
900-1,099 pounds .....	630	795	889	112
1,100 pounds and over .....	102	99	104	105
<u>Heifers and heifer calves</u>				
Less than 500 pounds .....	148	179	203	113
500-699 pounds .....	321	465	476	102
700-899 pounds .....	371	431	506	117
900-1,099 pounds .....	61	129	104	81
1,100 pounds and over .....	---	---	---	---
<u>All cattle and calves</u>				
Less than 500 pounds .....	305	347	433	125
500-699 pounds .....	884	1,216	1,187	98
700-899 pounds .....	1,278	1,660	1,651	99
900-1,099 pounds .....	696	927	999	108
1,100 pounds and over .....	103	102	107	105
Marketings July-September .....	3/1,910	3/2,222	4/2,370	107

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 marketed before September 30.

4/ Expected marketings from July 1, 1970 number on feed.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed by quarters, July 1, 1969, April 1 and July 1, 1970 1/

State	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970	
			Number	As % of 1969
1,000 head				
				Percent
Pa. ....	57	78	53	93
Ohio .....	206	294	208	101
Ind. ....	275	345	261	95
Ill. ....	569	733	580	102
Mich. ....	132	209	150	114
Wis. ....	113	140	118	104
Minn. ....	487	554	521	107
Iowa .....	1,935	2,245	1,878	97
Mo. ....	286	365	255	89
N. Dak. 2/ ...		53	40	---
S. Dak. ....	270	342	275	102
Nebr. ....	1,195	1,397	1,189	99
Kans. ....	618	757	731	118
Okla. ....	196	192	217	111
Texas .....	1,198	1,243	1,353	113
Mont. ....	74	87	73	99
Idaho .....	187	222	202	108
Colo. ....	651	748	774	119
N. Mex. ....	195	194	183	94
Ariz. ....	452	454	426	94
Wash. ....	150	142	146	97
Oreg. ....	69	65	52	75
Calif. ....	1,080	759	951	88
22 States 3/ ..	10,395	11,565	10,596	102
23 States 2/ ..		11,618	10,636	

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. 2/ Data not available for periods blank. 3/ Excludes North Dakota.

Cattle and calves: Number placed on feed, by quarters, 1969-70 1/

State	April-June 1969	January-March 1970	April-June 1970	
			Number	As % of 1969
1,000 head				
				Percent
Pa. ....	21	18	16	76
Ohio .....	50	67	50	100
Ind. ....	84	99	68	81
Ill. ....	137	249	134	98
Mich. ....	21	43	25	119
Wis. ....	29	50	33	114
Minn. ....	124	174	132	106
Iowa .....	730	1,000	776	106
Mo. ....	82	131	72	88
N. Dak. 2/ ...		17	11	---
S. Dak. ....	76	133	63	83
Nebr. ....	697	826	712	102
Kans. ....	395	367	465	118
Okla. ....	135	111	153	113
Texas .....	830	631	909	110
Mont. ....	30	39	21	70
Idaho .....	78	92	83	106
Colo. ....	436	425	505	116
N. Mex. ....	100	91	88	88
Ariz. ....	252	163	231	92
Wash. ....	79	73	83	105
Oreg. ....	36	21	29	81
Calif. ....	764	296	607	79
22 States 3/ ..	5,186	5,099	5,255	101
23 States 2/ ..		5,116	5,266	

1/ Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed before end of quarter. 2/ Data not available for periods blank. 3/ Excludes North Dakota.

Cattle and calves: Number of fed cattle marketed, by quarters, 1969-70 1/

State	April-June 1969	January-March 1970	April-June 1970	
			Number	As % of 1969
		1,000 head		Percent
Pa. ....	42	28	41	98
Ohio .....	150	91	136	91
Ind. ....	144	110	152	106
Ill. ....	308	271	287	93
Mich. ....	71	44	84	118
Wis. ....	62	56	55	89
Minn. ....	160	209	165	103
Iowa .....	1,086	968	1,143	105
Mo. ....	161	163	182	113
N. Dak. <u>2/</u> .....		27	24	---
S. Dak. ....	138	152	130	94
Nebr. ....	846	906	920	109
Kans. ....	427	502	491	115
Okla. ....	110	142	128	116
Texas .....	651	805	799	123
Mont. ....	37	67	35	95
Idaho .....	116	100	103	89
Colo. ....	465	472	479	103
N. Mex. ....	97	106	99	102
Ariz. ....	222	219	259	117
Wash. ....	85	86	79	93
Oreg. ....	42	52	42	100
Calif. ....	417	568	415	100
22 States <u>3/</u> .....	5,937	6,122	6,224	107
23 States <u>2/</u> .....		6,149	6,248	

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

2/ Data not available for periods blank.

3/ Excludes North Dakota.

Cattle and calves: Expected marketings from number on feed July 1, 1970 with comparisons 1/

State	Marketings from number on feed:		Expected marketings from number		
	July 1, 1969		on feed July 1, 1970		
	July-September: 1969	After Sept. 30, 1969:	July-September 1970 Number	After September 30, 1970	After September 30, 1970
		1,000 head		Percent	1,000 head
Pa. ....	35	22	34	97	19
Ohio .....	122	84	120	98	88
Ind. ....	155	120	141	91	120
Ill. ....	339	230	346	102	234
Mich. ....	74	58	84	114	66
Wis. ....	45	68	48	107	70
Minn. ....	203	284	245	121	276
Iowa .....	1,201	734	1,052	88	826
Mo. ....	183	103	180	98	75
N. Dak. <u>2/</u> .....			24		16
S. Dak. ....	101	169	135	134	140
Nebr. ....	703	492	740	105	440
Kans. ....	418	200	483	116	248
Okla. ....	111	85	124	112	93
Texas .....	639	559	749	117	604
Mont. ....	40	34	44	110	29
Idaho .....	109	78	118	108	84
Colo. ....	355	296	450	127	324
N. Mex. ....	96	99	93	97	90
Ariz. ....	205	247	200	98	226
Wash. ....	103	47	94	91	52
Oreg. ....	44	25	32	73	20
Calif. ....	520	560	466	90	485
22 States <u>3/</u> .....	5,801	4,594	5,978	103	4,618
23 States <u>2/</u> .....			6,002		4,634

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

2/ Data not available for periods blank.

3/ Excludes North Dakota.



Cattle and calves: Number on feed by classes, by quarters,  
July 1, 1969 and April 1 and July 1, 1970

State	Steers and steer calves			Heifers and heifer calves			Cows and others		
	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,
	1969	1970	1970	1969	1970	1970	1969	1970	1970
1,000 head									
Pa.	50	69	46	4	5	3	3	4	4
Ohio	165	229	168	41	65	40	-	-	-
Ind.	166	190	161	108	152	97	1	3	3
Ill.	353	476	365	216	257	215	-	-	-
Mich.	112	182	134	19	25	15	1	2	1
Wis.	86	104	90	26	35	27	1	1	1
Minn.	273	321	307	213	232	213	1	1	1
Iowa	1,393	1,638	1,333	540	606	544	2	1	1
Mo.	209	263	191	77	102	64	-	-	-
N. Dak. 1/		29	19		24	21			
S. Dak.	170	233	187	97	106	85	3	3	3
Nebr.	737	945	763	452	451	422	6	1	4
Kans.	401	537	489	217	220	242	-	-	-
Okla.	138	132	148	58	60	69	-	-	-
Texas	698	730	817	500	509	534	-	4	2
Mont.	39	51	44	34	34	28	1	2	1
Idaho	135	158	141	51	60	57	1	4	4
Colo.	348	408	426	301	338	347	2	2	1
N. Mex.	109	117	115	85	74	66	1	3	2
Ariz.	411	421	360	40	32	65	1	1	1
Wash.	112	108	107	38	34	39	-	-	-
Oreg.	46	40	33	23	24	18	-	1	1
Calif.	1,004	713	884	74	45	66	2	1	1
22 States 2/	7,155	8,065	7,309	3,214	3,466	3,256	26	34	31
23 States 1/		8,094	7,328		3,490	3,277		34	31

1/ Data not available for periods blank. 2/ Excludes North Dakota.

Cattle and calves: Length of time on feed beginning  
of each quarter, July 1, 1969, April 1 and July 1, 1970

State	Less than 3 months			3-6 months			More than 6 months		
	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,
	1969	1970	1970	1969	1970	1970	1969	1970	1970
1,000 head									
Pa.	19	16	14	13	50	11	25	12	28
Ohio	44	65	46	58	191	58	104	38	104
Ind.	80	97	63	77	208	89	118	40	109
Ill.	131	242	128	210	447	226	228	44	226
Mich.	20	42	22	28	123	30	84	44	98
Wis.	27	45	31	35	78	41	51	17	46
Minn.	122	172	130	156	321	157	209	61	234
Iowa	716	965	751	716	1,167	676	503	113	451
Mo.	77	124	67	109	223	117	100	18	71
N. Dak. 1/		16	11		32	12		5	17
S. Dak.	73	130	60	113	192	115	84	20	100
Nebr.	626	760	623	440	599	476	129	38	90
Kans.	390	362	462	215	393	256	13	2	13
Okla.	130	110	150	56	76	59	10	6	8
Texas	792	608	866	382	538	447	24	97	40
Mont.	30	38	21	23	47	37	21	2	15
Idaho	75	89	81	80	111	87	32	22	34
Colo.	399	412	472	210	305	232	42	31	70
N. Mex.	100	89	88	70	91	80	25	14	15
Ariz.	248	159	226	158	247	136	46	48	64
Wash.	75	71	79	57	67	60	18	4	7
Oreg.	34	21	28	29	40	20	6	4	4
Calif.	756	288	599	216	334	238	108	137	114
22 States 2/	4,964	4,905	5,007	3,451	5,848	3,648	1,980	812	1,941
23 States 1/		4,921	5,018		5,880	3,660		817	1,958

1/ Data not available for periods blank.

2/ Excludes North Dakota.

Cattle and calves: Number on feed by weight groups, by quarters,  
July 1, 1969, April 1 and July 1, 1970

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,	July 1,	Apr. 1,	July 1,
	1969	1970	1970	1969	1970	1970	1969	1970	1970
----- 1,000 head -----									
Pa. ....	3	4	3	6	12	7	16	21	11
Ohio .....	7	22	7	39	100	44	96	114	88
Ind. ....	6	43	13	56	140	61	141	101	115
Ill. ....	21	49	16	111	301	113	270	230	295
Mich. ....	2	9	1	24	75	22	55	73	69
Wis. ....	9	14	5	27	51	30	46	33	47
Minn. ....	25	58	24	149	286	158	222	115	214
Iowa ....	25	127	18	331	910	327	937	596	902
Mo. ....	7	31	4	58	147	41	140	105	111
N. Dak. <u>1/</u> .....		2	1		25	11		16	19
S. Dak. ....	7	24	4	71	150	70	136	78	124
Nebr. ....	13	47	13	218	379	202	563	409	545
Kans. ....	4	25	5	145	173	190	309	315	356
Okla. ....	8	22	17	80	51	57	59	71	90
Texas ....	151	179	167	454	495	536	380	334	421
Mont. ....	---	3	---	15	38	12	32	27	39
Idaho ....	1	6	1	19	72	31	97	63	90
Colo. ....	9	30	6	102	138	124	322	248	367
N. Mex. ....	19	18	18	68	72	52	62	54	79
Ariz. ....	50	48	94	141	128	106	173	149	144
Wash. ....	1	1	---	16	37	23	71	54	70
Oreg. ....	5	5	2	18	21	12	31	19	20
Calif. ....	103	89	128	303	208	234	433	236	331
22 States <u>2/</u> .....	476	854	546	2,451	3,984	2,452	4,591	3,445	4,528
23 States <u>1/</u> .....		856	547		4,009	2,463		3,461	4,547

State	900-1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1,	April 1,	July 1,	July 1,	April 1,	July 1,
	1969	1970	1970	1969	1970	1970
----- 1,000 head -----						
Pa. ....	25	29	24	7	12	8
Ohio .....	61	54	64	3	4	5
Ind. ....	65	57	64	7	4	8
Ill. ....	139	120	130	28	33	26
Mich. ....	49	50	54	2	2	4
Wis. ....	26	29	26	5	13	10
Minn. ....	77	75	107	14	20	18
Iowa ....	572	481	524	70	131	107
Mo. ....	72	69	88	9	13	11
N. Dak. <u>1/</u> .....		9	9		1	
S. Dak. ....	46	68	59	10	22	18
Nebr. ....	336	447	350	65	115	79
Kans. ....	146	210	157	14	34	23
Okla. ....	45	40	50	4	8	3
Texas ....	206	205	212	7	30	17
Mont. ....	23	14	21	4	5	1
Idaho ....	53	69	66	17	12	14
Colo. ....	187	241	229	31	91	48
N. Mex. ....	43	47	32	3	3	2
Ariz. ....	80	121	78	8	8	4
Wash. ....	55	42	47	7	8	6
Oreg. ....	14	18	16	1	2	2
Calif. ....	221	212	248	20	14	10
22 States <u>2/</u> .....	2,541	2,698	2,646	336	584	424
23 States <u>1/</u> .....		2,707	2,655		585	424

1/ Data not available for periods blank. 2/ Excludes North Dakota.

Steers and steer calves: Number on feed by weight groups, by quarters,  
July 1, 1969, April 1 and July 1, 1970

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970
----- 1,000 head -----									
Pa. ....	2	2	1	4	9	5	13	19	9
Ohio .....	5	14	5	26	62	30	71	96	66
Ind. ....	3	23	8	23	60	32	78	57	58
Ill. ....	10	28	7	46	167	55	145	143	168
Mich. ....	1	7	1	17	62	18	45	64	59
Wis. ....	7	9	4	17	34	21	35	23	33
Minn. ....	14	26	18	60	144	71	120	71	120
Iowa .....	14	66	13	153	589	147	655	426	613
Mo. ....	6	18	2	31	90	23	96	79	73
N. Dak. 1/ ..		1	---		12	6		8	7
S. Dak. ....	3	12	2	36	91	34	85	58	86
Nebr. ....	4	19	7	89	203	84	327	250	299
Kans. ....	1	12	2	50	86	88	204	217	238
Okla. ....	2	16	7	42	24	26	46	46	64
Texas .....	15	44	25	208	235	284	272	232	294
Mont. ....	---	2	---	5	19	6	14	16	20
Idaho .....	1	3	1	8	40	20	61	46	47
Colo. ....	---	7	2	26	37	30	186	109	177
N. Mex. ....	6	6	9	36	36	28	32	33	47
Ariz. ....	41	42	61	128	118	90	156	135	129
Wash. ....	---	---	---	6	24	10	49	39	50
Oreg. ....	3	2	1	11	11	5	19	11	13
Calif. ....	100	86	124	281	193	212	392	213	300
22 States 2/ :	238	444	300	1,303	2,334	1,319	3,101	2,383	2,963
23 States 1/ :		445	300		2,346	1,325		2,391	2,970

State	900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970
----- 1,000 head -----						
Pa. ....	24	27	23	7	12	8
Ohio .....	60	53	62	3	4	5
Ind. ....	55	46	55	7	4	8
Ill. ....	124	105	109	28	33	26
Mich. ....	47	47	52	2	2	4
Wis. ....	22	25	22	5	13	10
Minn. ....	65	61	80	14	19	18
Iowa .....	501	426	453	70	131	107
Mo. ....	67	63	82	9	13	11
N. Dak. 1/ ..		7	6		1	
S. Dak. ....	37	51	48	9	21	17
Nebr. ....	254	358	294	63	115	79
Kans. ....	132	188	138	14	34	23
Okla. ....	44	38	48	4	8	3
Texas .....	196	189	197	7	30	17
Mont. ....	16	9	17	4	5	1
Idaho .....	49	58	59	16	11	14
Colo. ....	106	164	170	30	91	47
N. Mex. ....	33	41	30	2	1	1
Ariz. ....	78	118	76	8	8	4
Wash. ....	50	37	41	7	8	6
Oreg. ....	12	14	12	1	2	2
Calif. ....	211	207	239	20	14	9
22 States 2/ :	2,183	2,325	2,307	330	579	420
23 States 1/ :		2,332	2,313		580	420

1/ Data not available for periods blank. 2/ Excludes North Dakota.

Heifers and heifer calves: Number on feed by weight groups, by quarters,  
July 1, 1969, April and July 1, 1970

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970
	----- 1,000 head -----								
Pa. ....	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1
Ohio .....	2	8	2	13	38	14	25	18	22
Ind. ....	3	20	5	33	80	29	63	44	57
ILL. ....	11	21	9	65	134	58	125	87	127
Mich. ....	1	2	---	7	13	4	9	8	10
Wis. ....	2	5	1	10	17	9	11	10	14
Minn. ....	11	32	6	89	142	87	102	44	94
Iowa .....	11	61	5	178	321	180	281	170	288
Mo. ....	1	13	2	27	57	18	44	26	38
N. Dak. 1/ ..		1	1		13	5		8	12
S. Dak. ....	4	12	2	35	59	36	51	20	38
Nebr. ....	9	28	6	129	176	118	236	159	246
Kans. ....	3	13	3	95	87	102	105	98	118
Okla. ....	6	6	10	38	27	31	13	25	26
Texas .....	136	135	142	246	259	252	108	100	125
Mont. ....	---	1	---	10	19	6	18	11	19
Idaho .....	---	3	---	11	32	11	36	16	41
Colo. ....	9	23	4	76	101	94	136	139	190
N. Mex. ....	13	12	9	32	36	24	30	21	32
Ariz. ....	9	6	33	13	10	16	16	14	15
Wash. ....	1	1	---	10	13	13	22	15	20
Oreg. ....	2	3	1	7	10	7	12	8	7
Calif. ....	3	3	4	22	15	22	40	23	31
22 States 2/ :	238	409	245	1,147	1,648	1,132	1,485	1,057	1,559
23 States 1/ :		410	246		1,661	1,137		1,065	1,571

State	900-1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970	July 1, 1969	April 1, 1970	July 1, 1970
	----- 1,000 head -----					
Pa. ....	---	1	---	---	---	---
Ohio .....	1	1	2	---	---	---
Ind. ....	9	8	6	---	---	---
Ill. ....	15	15	21	---	---	---
Mich. ....	2	2	1	---	---	---
Wis. ....	3	3	3	---	---	---
Minn. ....	11	14	26	---	---	---
Iowa .....	70	54	71	---	---	---
Mo. ....	5	6	6	---	---	---
N. Dak. 1/ ..		2	3	---	---	---
S. Dak. ....	7	15	9	---	---	---
Nebr. ....	78	88	52	---	---	---
Kans. ....	14	22	19	---	---	---
Okla. ....	1	2	2	---	---	---
Texas .....	10	15	15	---	---	---
Mont. ....	6	3	3	---	---	---
Idaho .....	4	9	5	---	---	---
Colo. ....	80	75	59	---	---	---
N. Mex. ....	10	5	1	---	---	---
Ariz. ....	2	2	1	---	---	---
Wash. ....	5	5	6	---	---	---
Oreg. ....	2	3	3	---	---	---
Calif. ....	9	4	9	---	---	---
22 States 2/ :	344	352	320	---	---	---
23 States 1/ :		354	323	---	---	---

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Cattle and calves on feed: Inventories, placements and marketings, by months,  
 Arizona, California, Colorado, Iowa, Nebraska, and Texas,  
 January 1, 1969 - July 1, 1969 and January 1, 1970 - July 1, 1970

State	Cattle on Feed			Placed on Feed			Marketed		
	1969	1970	1970/1969	1969	1970	1970/1969	1969	1970	1970/1969
	1,000 head		Percent	1,000 head		Percent	1,000 head		Percent
	January 1			During January			During January		
Ariz. ....	442	510	115	68	56	82	62	66	106
Calif. ....	968	1,031	107	104	89	86	218	195	89
Colo. ....	711	795	112	117	132	113	138	142	103
Iowa ....	2,213	2,213	100	474	432	91	366	370	101
Nebr. ....	1,430	1,477	103	316	286	91	322	314	98
Texas ....	1,075	1,417	132	221	238	108	213	251	118
Total 6 States:	6,839	7,443	109	1,300	1,233	95	1,319	1,338	101
	February 1			During February			During February		
Ariz. ....	448	500	112	43	59	137	61	67	110
Calif. ....	854	925	108	50	73	146	178	169	95
Colo. ....	690	785	114	136	148	109	155	157	101
Iowa ....	2,321	2,275	98	211	231	109	328	302	92
Nebr. ....	1,424	1,449	102	197	273	139	310	285	92
Texas ....	1,083	1,404	130	155	144	93	199	253	127
Total 6 States:	6,820	7,338	108	792	928	117	1,231	1,233	100
	March 1			During March			During March		
Ariz. ....	430	492	114	67	48	72	75	86	115
Calif. ....	726	829	114	141	134	95	134	204	152
Colo. ....	671	776	116	180	145	81	171	173	101
Iowa ....	2,204	2,204	100	395	337	85	308	296	96
Nebr. ....	1,311	1,437	110	337	267	79	304	307	101
Texas ....	1,039	1,295	125	228	249	109	248	301	121
Total 6 States:	6,381	7,033	110	1,348	1,180	88	1,240	1,367	110
	April 1			During April			During April		
Ariz. ....	422	454	108	79	68	86	76	86	113
Calif. ....	733	759	104	168	205	122	155	159	103
Colo. ....	680	748	110	131	137	105	159	167	105
Iowa ....	2,291	2,245	98	256	303	118	344	345	100
Nebr. ....	1,344	1,397	104	330	225	68	293	310	106
Texas ....	1,019	1,243	122	228	190	83	246	291	118
Total 6 States:	6,489	6,846	105	1,192	1,128	95	1,273	1,358	107
	May 1			During May			During May		
Ariz. ....	425	436	103	91	90	99	72	83	115
Calif. ....	746	805	108	320	241	75	122	122	100
Colo. ....	652	718	110	153	205	134	154	163	106
Iowa ....	2,203	2,203	100	217	206	95	372	402	108
Nebr. ....	1,381	1,312	95	205	214	104	284	302	106
Texas ....	1,001	1,142	114	336	402	120	205	252	123
Total 6 States:	6,408	6,616	103	1,322	1,358	103	1,209	1,324	110
	June 1			During June			During June		
Ariz. ....	444	443	100	82	73	89	74	90	122
Calif. ....	944	924	98	276	161	58	140	134	96
Colo. ....	651	760	117	152	201	132	152	155	102
Iowa ....	2,048	2,007	98	257	267	104	370	396	107
Nebr. ....	1,302	1,224	94	162	273	169	269	308	114
Texas ....	1,132	1,292	114	266	317	119	200	256	128
Total 6 States:	6,521	6,650	102	1,195	1,292	108	1,205	1,339	111
	July 1								
Ariz. ....	452	426	94						
Calif. ....	1,080	951	88						
Colo. ....	651	806	124						
Iowa ....	1,935	1,878	97						
Nebr. ....	1,195	1,189	99						
Texas ....	1,198	1,353	113						
Total 6 States:	6,511	6,603	101						

STEERS SOLD OUT OF FIRST HANDS AT SELECTED MARKETS FOR SLAUGHTER,  
JUNE 1969 AND 1970 <sup>1/</sup>

MARKET AND GRADE	NUMBER		AVERAGE WEIGHT		AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS LIVELWEIGHT	
	1969	1970	1969	1970	1969	1970
	HEAD	HEAD	POUNDS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	DOLLARS
<b>CHICAGO</b>						
PRIME.....	14042	12287	1268	1252	35.46	31.52
CHOICE.....	45627	38936	1163	1186	34.23	30.62
GOOD.....	6667	4719	1081	1124	31.80	28.84
OTHER 2/.....	1277	1218	1116	1205	29.39	27.17
TOTAL.....	67613	57160	1176	1196	34.20	30.61
<b>KANSAS CITY</b>						
PRIME.....	138	163	1136	1100	34.83	30.90
CHOICE.....	4513	4272	1086	1093	34.04	29.92
GOOD.....	1897	1835	1088	1124	31.83	27.96
OTHER 2/.....	138	164	1066	1165	28.01	25.57
TOTAL.....	6686	6434	1087	1104	33.31	29.26
<b>OMAHA</b>						
PRIME.....	2102	2847	1209	1182	35.01	30.85
CHOICE.....	27751	30102	1115	1136	33.99	30.29
GOOD.....	9034	7825	1081	1100	31.95	29.07
OTHER 2/.....	738	1458	1070	1190	28.75	26.24
TOTAL.....	39625	42232	1111	1135	33.50	29.96
<b>ST. LOUIS NSY</b>						
PRIME.....	351	659	1207	1176	34.84	30.60
CHOICE.....	7890	9583	1071	1113	33.52	29.86
GOOD.....	3162	5736	1040	1071	31.38	28.65
OTHER 2/.....	599	667	1089	1110	27.66	26.35
TOTAL.....	12002	16645	1068	1101	32.71	29.34
<b>SIOUX CITY</b>						
PRIME.....	1482	2972	1240	1208	35.37	30.93
CHOICE.....	22663	28295	1142	1158	34.05	30.26
GOOD.....	6949	5278	1089	1139	32.13	28.51
OTHER 2/.....	417	415	1088	1186	28.95	26.08
TOTAL.....	31511	36960	1134	1160	33.65	30.02
<b>SIOUX FALLS</b>						
PRIME.....	356	284	1212	1180	35.01	30.59
CHOICE.....	6462	8470	1174	1172	34.14	30.17
GOOD.....	2839	1912	1127	1176	32.50	28.84
OTHER 2/.....	1165	1222	1198	1223	29.57	26.33
TOTAL.....	10822	11888	1165	1178	33.25	29.56
<b>SU. ST. JOSEPH</b>						
PRIME.....	1556	2171	1167	1162	35.09	30.94
CHOICE.....	16947	15229	1080	1099	34.04	30.30
GOOD.....	2456	2569	1111	1159	31.04	28.02
OTHER 2/.....	497	309	1158	1204	28.77	26.36
TOTAL.....	21456	20278	1092	1115	33.64	30.01
<b>SU. ST. PAUL 3/</b>						
PRIME.....	771	344	1201	1226	35.07	30.46
CHOICE.....	7317	6489	1118	1151	34.23	30.11
GOOD.....	6015	4312	1122	1168	30.92	28.19
OTHER 2/.....	1654	4955	1064	1166	28.27	26.80
TOTAL.....	15757	16100	1118	1162	32.41	28.58
<b>TOTAL 8 MARKETS</b>						
PRIME.....	20798	21727	1247	1223	35.35	31.24
CHOICE.....	139170	141376	1130	1150	34.08	30.32
GOOD.....	39019	34186	1091	1123	31.73	28.61
OTHER 2/.....	6485	10408	1110	1179	28.82	26.62
TOTAL.....	205472	207697	1134	1155	33.63	29.10

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HEIFERS SOLD OUT OF FIRST HANDS AT SELECTED MARKETS FOR SLAUGHTER,  
JUNE 1969 AND 1970 1/

MARKET AND GRADE	NUMBER		AVERAGE WEIGHT		AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS LIVELWEIGHT	
	1969	1970	1969	1970	1969	1970
	HEAD	HEAD	POUNDS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	DOLLARS
<b>CHICAGO</b>						
PRIME.....	1868	1504	992	1005	34.39	30.47
CHOICE.....	13750	8380	928	953	32.98	29.77
GOOD.....	3629	3536	888	916	30.57	28.40
OTHER 2/.....	535	199	892	924	27.56	26.19
TOTAL.....	19782	13619	926	949	32.56	29.46
<b>KANSAS CITY</b>						
PRIME.....	98	100	934	925	33.66	29.95
CHOICE.....	2903	1662	889	898	32.58	29.37
GOOD.....	1243	1038	848	869	30.00	27.89
OTHER 2/.....	64	43	905	893	25.47	25.54
TOTAL.....	4308	2843	879	889	31.78	28.80
<b>OMAHA</b>						
PRIME.....	2273	2533	976	972	33.90	30.31
CHOICE.....	22899	21902	931	955	32.92	29.68
GOOD.....	7728	7489	904	942	30.41	28.24
OTHER 2/.....	1226	915	1014	1052	25.38	24.41
TOTAL.....	34126	32839	931	957	32.14	29.24
<b>ST. LOUIS NSY</b>						
PRIME.....	140	236	950	923	33.18	29.51
CHOICE.....	5134	5825	887	883	31.87	28.86
GOOD.....	2318	2594	850	859	29.26	27.62
OTHER 2/.....	331	367	899	894	25.45	25.54
TOTAL.....	7923	9022	878	878	30.88	28.40
<b>SIOUX CITY</b>						
PRIME.....	756	1361	983	1014	34.22	30.20
CHOICE.....	11099	14203	932	957	32.97	29.38
GOOD.....	3501	2674	898	949	30.84	28.06
OTHER 2/.....	396	80	960	972	28.27	24.98
TOTAL.....	15752	18318	928	960	32.45	29.24
<b>SIOUX FALLS</b>						
PRIME.....	45	103	999	1039	33.88	30.11
CHOICE.....	3544	3811	963	990	32.72	29.43
GOOD.....	2291	2320	938	975	30.63	28.10
OTHER 2/.....	815	362	959	959	27.15	25.63
TOTAL.....	6695	6596	954	984	31.34	28.78
<b>SO. ST. JOSEPH</b>						
PRIME.....	115	252	915	954	34.11	30.49
CHOICE.....	5434	5823	884	888	32.61	29.56
GOOD.....	2025	1489	870	891	30.11	27.86
OTHER 2/.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
TOTAL.....	7574	7564	881	891	31.97	29.26
<b>SO. ST. PAUL 3/</b>						
PRIME.....	21	31	1060	1058	34.57	30.09
CHOICE.....	6446	4875	921	955	33.27	29.79
GOOD.....	2581	2366	925	949	29.92	28.20
OTHER 2/.....	1738	1227	1000	1013	24.23	24.86
TOTAL.....	10786	8499	935	962	30.92	28.60
<b>TOTAL 8 MARKETS</b>						
PRIME.....	5316	6120	981	996	34.11	30.29
CHOICE.....	71209	66481	923	943	32.85	29.54
GOOD.....	25316	23506	895	927	30.32	28.12
OTHER 2/.....	5105	3193	975	996	25.69	24.96
TOTAL.....	106946	99300	928	944	31.97	29.96

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Cattle on Feed July 1, 1970 MtAn 2-1 (7-70) should be changed as follows:

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Cattle and Calves: Expected marketings from number on feed July 1, 1970 with comparisons

After September 30, 1970  
1,000 head

	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Nebraska	440	449

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Cattle and Calves on feed:

	Placed on Feed				Marketed				
	1970		1970/1969		1970		1970/1969		
	<u>1,000 head</u>		<u>Percent</u>		<u>1,000 head</u>		<u>Percent</u>		
	<u>During June</u>		<u>During June</u>		<u>During June</u>		<u>During June</u>		
	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	
Colo.	201	163	132	107	Colo.	155	149	102	98
Total 6					Total 6				
States	1,292	1,254	108	105	States	1,339	1,333	111	111

	Cattle on Feed			
	1970		1970/1969	
	<u>1,000 head</u>		<u>Percent</u>	
	<u>July 1</u>		<u>July 1</u>	
	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
Colo.	806	774	124	119
Total 6				
States	6,603	6,571	101	101

