

cattle on feed



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CATTLE ON FEED IN 7 STATES UP 12 PERCENT:

Cattle and calves on feed November 1 for slaughter market in the 7 States preparing monthly estimates totaled 7,585,000 head, up 12 percent from a year ago, according to the Crop Reporting Board.

October placements of cattle and calves on feed in the 7 States totaled 2,305,000, 25 percent more than October last year. Placements during the month were above a year ago in all 7 States.

Fed cattle marketings during October totaled 1,307,000, down 14 percent from last year. Marketings were below October 1974 in all States except Kansas.

Other disappearance during October totaled 69,000, compared with 101,000 in the same month last year.

CATTLE AND CALVES: INVENTORIES, PLACEMENTS, MARKETINGS AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE
FED CATTLE, OCTOBER 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

ITEM	TOTAL 7 STATES		
	1974	1975	1975 AS % OF 1974
	1,000 HEAD		
ON FEED OCTOBER <u>1/</u>	6,572	6,656	101
PLACED ON FEED DURING OCTOBER	1,842	2,305	125
MARKETED DURING OCTOBER	1,517	1,307	86
OTHER DISAPPEARANCE DURING OCTOBER <u>2/</u>	101	69	68
ON FEED NOVEMBER <u>1/</u>	6,796	7,585	112

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BY STATES, OCTOBER 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

STATE	NUMBER ON FEED <u>1/</u>						PLACEMENTS DURING OCT		
	OCT 1		1975 AS % OF 1974	NOV 1		1975 AS % OF 1974	1974		1975 AS % OF 1974
1974	1975	1974		1975	1974		1975	1,000 HEAD	
	1,000 HEAD		PERCENT	1,000 HEAD		PERCENT	1,000 HEAD		PERCENT
ARIZ	348	397	114	349	474	136	108	149	138
CALIF	965	876	91	923	915	99	175	222	127
COLO	690	735	107	745	855	115	233	291	125
IOWA	1,030	950	92	1,120	1,130	101	354	380	107
KANS	900	1,150	128	970	1,230	127	270	300	111
NEBR	1,040	1,060	102	1,135	1,220	107	394	401	102
TEX	1,599	1,488	93	1,554	1,761	113	308	562	182
TOTAL 7 STATES	6,572	6,656	101	6,796	7,585	112	1,842	2,305	125
	MARKETINGS DURING OCT						OTHER DISAPPEARANCE DURING OCT		
	1974		1975 AS % OF 1974	1974		1975 AS % OF 1974	1974		1975 AS % OF 1974
	1,000 HEAD			PERCENT	1,000 HEAD		PERCENT	1,000 HEAD	
ARIZ	103	65	63	4	7	175			
CALIF	197	164	83	20	19	95			
COLO	174	162	93	4	9	225			
IOWA	240	195	81	24	5	21			
KANS	190	215	113	10	5	50			
NEBR	285	235	82	14	6	43			
TEX	328	271	83	25	18	72			
TOTAL 7 STATES	1,517	1,307	86	101	69	68			

1/ CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED ARE ANIMALS BEING FATTENED FOR SLAUGHTER MARKET ON GRAIN OR OTHER CONCENTRATES AND ARE EXPECTED TO PRODUCE A CARCASS THAT WILL GRADE GOOD OR BETTER.

2/ INCLUDES DEATH LOSSES, MOVEMENT FROM FEEDLOTS TO PASTURES AND SHIPMENTS TO OTHER FEEDLOTS FOR FURTHER FEEDING.