

CATTLE ON FEED



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CATTLE ON FEED IN 23 STATES DOWN SLIGHTLY

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market on January 1, 1979 totaled 12.7 million head, according to the Crop Reporting Board. Although this count was down 1 percent compared with January 1, 1978, it is 6 percent more than the number on feed January 1, 1977. With the exception of 1978 it is the highest January 1 number on feed since 1974. Placements during the October-December quarter totaled 8.66 million, down 9 percent from the same quarter of 1977 and 1 percent less than the similar period of 1976. Other disappearance totaled 608 thousand leaving net placements of 8.05 million. Marketings of fed cattle for slaughter during the October-December quarter were 6.73 million, up 11 percent from this period in 1977, and the highest October-December marketings since 1972.

The January 1, 1979 number of cattle on feed included 8.50 million steers and steer calves, 2 percent more than 1978 and 9 percent greater than 1977. Steers accounted for 67 percent of the total on feed. Heifers and heifer calves on feed totaled 4.09 million, down 7 percent from 1978 and practically unchanged from 1977.

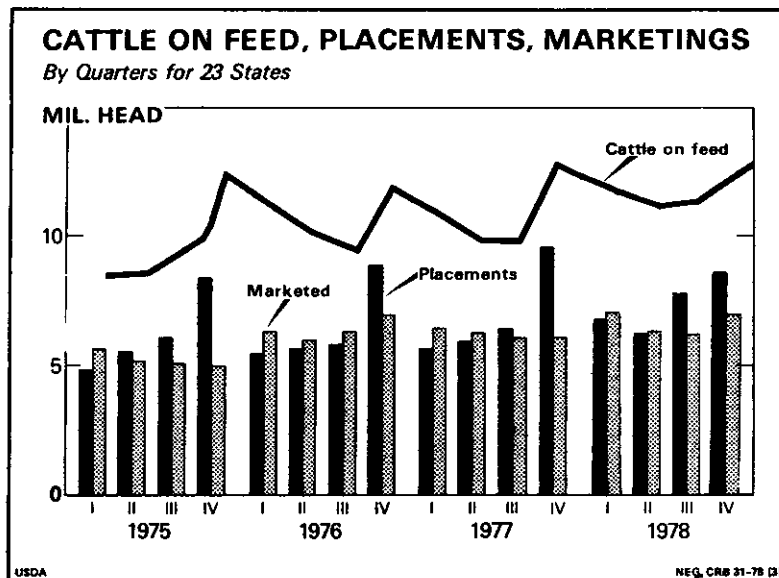
NEXT QUARTER EXPECTED MARKETINGS UP SLIGHTLY

During the January-March 1979 quarter, cattle feeders intend to market a record high of 6.83 million head. This would be 1 percent above the first quarter marketings in 1978 and 6 percent more than 1977.

CATTLE ON FEED IN 7 MONTHLY STATES UP 3 PERCENT

In the 7 monthly States, the total number on feed at 9.23 million is up 3 percent from a year earlier and 12 percent more than January 1, 1977. The 7-State total accounted for 73 percent of the 23-State number on feed. Placements in feed-lots during December at 1.75 million declined 15 percent from last year's level, but were only 2 percent below December 1976. Marketings during December at 1.66 million were record high and 3 percent greater than last year and 13 percent larger than 2 years ago. Expected 7-State marketings during the January-March 1979 quarter are estimated at a record 5.24 million, 3 percent more than 1978 and 7 percent more than 1977.

This report provides data for the 23 quarterly States only. The number of cattle and calves on feed January 1, 1979 by States and for the United States will be published in the Cattle Report to be issued January 30, 1979.



CATTLE ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, AND MARKETED
BY QUARTERS, 23 STATES

YEAR	PLACEMENTS	MARKETED	CATTLE ON FEED	
			DATE	NUMBER
	(000)	(000)		(000)
<u>1975</u>			JAN 1, 1975	9,622
JAN-MAR	4,755	5,507	APR 1,	8,478
APR-JUN	5,549	5,024	JUL 1,	8,550
JUL-SEP	6,027	5,019	OCT 1,	9,306
OCT-DEC	8,354	4,950	JAN 1, 1976	12,328
<u>1976</u>				
JAN-MAR	5,430	6,345	APR 1,	10,900
APR-JUN	5,614	5,941	JUL 1,	10,054
JUL-SEP	5,702	6,200	OCT 1,	9,282
OCT-DEC	8,762	5,684	JAN 1, 1977	11,948
<u>1977</u>				
JAN-MAR	5,614	6,462	APR 1,	10,619
APR-JUN	6,007	6,147	JUL 1,	9,765
JUL-SEP	6,479	6,159	OCT 1,	9,793
OCT-DEC	9,551	6,085	JAN 1, 1978	12,811
<u>1978</u>				
JAN-MAR	6,490	6,771	APR 1,	11,741
APR-JUN	6,558	6,621	JUL 1,	10,924
JUL-SEP	7,352	6,523	OCT 1,	11,347
OCT-DEC	8,656	6,730	JAN 1, 1979	12,665

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Estimates in this Cattle on Feed Report are based on data provided voluntarily by cattle feeders. The State Statistical Offices maintain an up-to-date list of cattle feeders stratified by feedlot capacity. Data are collected by mail and by personal and telephone interviews on or about the 1st day of each survey period. Survey procedures are designed to obtain reports from all feeders in the larger size strata, and feeders in the small size strata are sampled. Of the total inventory of cattle on feed for this report 70 percent was actually reported in the survey.

CATTLE ON FEED - NUMBER ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, MARKETINGS AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE
 OCT 1, 1976-1978 - JAN 1, 1977-1979
 23 STATES

ITEM		NUMBER			1978 AS % OF	
		1976	1977	1978	1976	1977
		1000 HEAD			PERCENT	
ON FEED	OCT 1-----	9282	9793	11347	122	116
PLACED ON FEED	OCT 1 - DEC 31 1/-	8762	9551	8656	99	91
FED CATTLE MARKETED	OCT 1 - DEC 31 1/-	5684	6085	6730	118	111
OTHER DISAPPEARANCE	OCT 1 - DEC 31 2/-	412	448	608	148	136

					1979 AS % OF	
		1977	1978	1979	1977	1978

ON FEED	JAN 1-----	11948	12811	12665	106	99
KINDS ON FEED JAN 1						
	STEERS AND STEER CALVES-----	7813	8343	8501	109	102
	HEIFERS AND HEIFER CALVES-----	4069	4410	4085	100	93
	COWS AND OTHER-----	66	58	79	120	136
NUMBER ON FEED BY WEIGHT GROUPS JAN 1						
	STEERS AND STEER CALVES					
	LESS THAN 500 POUNDS-----	634	781	689	109	88
	500-699 POUNDS-----	1665	1869	1562	94	84
	700-899 POUNDS-----	2804	2936	2799	100	95
	900-1099 POUNDS-----	2258	2344	2846	126	121
	1100 POUNDS AND OVER-----	452	413	605	134	146
	HEIFERS AND HEIFER CALVES					
	LESS THAN 500 POUNDS-----	653	755	575	88	76
	500-699 POUNDS-----	1295	1522	1335	103	88
	700-899 POUNDS-----	1484	1543	1483	100	96
	900 POUNDS AND OVER-----	637	590	692	109	117
MARKETINGS	JAN - MAR-----	6462 3/	6771 3/	6827 4/	106	101

- 1/ INCLUDES CATTLE PLACED ON FEED AFTER BEGINNING OF QUARTER AND MARKETED BEFORE END OF QUARTER.
 2/ INCLUDES DEATH LOSSES, MOVEMENT FROM FEEDLOTS TO PASTURES AND SHIPMENTS TO OTHER FEEDLOTS FOR FURTHER FEEDING.
 3/ TOTAL MARKETINGS INCLUDING THOSE PLACED ON FEED AFTER JAN 1 AND MARKETED BEFORE MAR 31.
 4/ EXPECTED TOTAL MARKETINGS INCLUDING AN ALLOWANCE FOR THOSE PLACED ON FEED AFTER JAN 1 AND MARKETED BEFORE MAR 31.

CATTLE ON FEED - NUMBER ON FEED BY QUARTERS
 JAN 1, 1979 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

STATE	1977		1978			JAN 1, 1979	
	JAN. 1	JAN. 1	APR. 1	JUL. 1	OCT. 1	NUMBER	AS % OF 1978
	1000 HEAD					PERCENT	
ARIZ	361	422	352	376	442	490	116
CALIF	812	845	535	686	844	796	94
COLO	915	1020	940	910	935	1080	106
IDAHO	248	249	242	228	219	224	90
ILL	620	650	610	460	400	490	75
IND	290	315	265	205	190	280	89
IOWA	1520	1690	1560	1300	1250	1620	96
KANS	1315	1400	1365	1390	1400	1440	103
MICH	215	200	190	160	155	180	90
MINN	340	400	400	330	280	400	100
MO	255	220	185	135	125	180	82
MONT	83	81	60	52	30	80	99
NEBR	1580	1700	1700	1450	1640	1800	106
N MEX	163	206	191	157	193	202	98
N DAK	35	33	28	38	27	38	115
OHIO	325	295	250	170	155	225	76
OKLA	305	360	335	337	355	345	96
OREG	88	98	76	70	68	75	77
PA	92	98	82	55	58	86	88
S DAK	370	365	260	265	250	340	93
TEX	1710	1850	1810	1870	2030	2000	108
WASH	176	184	183	174	201	188	102
WIS	130	130	122	106	100	106	82
23 STATES	11948	12811	11741	10924	11347	12665	99

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

CATTLE ON FEED - NUMBER PLACED ON FEED, BY QUARTERS,
 OCT 1977 - DEC 1978 1/

STATE	OCT - DEC 1977		OCT - DEC 1978		NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	OCT - DEC 1977	JAN - MAR 1978	APR - JUN 1978	JUL - SEP 1978		
	1000 HEAD				PERCENT	
ARIZ	267	139	212	255	232	87
CALIF	609	302	563	494	470	77
COLO	761	665	632	649	760	100
IDAHO	183	116	103	126	143	78
ILL	410	225	110	210	330	80
IND	190	70	75	100	175	92
IOWA	1382	707	635	850	1275	92
KANS	1112	900	937	939	929	84
MICH	97	47	48	67	98	101
MINN	300	220	140	148	300	100
MO	150	60	45	60	145	97
MONT	59	36	15	16	72	122
NEBR	1455	1090	1020	1190	1340	92
N MEX	139	91	64	127	94	68
N DAK	26	11	24	10	29	112
OHIO	166	65	44	84	145	87
OKLA	255	210	218	235	214	84
OREG	61	36	42	43	47	77
PA	61	15	16	29	50	82
S DAK	265	110	140	130	245	92
TEX	1405	1232	1345	1425	1410	100
WASH	115	100	97	123	102	89
WIS	83	43	33	42	51	61
23 STATES	9551	6490	6558	7352	8656	91

1/ INCLUDES CATTLE PLACED ON FEED AFTER BEGINNING OF QUARTER AND MARKETED BEFORE END OF QUARTER.

CATTLE ON FEED - FED CATTLE MARKETED, BY QUARTERS, OCT 1977 - DEC 1978 1/

STATE	OCT - DEC 1978					NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	OCT - DEC 1977	JAN - MAR 1978	APR - JUN 1978	JUL - SEP 1978	OCT - DEC 1978		
	1000 HEAD					PERCENT	
ARIZ	146	158	161	158	156	107	
CALIF	353	395	321	281	418	118	
COLO	502	695	590	592	578	115	
IDAHO	112	118	112	132	133	119	
ILL	200	250	240	260	230	115	
IND	74	95	115	107	79	107	
IOWA	807	772	790	840	840	104	
KANS	874	875	859	892	845	97	
MICH	65	55	75	70	71	109	
MINN	189	211	190	190	164	87	
MO	65	80	80	60	75	115	
MONT	16	43	20	36	19	119	
NEBR	940	1015	1100	950	1105	118	
N MEX	71	94	96	75	72	101	
N DAK	16	15	13	20	18	113	
OHIO	60	100	114	97	71	118	
OKLA	185	215	201	210	207	112	
OREG	40	52	42	44	37	93	
PA	26	28	38	25	19	73	
S DAK	142	170	110	135	140	99	
TEX	1060	1194	1210	1211	1300	123	
WASH	96	96	102	95	113	118	
WIS	46	45	42	43	40	87	
23 STATES	6085	6771	6621	6523	6730	111	

1/ INCLUDES CATTLE PLACED ON FEED AFTER BEGINNING OF QUARTER AND MARKETED BEFORE END OF QUARTER.

CATTLE ON FEED - OTHER DISAPPEARANCE, BY QUARTERS, OCT 1977 - DEC 1978 1/

STATE	OCT - DEC 1978					NUMBER	AS % OF 1977
	OCT - DEC 1977	JAN - MAR 1978	APR - JUN 1978	JUL - SEP 1978	OCT - DEC 1978		
	1000 HEAD					PERCENT	
ARIZ	19	51	27	31	28	147	
CALIF	79	217	91	55	100	127	
COLO	29	50	72	32	37	128	
IDAHO	5	5	5	3	5	100	
ILL	10	15	20	10	10	100	
IND	6	25	20	8	6	100	
IOWA	35	65	105	60	65	186	
KANS	38	60	53	37	44	116	
MICH	2	2	3	2	2	100	
MINN	11	9	20	8	16	145	
MO	15	15	15	10	15	100	
MONT	2	14	3	2	3	150	
NEBR	75	75	170	50	75	100	
N MEX	11	12	2	16	13	118	
N DAK	0	1	1	1	0	0	
OHIO	6	10	10	2	4	67	
OKLA	10	20	15	7	17	170	
OREG	3	6	6	1	3	100	
PA	3	3	5	1	3	100	
S DAK	18	45	25	10	15	83	
TEX	65	78	75	54	140	215	
WASH	1	5	4	1	2	200	
WIS	5	6	7	5	5	100	
23 STATES	448	789	754	406	608	136	

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

CATTLE ON FEED - EXPECTED TOTAL MARKETINGS - JAN 1 - MAR 31, 1979 WITH COMPARISONS

STATE	TOTAL MARKETINGS 1/		EXPECTED TOTAL MARKETINGS 2/	
	JAN-MAR, 1978		JAN-MAR, 1979	
	NUMBER		NUMBER	AS % OF 1978
	1000 HEAD		1000 HEAD	PERCENT
ARIZ	158		190	120
CALIF	395		450	114
COLO	695		740	106
IDAHO	118		125	106
ILL	250		240	96
IND	95		98	103
IOWA	772		730	95
KANS	875		900	103
MICH	55		52	95
MINN	211		190	90
MO	80		75	94
MONT	43		35	81
NEBR	1015		1130	111
N MEX	94		90	96
N DAK	15		22	147
OHIO	100		98	98
OKLA	215		190	88
OREG	52		40	77
PA	28		26	93
S DAK	170		160	94
TEX	1194		1100	92
WASH	96		100	104
WIS	45		46	102
23 STATES	6771		6827	101

1/ TOTAL MARKETINGS OF CATTLE INCLUDING THOSE PLACED ON FEED AFTER JAN 1 AND MARKETED BEFORE MAR 31.

2/ EXPECTED TOTAL MARKETINGS INCLUDING AN ALLOWANCE FOR THOSE PLACED ON FEED AFTER JAN 1 AND MARKETED BEFORE MAR 31.

CATTLE ON FEED - NUMBER ON FEED BY CLASSES, BY QUARTERS,
JAN 1, 1978 - JAN 1, 1979

STATE	STEERS AND STEER CALVES					HEIFERS AND HEIFER CALVES					COWS AND OTHERS									
	1978					1979					1978					1979				
	JAN	APR	JUL	OCT	JAN	JAN	APR	JUL	OCT	JAN	JAN	APR	JUL	OCT	JAN					
	1000 HEAD					1000 HEAD					1000 HEAD									
ARIZ	397	334	353	428	466	22	17	15	13	22	3	1	8	1	2					
CALIF	752	476	604	772	716	85	54	80	69	72	8	5	2	3	8					
COLO	551	477	449	493	594	464	456	454	438	481	5	7	7	4	5					
IDAHO	172	163	157	160	159	75	77	69	57	63	2	2	2	2	2					
ILL	384	354	248	208	270	266	256	212	192	220	0	0	0	0	0					
IND	189	154	113	106	162	123	110	90	82	115	3	1	2	2	3					
IOWA	1080	965	829	848	1045	605	591	466	399	567	5	4	5	3	8					
KANS	868	915	846	924	1051	532	450	541	472	389	0	0	3	4	0					
MICH	173	161	139	136	154	25	28	20	17	25	2	1	1	2	1					
MINN	248	244	211	190	256	148	156	119	90	140	4	0	0	0	4					
MO	145	118	91	84	126	73	65	43	40	52	2	2	1	1	2					
MONT	40	24	22	11	38	38	35	29	18	41	3	1	1	1	1					
NEBR	1054	1015	833	932	1110	643	680	609	705	684	3	5	8	3	6					
N MEX	101	105	87	114	125	103	85	69	77	75	2	1	1	2	2					
N DAK	18	16	23	15	23	14	12	15	12	14	1	0	0	0	1					
OHIO	233	185	126	123	176	59	63	42	30	47	3	2	2	2	2					
OKLA	238	211	219	252	248	122	124	118	103	97	0	0	0	0	0					
OREG	65	57	48	48	55	30	18	19	18	17	3	1	3	2	3					
PA	87	71	47	51	76	9	8	6	4	8	2	3	2	3	2					
S DAK	226	156	159	147	202	135	101	101	103	133	4	3	5	0	5					
TEX	1091	995	1047	1218	1220	757	813	823	812	760	2	2	0	0	20					
WASH	132	124	124	149	139	52	57	50	52	47	0	2	0	0	2					
WIS	99	94	83	77	90	30	27	22	22	16	1	1	1	1	0					
23 STATES	8343	7414	6858	7486	8501	4410	4283	4012	3825	4085	58	44	54	36	79					

STEERS AND STEER CALVES - NUMBER ON FEED BY WEIGHT GROUPS, BY QUARTERS
 JAN 1, 1978 - JAN 1, 1979

STATE	UNDER 500 POUNDS					500-699 POUNDS					700-899 POUNDS									
	1978					1979					1978					1979				
	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1					
	1000 HEAD					1000 HEAD					1000 HEAD									
ARIZ	105	81	78	188	107	106	81	71	86	114	121	110	108	81	130					
CALIF	128	62	68	167	129	196	95	170	128	200	248	190	221	222	186					
COLO	26	21	11	12	18	68	90	53	51	55	195	144	152	169	148					
IDAHO	14	2	2	2	3	34	28	13	10	22	65	54	64	57	53					
ILL	38	14	5	8	16	112	110	49	27	60	119	113	102	73	89					
IND	24	15	5	9	15	64	40	20	24	44	57	51	42	34	58					
IOWA	108	29	16	8	115	335	270	91	110	251	324	309	340	263	313					
KANS	69	18	59	46	52	122	210	144	203	126	347	348	398	370	431					
MICH	15	7	4	4	6	45	30	28	25	33	48	60	46	48	51					
MINN	50	20	6	9	23	74	80	30	25	69	55	73	101	61	74					
MO	19	10	3	4	17	42	40	19	16	32	43	39	42	36	39					
MONT	3	0	0	0	1	17	7	2	1	14	10	12	9	3	12					
NEBR	42	40	2	9	11	148	132	100	103	100	453	244	314	391	366					
N MEX	12	19	18	34	22	25	19	10	41	26	40	43	37	22	54					
N DAK	2	0	0	0	0	5	9	3	0	7	5	3	16	4	8					
OHIO	21	11	3	5	7	74	52	14	19	42	84	67	54	43	62					
OKLA	7	6	0	15	5	33	44	22	50	57	81	70	96	73	84					
OREG	3	2	0	1	2	24	22	8	10	19	21	19	19	19	16					
PA	3	1	1	1	3	15	6	5	7	11	36	20	10	18	24					
S DAK	14	2	2	1	21	52	65	25	7	39	67	44	73	46	63					
TEX	65	60	32	49	110	251	209	272	280	220	425	378	429	475	476					
WASH	3	0	0	0	1	9	24	6	4	7	58	42	63	63	38					
WIS	10	9	4	5	5	18	21	13	9	14	34	26	24	22	24					
23 STATES	781	429	319	577	689	1869	1684	1168	1236	1562	2936	2459	2760	2593	2799					

STATE	900-1099 POUNDS					1100 POUNDS AND OVER				
	1978					1979				
	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1
	1000 HEAD					1000 HEAD				
ARIZ	63	55	92	60	97	2	7	4	13	18
CALIF	158	119	141	234	172	22	10	4	21	29
COLO	213	159	201	188	307	49	63	32	73	66
IDAHO	51	60	61	56	62	8	19	17	35	19
ILL	96	103	77	85	86	19	14	15	15	19
IND	40	43	37	36	40	4	5	9	3	5
IOWA	238	289	307	365	293	75	68	75	102	73
KANS	295	293	236	240	368	35	46	9	65	74
MICH	52	52	47	45	50	13	12	14	14	14
MINN	54	54	61	87	67	15	17	13	8	23
MO	38	27	24	24	33	3	2	3	4	5
MONT	9	4	11	6	11	1	1	0	1	0
NEBR	348	477	317	345	500	63	122	100	84	133
N MEX	23	23	19	16	20	1	1	3	1	3
N DAK	5	3	4	11	5	1	1	0	0	3
OHIO	49	48	48	49	58	5	7	7	7	7
OKLA	100	72	90	96	89	17	19	11	18	13
OREG	14	11	19	16	16	3	3	2	2	2
PA	27	33	20	19	29	6	11	11	6	9
S DAK	66	36	48	73	63	27	9	11	20	16
TEX	328	328	304	378	378	22	20	10	36	36
WASH	51	46	41	69	76	11	12	14	13	17
WIS	26	26	33	31	26	11	12	9	10	21
23 STATES	2344	2361	2238	2529	2846	413	481	373	551	605

HEIFERS AND HEIFER CALVES - NUMBER ON FEED BY WEIGHT GROUPS, BY QUARTERS,
 JAN 1, 1978 - JAN 1, 1979

STATE	UNDER 500 POUNDS					500 - 699 POUNDS				
	1978					1979				
	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1
	1000 HEAD					1000 HEAD				
ARIZ	8	2	3	4	10	8	9	5	4	5
CALIF	17	9	2	9	8	22	12	28	15	16
COLO	43	31	22	18	18	129	169	116	113	138
IDAHO	10	3	2	1	3	26	28	15	9	14
ILL	53	23	4	12	20	99	125	66	69	79
IND	32	15	3	10	18	54	62	32	32	52
IOWA	133	35	14	12	119	194	266	98	84	170
KANS	48	23	27	28	27	197	171	195	184	128
MICH	4	3	1	1	5	12	14	7	4	10
MINN	49	11	3	7	22	46	89	36	23	55
MO	17	8	4	4	11	29	28	18	15	18
MONT	3	1	0	0	1	17	19	3	1	20
NEBR	45	20	10	14	34	174	258	195	141	144
N MEX	31	19	15	33	20	45	34	23	22	32
N DAK	3	1	0	0	1	3	8	3	1	4
OHIO	14	8	2	4	6	26	32	13	9	23
OKLA	12	7	4	16	12	46	54	38	34	41
OREG	1	1	0	0	2	8	6	7	8	6
PA	1	1	1	1	2	4	3	2	1	3
S DAK	19	4	3	3	20	39	64	47	24	32
TEX	204	260	214	195	213	326	317	321	317	334
WASH	1	0	0	1	1	10	15	3	7	7
WIS	7	3	1	2	2	8	12	8	7	4
23 STATES	755	488	335	375	575	1522	1795	1279	1124	1335

STATE	700 - 899 POUNDS					900 POUNDS AND OVER				
	1978					1979				
	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1	JAN 1	APR 1	JUL 1	OCT 1	JAN 1
	1000 HEAD					1000 HEAD				
ARIZ	6	5	6	4	6	0	1	1	1	1
CALIF	30	27	40	28	38	16	6	10	17	10
COLO	174	162	215	194	214	118	94	101	113	111
IDAHO	30	30	44	27	23	9	16	8	20	23
ILL	90	87	121	90	90	24	21	21	21	31
IND	34	30	45	33	36	3	3	10	7	9
IOWA	187	207	256	187	176	91	83	98	116	102
KANS	229	193	248	161	164	58	63	71	99	70
MICH	7	9	10	8	8	2	2	2	4	2
MINN	38	48	69	38	45	15	8	11	22	18
MO	20	24	18	16	18	7	5	3	5	5
MONT	10	11	20	6	15	8	4	6	11	5
NEBR	276	252	276	338	294	148	150	128	212	212
N MEX	26	28	25	14	19	1	4	6	8	4
N DAK	6	2	10	8	4	2	1	2	3	5
OHIO	16	18	21	12	15	3	5	6	5	3
OKLA	48	42	62	40	32	16	21	14	13	12
OREG	15	10	10	9	7	6	1	2	1	2
PA	3	3	3	1	2	1	1	0	1	1
S DAK	54	25	46	58	51	23	8	5	18	30
TEX	204	212	247	268	190	23	24	41	32	23
WASH	29	27	29	23	29	12	15	18	21	10
WIS	11	8	10	10	7	4	4	3	3	3
23 STATES	1543	1460	1831	1573	1483	590	540	567	753	692

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, MARKETED, AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE,
BY STATES, JAN 1 TO JAN 1

STATE	NUMBER ON FEED			PLACED			MARKETED			OTHER DISAPPEARANCE		
	1977	1978	1978-77	1977	1978	1978-77	1977	1978	1978-77	1977	1978	1978-77
	1,000 HEAD	PERCENT		1,000 HEAD	PERCENT		1,000 HEAD	PERCENT		1,000 HEAD	PERCENT	
	JAN 1			DURING JAN			DURING JAN			DURING JAN		
ARIZ	361	422	117	51	39	76	45	54	120	8	11	138
CALIF	812	845	104	90	90	100	171	152	89	37	115	311
COLO	915	1,020	111	170	183	108	209	205	98	6	18	300
IOWA	1,520	1,690	111	210	252	120	240	272	113	10	20	200
KANS	1,315	1,400	106	255	280	110	277	285	103	13	15	115
NEBR	1,580	1,700	108	280	385	138	310	365	118	20	20	100
TEX	1,710	1,850	108	313	420	134	350	417	119	13	13	100
7 STATES	8,213	8,927	109	1,369	1,649	120	1,602	1,750	109	107	212	198
	FEB 1			DURING FEB			DURING FEB			DURING FEB		
ARIZ	359	396	110	52	47	90	57	52	91	16	21	131
CALIF	694	668	96	109	100	92	137	127	93	33	65	197
COLO	870	980	113	190	225	118	209	250	120	6	10	167
IOWA	1,480	1,650	111	210	225	107	215	225	105	15	20	133
KANS	1,280	1,380	108	270	270	100	277	295	106	13	20	154
NEBR	1,530	1,700	111	305	305	100	320	350	109	15	15	100
TEX	1,660	1,840	111	226	347	154	352	377	107	14	30	214
7 STATES	7,873	8,614	109	1,362	1,519	112	1,567	1,676	107	112	181	162
	MAR 1			DURING MAR			DURING MAR			DURING MAR		
ARIZ	338	370	109	54	53	98	69	52	75	3	19	633
CALIF	633	576	91	157	112	71	130	116	89	19	37	195
COLO	845	945	112	205	257	125	231	240	104	9	22	244
IOWA	1,460	1,630	112	190	230	121	230	275	120	20	25	125
KANS	1,260	1,335	106	260	350	135	320	295	92	20	25	125
NEBR	1,500	1,640	109	320	400	125	350	300	86	20	40	200
TEX	1,520	1,780	117	360	465	129	380	400	105	20	35	175
7 STATES	7,556	8,276	110	1,546	1,867	121	1,710	1,678	98	111	203	183
	APR 1			DURING APR			DURING APR			DURING APR		
ARIZ	320	352	110	89	62	70	57	49	86	8	15	188
CALIF	641	535	83	197	106	54	117	103	88	23	27	117
COLO	810	940	116	228	186	82	190	200	105	13	16	123
IOWA	1,400	1,560	111	180	220	122	230	240	104	40	40	100
KANS	1,180	1,365	116	310	272	88	270	314	116	30	23	77
NEBR	1,450	1,700	117	300	340	113	320	370	116	50	70	140
TEX	1,480	1,810	122	344	349	101	370	425	115	14	44	314
7 STATES	7,281	8,262	113	1,648	1,535	93	1,554	1,701	109	178	235	132
	MAY 1			DURING MAY			DURING MAY			DURING MAY		
ARIZ	344	350	102	65	80	123	55	54	98	17	6	35
CALIF	698	511	73	176	190	108	133	108	81	40	25	63
COLO	835	910	109	203	261	129	177	190	107	31	36	116
IOWA	1,310	1,500	115	190	215	113	240	260	108	40	35	88
KANS	1,190	1,300	109	290	400	138	230	286	124	45	14	31
NEBR	1,380	1,600	116	265	380	133	320	340	106	65	70	108
TEX	1,440	1,690	117	380	504	133	324	435	134	16	19	119
7 STATES	7,197	7,861	109	1,589	2,030	128	1,479	1,673	113	254	205	81
	JUN 1			DURING JUN			DURING JUN			DURING JUN		
ARIZ	337	370	110	51	70	137	60	58	97	7	6	86
CALIF	701	568	81	113	267	236	141	110	78	15	39	260
COLO	830	945	114	180	185	103	189	200	106	11	20	182
IOWA	1,220	1,420	116	170	200	118	220	290	132	10	30	300
KANS	1,205	1,400	116	272	265	97	265	259	98	17	16	94
NEBR	1,280	1,570	123	270	300	111	320	390	122	30	30	100
TEX	1,480	1,740	118	412	492	119	351	350	100	11	12	109
7 STATES	7,053	8,013	114	1,468	1,779	121	1,546	1,657	107	101	153	151

CATTLE AND CALVES: NUMBER ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, MARKETED, AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE,
BY STATES, JAN 1 TO JAN 1

STATE	NUMBER ON FEED			PLACED			MARKETED			OTHER DISAPPEARANCE		
	1977	1978	1978-77	1977	1978	1978-77	1977	1978	1978-77	1977	1978	1978-77
	1,000 HEAD	HEAD	PERCENT	1,000 HEAD	PERCENT		1,000 HEAD	PERCENT		1,000 HEAD	PERCENT	
		JUL 1			DURING JUL			DURING JUL			DURING JUL	
ARIZ	321	376	117	73	75	103	55	56	102	3	6	200
CALIF	658	686	104	152	141	93	130	89	68	8	10	125
COLO	810	910	112	169	167	99	190	190	100	4	7	175
IOWA	1,160	1,300	112	190	240	126	210	280	133	10	20	200
KANS	1,195	1,390	116	243	264	109	232	284	122	8	10	125
NEBR	1,200	1,450	121	305	230	75	310	295	95	15	15	100
TEX	1,530	1,870	122	362	450	124	315	410	130	7	10	143
7 STATES	6,874	7,982	116	1,494	1,567	105	1,442	1,604	111	55	78	142
		AUG 1			DURING AUG			DURING AUG			DURING AUG	
ARIZ	336	389	116	33	78	236	52	57	110	2	7	350
CALIF	672	728	108	169	148	88	151	96	64	9	18	200
COLO	785	880	112	159	191	120	206	218	106	6	13	163
IOWA	1,130	1,240	110	200	260	130	240	280	117	10	20	200
KANS	1,198	1,360	114	269	295	110	272	308	113	5	17	340
NEBR	1,180	1,370	116	315	360	114	300	310	103	15	20	133
TEX	1,570	1,900	121	366	425	116	377	405	107	9	20	222
7 STATES	6,871	7,867	114	1,511	1,757	116	1,598	1,674	105	58	115	198
		SEP 1			DURING SEP			DURING SEP			DURING SEP	
ARIZ	315	403	128	59	102	173	50	45	90	4	18	450
CALIF	681	762	112	156	205	131	149	96	64	20	27	135
COLO	730	840	115	254	291	115	188	184	98	6	12	200
IOWA	1,080	1,200	111	310	350	113	230	280	122	10	20	200
KANS	1,190	1,330	112	290	380	131	270	300	111	10	10	100
NEBR	1,180	1,400	119	380	600	158	295	345	117	5	15	300
TEX	1,550	1,900	123	380	550	145	348	396	114	12	24	200
7 STATES	6,726	7,835	116	1,829	2,478	135	1,530	1,646	108	67	126	188
		OCT 1			DURING OCT			DURING OCT			DURING OCT	
ARIZ	320	442	138	103	110	107	53	46	87	4	2	50
CALIF	668	844	126	279	169	61	120	152	127	20	23	115
COLO	790	935	118	355	360	101	187	217	116	8	13	163
IOWA	1,150	1,250	109	400	410	103	280	300	107	10	20	200
KANS	1,200	1,400	117	424	410	97	314	320	102	13	15	115
NEBR	1,260	1,640	130	670	590	88	285	380	133	35	40	114
TEX	1,570	2,030	129	655	730	111	350	450	129	25	40	160
7 STATES	6,958	8,541	123	2,886	2,779	96	1,589	1,865	117	115	153	133
		NOV 1			DURING NOV			DURING NOV			DURING NOV	
ARIZ	366	504	138	92	59	64	50	51	102	8	5	63
CALIF	807	838	104	178	157	88	103	159	154	30	33	110
COLO	950	1,065	112	205	230	112	150	187	125	10	13	130
IOWA	1,260	1,340	106	500	475	95	230	260	113	10	15	150
KANS	1,297	1,475	114	298	239	80	300	275	92	15	9	60
NEBR	1,610	1,810	112	365	360	99	275	325	118	30	25	83
TEX	1,850	2,270	123	400	370	93	380	460	121	20	60	300
7 STATES	8,140	9,302	114	2,038	1,890	93	1,488	1,717	115	123	160	130
		DEC 1			DURING DEC			DURING DEC			DURING DEC	
ARIZ	400	507	127	72	63	88	43	59	137	7	21	300
CALIF	852	803	94	152	144	95	130	107	82	29	44	152
COLO	995	1,095	110	201	170	85	165	174	105	11	11	100
IOWA	1,520	1,540	101	482	390	81	297	280	94	15	30	200
KANS	1,280	1,430	112	390	280	72	260	250	96	10	20	200
NEBR	1,670	1,820	109	420	390	93	380	400	105	10	10	100
TEX	1,850	2,120	115	350	310	89	330	390	118	20	40	200
7 STATES	8,567	9,315	109	2,067	1,747	85	1,605	1,660	103	102	176	173
	1978	1979	1979-78									
		JAN 1										
ARIZ	422	490	116									
CALIF	845	796	94									
COLO	1,020	1,080	106									
IOWA	1,690	1,620	96									
KANS	1,400	1,440	103									
NEBR	1,700	1,800	106									
TEX	1,850	2,000	108									
7 STATES	8,927	9,226	103									

NUMBER OF CATTLE FEEDLOTS AND FED CATTLE MARKETED--BY SIZE OF FEEDLOT CAPACITY
BY STATES - 1977 AND 1978 1/

STATE AND YEAR	: UNDER 1,000 HEAD :		1,000 HEAD AND OVER FEEDLOT CAPACITY							
	: FEEDLOT CAPACITY :		1,000-1,999 :		2,000-3,999 :		4,000-7,999 :		8,000-15,999	
	LOTS	CATTLE	LOTS	CATTLE	LOTS	CATTLE	LOTS	CATTLE	LOTS	CATTLE
	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:	: MARKETED:
	(NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD (NO.)	1,000 HEAD
1977										
ARIZ	3	1	5	8	8	15	4	25	5	53
CALIF	26	10	14	19	12	26	22	127	31	410
COLO	276	143	72	133	60	248	26	219	19	278
IDAHO	485	43	16	15	19	45	9	49	8	107
ILL	13,925	813	60	77	*15	*50				
IND	10,480	311	15	27	5	14				
IOWA	32,711	2,305	205	226	58	139	17	86	9	106
KANS	5,841	374	41	37	21	105	24	215	44	944
MICH	1,508	210	33	40	*9	*27				
MINN	11,142	693	40	38	15	17	3	10		
MO	7,959	282	21	17	16	14	4	10		
MONT	61	6	8	5	13	21	15	65	*4	*37
NEBR	14,000	1,525	180	390	90	330	48	355	29	550
N MEX	3				*9	*17	9	35	16	168
N DAK	886	29	*12	*34						
OHIO	7,775	347	*25	*56						
OKLA	321	28	4	5	10	39	9	68	9	152
OREG	482	33	*3	4	8	13	3	30	*4	*92
PA	*6,000	*115								
S DAK	8,534	323	38	40	16	33	7	53	*5	*123
TEX	1,044	146	18	22	14	38	25	206	35	604
WASH	72	28	*8	*13			9	65	6	88
WIS	6,485	154	11	13	*4	*12				
23 STATES:										
2/	130,018	7,917	824	1,177	401	1,186	239	1,654	221	3,583
1978										
ARIZ			*5	*57	*8	*25			6	82
CALIF	23	8	12	9	19	34	20	82	28	345
COLO	217	162	76	135	60	258	23	196	22	327
IDAHO	284	24	16	29	23	60	14	48	6	76
ILL	13,925	860	60	80	15	40				
IND	10,078	350	16	29	6	17				
IOWA	32,701	2,565	205	267	65	174	20	98	9	138
KANS	5,331	617	44	54	26	85	25	198	44	887
MICH	1,453	195	38	46	*9	*30				
MINN	10,850	691	35	36	12	18	3	10		
MO	7,970	253	14	18	13	12	3	12		
MONT	75	4	13	10	13	16	*18	*88		
NEBR	13,500	1,630	200	460	90	380	47	415	29	565
N MEX					*6	*7	10	38	13	167
N DAK	1,488	37	9	12	*3	*17				
OHIO	6,975	332	22	35	*3	*15				
OKLA	320	31	5	7	12	45	6	50	10	150
OREG	480	35	4	3	9	20	3	23	*4	*94
PA	*6,000	*110								
S DAK	8,353	404	34	44	9	34	*4	*73		
TEX	959	80	19	20	13	50	26	242	36	697
WASH	56	11	6	9	3	5	7	49	7	109
WIS	4,484	150	12	13	4	7				
23 STATES:										
2/	125,523	8,542	845	1,374	412	1,300	230	1,568	217	3,626

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NUMBER OF CATTLE FEEDLOTS AND FED CATTLE MARKETED--BY SIZE OF FEEDLOT CAPACITY
BY STATES - 1977 AND 1978 1/

STATE AND YEAR	1,000 HEAD AND OVER FEEDLOT CAPACITY						TOTAL ALL FEEDLOTS	
	16,000-31,999		32,000 AND OVER		TOTAL		LOTS	CATTLE
	LOTS (NO.)	CATTLE MARKETED 1,000 HEAD	LOTS (NO.)	CATTLE MARKETED 1,000 HEAD	LOTS (NO.)	CATTLE MARKETED 1,000 HEAD	(NO.)	1,000 HEAD
1977								
ARIZ	7	139	9	405	38	645	41	646
CALIF	26	578	6	442	111	1,602	137	1,612
COLO	16	576	6	694	199	2,148	475	2,291
IDAHO	7	179			59	395	544	438
ILL					75	127	14,000	940
IND					20	41	10,500	352
IOWA					289	557	33,000	2,862
KANS	21	940	8	672	159	2,913	6,000	3,287
MICH					42	67	1,550	277
MINN					58	65	11,200	758
MO					41	41	8,000	323
MONT					40	128	101	134
NEBR	9	340	4	295	360	2,260	14,360	3,785
N MEX	3	74			37	294	40	294
N DAK					12	34	898	63
OHIO					25	56	7,800	403
OKLA	*7	*440			39	704	360	732
OREG					18	139	500	172
PA							*6,000	*115
S DAK					66	249	8,600	572
TEX	40	1,555	24	1,656	156	4,081	1,200	4,227
WASH	*3	*197			26	363	98	391
WIS					15	25	6,500	179
23 STATES 2/	140	4,846	61	4,490	1,886	16,936	131,904	24,853
1978								
ARIZ	3	70	9	399	30	633	31	633
CALIF	21	476	7	461	107	1,407	130	1,415
COLO	15	567	7	810	203	2,293	420	2,455
IDAHO	7	258			66	471	350	495
ILL					75	120	14,000	980
IND					22	46	10,100	396
IOWA					299	677	33,000	3,242
KANS	22	898	8	732	169	2,854	5,500	3,471
MICH					47	76	1,500	271
MINN					50	64	10,900	755
MO					30	42	8,000	295
MONT					44	114	119	118
NEBR	9	390	4	330	379	2,540	13,879	4,170
N MEX	5	125			33	337	34	337
N DAK					12	29	1,500	66
OHIO					25	50	7,000	382
OKLA	*7	*550			40	802	360	833
OREG					20	140	500	175
PA							*6,000	*110
S DAK					47	151	8,400	555
TEX	41	1,846	26	1,980	161	4,835	1,120	4,915
WASH	*3	*223			26	395	82	406
WIS					16	20	4,500	170
23 STATES 2/	133	5,081	65	5,154	1,902	18,103	127,425	26,645

1/ NUMBER OF FEEDLOTS WITH 1,000 HEAD OR MORE CAPACITY IS NUMBER OF LOTS OPERATING ANYTIME DURING YEAR. NUMBER UNDER 1,000 HEAD CAPACITY IS NUMBER AT END OF YEAR. 2/ THE 23 STATE TOTALS SHOW ACTUAL NUMBER OF FEEDLOTS AND NUMBER OF ANIMALS MARKETED IN EACH SIZE GROUP. THE SUM OF NUMBERS SHOWN BY STATES UNDER A SPECIFIED SIZE GROUP MAY NOT ADD TO 23 STATE TOTAL FOR THAT SIZE GROUP, SINCE FOR SOME STATES SIZE GROUPS ARE COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. *LOTS AND MARKETINGS FROM OTHER SIZE GROUPS ARE INCLUDED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.