

# Cattle on Feed



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## CATTLE ON FEED IN 7 STATES UP 6 PERCENT FROM LAST YEAR

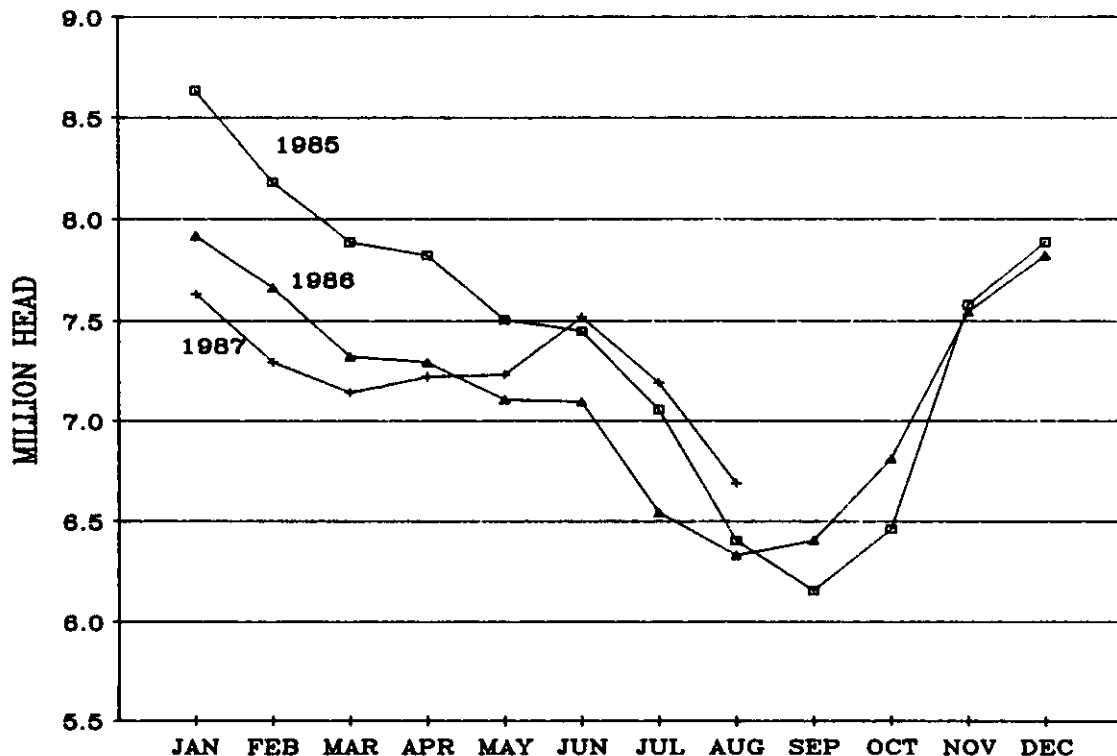
Cattle and calves on feed August 1 for slaughter market in the 7 States preparing monthly estimates totaled 6.69 million head, up 6 percent from a year ago and 4 percent above August 1, 1985, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board.

MARKETINGS of fed cattle during July totaled 1.69 million head, slightly above last year and 1 percent above July two years ago. This is the greatest number marketed during July since 7 State estimates were begun in 1972.

PLACEMENTS of cattle and calves on feed in the 7 States during July totaled 1.26 million, down 18 percent from last year but 17 percent above July 1985. NET PLACEMENTS for July, of 1.19 million, are 20 percent below last year but 17 percent above July two years ago.

OTHER DISAPPEARANCE totaled 74 thousand head, compared with 64 thousand during July 1986 and 61 thousand during July 1985.

## CATTLE ON FEED 7 STATES



CATTLE ON FEED: NUMBER ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, MARKETINGS AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE,  
7 STATES, JUL 1 TO AUG 1

ITEM	NUMBER			1987 AS % OF	
	1985	1986	1987	1985	1986
	1000 HEAD			PERCENT	
ON FEED JUL 1 1/	7,057	6,543	7,193	102	110
PLACED ON FEED DURING JUL	1,078	1,544	1,264	117	82
FED CATTLE MARKETED DURING JUL	1,670	1,692	1,694	101	100
OTHER DISAPPEARANCE DURING JUL 2/	61	64	74	121	116
ON FEED AUG 1 1/	6,404	6,331	6,689	104	106

1/ CATTLE AND CALVES ON FEED ARE ANIMALS FOR SLAUGHTER MARKET BEING FED A FULL RATION OF 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.

CATTLE ON FEED: NUMBER ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, MARKETINGS AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE,  
BY STATES, MAY 1 TO AUG 1

STATE	NUMBER ON FEED			PLACED			MARKETED			OTHER DISAPPEAR.		
	1986	1987	87/86	1986	1987	87/86	1986	1987	87/86	1986	1987	87/86
	1000 HEAD PCT			1000 HEAD PCT			1000 HEAD PCT			1000 HEAD PCT		
	MAY 1			DURING MAY			DURING MAY			DURING MAY		
ARIZ :	285	278	98	46	44	96	45	54	120	10	13	130
CALIF :	347	330	95	110	90	82	65	50	77	22	20	91
COLO :	760	800	105	165	230	139	170	145	85	15	15	100
IOWA :	625	645	103	90	135	150	145	150	103	10	10	100
KANSA :	1400	1380	99	415	405	98	330	325	98	5	5	100
NEBR :	1700	1800	106	380	420	111	420	390	93	60	60	100
TEXAS :	1990	2000	101	550	630	115	460	410	89	10	20	200
7 STS :	7107	7233	102	1756	1954	111	1635	1524	93	132	143	108
	JUN 1			DURING JUN			DURING JUN			DURING JUN		
ARIZ :	276	255	92	21	52	248	58	62	107	1	2	200
CALIF :	370	350	95	85	135	159	65	50	77	20	20	100
COLO :	740	870	118	105	95	90	180	190	106	5	15	300
IOWA :	560	620	111	86	90	105	140	145	104	6	10	167
KANSA :	1480	1455	98	245	300	122	355	360	101	5	5	100
NEBR :	1600	1770	111	280	300	107	400	450	113	20	20	100
TEXAS :	2070	2200	106	340	490	144	450	445	99	10	15	150
7 STS :	7096	7520	106	1162	1462	126	1648	1702	103	67	87	130
	JUL 1			DURING JUL			DURING JUL			DURING JUL		
ARIZ :	238	243	102	34	45	132	50	44	88	1	10	1000
CALIF :	370	415	112	80	79	99	62	60	97	8	9	113
COLO :	660	760	115	155	90	58	210	200	95	5	10	200
IOWA :	500	555	111	110	80	73	115	130	113	5	5	100
KANSA :	1365	1390	102	385	305	79	385	370	96	5	5	100
NEBR :	1460	1600	110	320	280	88	380	380	100	30	20	67
TEXAS :	1950	2230	114	460	385	84	490	510	104	10	15	150
7 STS :	6543	7193	110	1544	1264	82	1692	1694	100	64	74	116
	AUG 1											
ARIZ :	221	234	106									
CALIF :	380	425	112									
COLO :	600	640	107									
IOWA :	490	500	102									
KANSA :	1360	1320	97									
NEBR :	1370	1480	108									
TEXAS :	1910	2090	109									
7 STS :	6331	6689	106									

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