

Cattle on Feed



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CATTLE ON FEED IN 7 STATES DOWN 2 PERCENT FROM LAST YEAR

Cattle and calves on feed February 1, 1989, for slaughter market in the 7 States preparing monthly estimates totaled 7.70 million head, down 2 percent from a year ago but up 5 percent from February 1, 1987, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board.

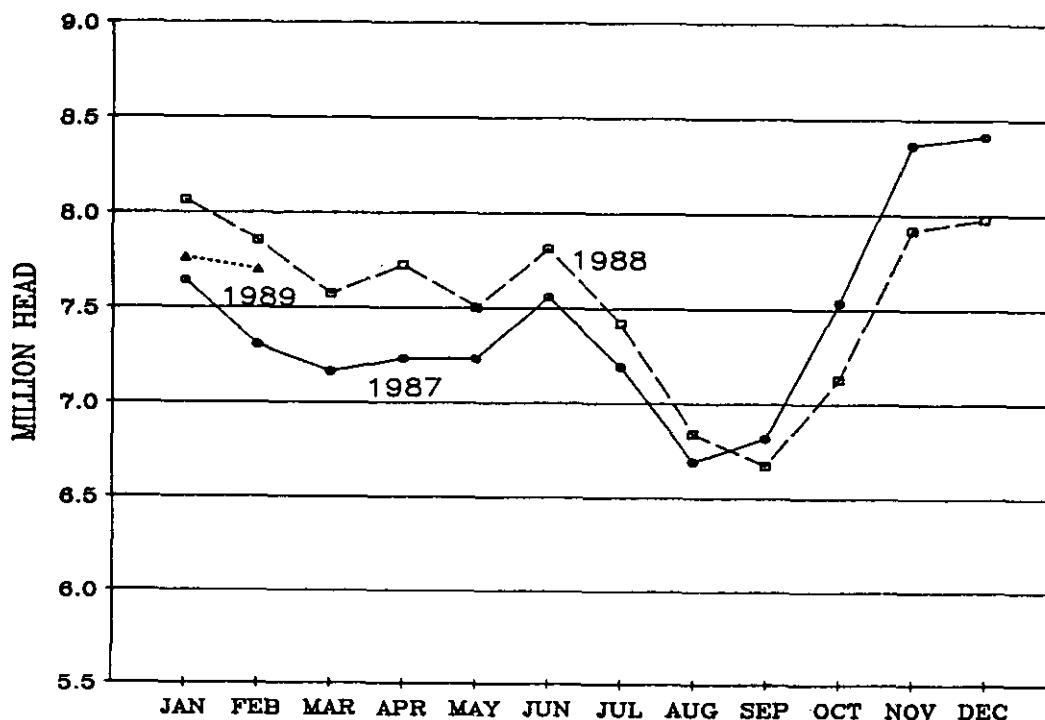
MARKETINGS of fed cattle during January totaled 1.67 million, down 5 percent from last year and down 7 percent from two years ago.

PLACEMENTS of cattle and calves on feed in the 7 States during January totaled 1.71 million, up 3 percent from last year and up 8 percent from January 1987. This is the largest number of January placements since 1974.

NET PLACEMENTS of 1.61 million for January are 3 percent above last year and 10 percent above 1987.

OTHER DISAPPEARANCE totaled 104 thousand head, compared to 106 thousand during January 1988 and 127 thousand during January 1987.

CATTLE ON FEED 7 STATES



CATTLE ON FEED: NUMBER ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, MARKETINGS AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE,
7 STATES, JAN 1 TO FEB 1

ITEM	NUMBER			1989 AS % OF	
	1987	1988	1989	1987	1988
	1000 HEAD			PERCENT	
ON FEED JAN 1 1/	7,643	8,066	7,765	102	96
PLACED ON FEED DURING JAN	1,591	1,663	1,711	108	103
FED CATTLE MARKETED DURING JAN	1,803	1,754	1,672	93	95
OTHER DISAPPEARANCE DURING JAN 2/	127	106	104	82	98
ON FEED FEB 1 1/	7,304	7,869	7,700	105	98

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 SELECT 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, NOV 1 TO FEB 1

STATE	NUMBER ON FEED			PLACED			MARKETED			OTHER DISAPPEAR.		
	1987	1988	88/87	1987	1988	88/87	1987	1988	88/87	1987	1988	88/87
	1000 HEAD PCT			1000 HEAD PCT			1000 HEAD PCT			1000 HEAD PCT		
	NOV 1			DURING NOV			DURING NOV			DURING NOV		
ARIZ :	339	259	76	39	40	103	33	22	67	3	7	233
CALIF :	495	550	111	90	115	128	70	85	121	40	30	75
COLO :	980	900	92	165	220	133	135	150	111	15	15	100
IOWA :	570	565	99	200	190	95	155	140	90	5	5	100
KANSA :	1570	1560	99	275	295	107	285	325	114	10	15	150
NEBR :	2000	1950	98	490	460	94	380	420	111	10	10	100
TEXAS :	2410	2150	89	370	360	97	420	365	87	20	25	125
7 STS :	8364	7934	95	1629	1680	103	1478	1507	102	103	107	104
	DEC 1			DURING DEC			DURING DEC			DURING DEC		
ARIZ :	342	270	79	40	31	78	27	16	59	4	10	250
CALIF :	475	550	116	70	60	86	80	85	106	30	40	133
COLO :	995	955	96	125	150	120	170	200	118	10	20	200
IOWA :	610	610	100	190	160	84	135	120	89	15	10	67
KANSA :	1550	1515	98	240	305	127	340	350	103	10	10	100
NEBR :	2100	1980	94	380	380	100	460	400	87	20	10	50
TEXAS :	2340	2120	91	295	315	107	355	350	99	30	15	50
7 STS :	8412	8000	95	1340	1401	105	1567	1521	97	119	115	97
	JAN 1			DURING JAN			DURING JAN			DURING JAN		
ARIZ :	351	275	78	28	16	57	29	22	76	11	9	82
CALIF :	435	485	111	80	55	69	70	90	129	30	25	83
COLO :	940	885	94	170	185	109	240	235	98	5	10	200
IOWA :	650	640	98	150	170	113	135	125	93	10	10	100
KANSA :	1440	1460	101	355	465	131	390	380	97	15	10	67
NEBR :	2000	1950	98	530	450	85	510	450	88	20	30	150
TEXAS :	2250	2070	92	350	370	106	380	370	97	15	10	67
7 STS :	8066	7765	96	1663	1711	103	1754	1672	95	106	104	98
	FEB 1			DURING FEB			DURING FEB			DURING FEB		
ARIZ :	339	260	77									
CALIF :	415	425	102									
COLO :	865	825	95									
IOWA :	655	675	103									
KANSA :	1390	1535	110									
NEBR :	2000	1920	96									
TEXAS :	2205	2060	93									
7 STS :	7869	7700	98									

CATTLE ON FEED: NUMBER OF FEEDLOTS AND MARKETINGS BY SIZE OF FEEDLOT CAPACITY,
BY STATES, 1987 AND 1988 1/ 2/

		FEEDLOT CAPACITY IN NUMBER OF HEAD							
YEAR	AND	UNDER 1000		1000-1999		2000-3999		4000-7999	
STATE		LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED
1987		NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD
ARIZ		*9	*17						
CALIF		10	3	5	7	7	15	10	51
COLO		140	45	50	90	55	200	30	265
IDAHO		35	10	15	10	15	30	6	50
ILL		8750	725	40	60	10	40		
IOWA		10655	1215	250	321	*95	*214		
KANSA		1627	70	92	71	57	190	34	267
MINN		5931	432	53	65	16	43		
NEBR		8950	1340	175	340	135	570	77	690
OKLA		*206	*30			4	17	3	8
S DAK		4146	269	24	67	17	77	*13	*237
TEXAS		849	90	9	20	12	35	21	170
WASH		*62	*6			*7	*35		
13 ST		41353	4226	723	1061	409	1320	211	1690
1988		NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD
ARIZ		*8	*15						
CALIF		10	2	5	8	7	11	9	38
COLO		133	3/45	51	3/95	48	3/190	29	3/275
IDAHO		40	14	17	24	14	45	5	24
ILL		8350	590	40	60	10	40		
IOWA		11235	1115	200	290	*65	*275		
KANSA		1615	60	88	58	62	173	40	260
MINN		5935	430	50	60	15	40		
NEBR		8740	1200	165	360	151	720	82	780
OKLA		*203	*7			7	19	3	10
S DAK		4044	200	24	63	19	82	*13	*235
TEXAS		637	30	14	15	15	35	23	185
WASH		*53	*7			*6	*29		
13 ST		40991	3/3696	661	3/1039	404	3/1519	215	3/1745

FURTHER BREAKDOWN OF THE LARGEST TWO SIZE GROUPS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE.

		FEEDLOT CAPACITY IN NUMBER OF HEAD							
YEAR	AND	16,000-23,999		24,000-31,999		32,000-49,999		50,000 AND OVER	
REGION		LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED
1988		NO.	1,000 HEAD	NO.	1,000 HEAD	NO.	1,000 HEAD	NO.	1,000 HEAD
AZ,CA,TX		27	710	24	976	27	1870	16	1610
CO,KS,NB		33	3/1232	17	3/882	20	3/1545	8	3/1514
7 OTH		7	285	5	298	4	330	5	554
13 STS		67	3/2227	46	3/2156	51	3/3745	29	3/3678

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CATTLE ON FEED: NUMBER OF FEEDLOTS AND MARKETINGS BY SIZE OF FEEDLOT CAPACITY,
BY STATES, 1987 AND 1988 1/ 2/

YEAR AND STATE	FEEDLOT CAPACITY IN NUMBER OF HEAD							
	8000-15999		16000-31999		32000 AND OVER		TOTAL	
	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED	LOTS	CATTLE MARKETED
1987	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD
ARIZ			6	177	5	266	20	460
CALIF	11	98	11	226	6	365	60	765
COLO	16	310	11	445	8	895	310	2250
IDAHO	6	100	*4	*260			81	460
ILL							8800	825
IOWA							11000	1750
KANSA	49	1014	26	1065	15	1353	1900	4030
MINN							6000	540
NEBR	45	920	13	540	5	500	9400	4900
OKLA	8	83	4	142	5	410	230	690
S DAK							4200	650
TEXAS	36	625	40	1385	33	2930	1000	5255
WASH	5	33	*6	*342			80	416
13 ST	185	3285	119	4367	81	7042	43081	22991
1988	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD	NO	1000 HEAD
ARIZ			5	109	5	304	18	428
CALIF	11	158	10	187	7	446	59	850
COLO	16	3/270	9	3/335	9	3/1220	295	2430
IDAHO	10	160	*4	*315			90	582
ILL							8400	690
IOWA							11500	1680
KANSA	54	1046	27	1179	14	1379	1900	4155
MINN							6000	530
NEBR	43	1000	14	600	5	460	9200	5120
OKLA	8	97	4	200	5	442	230	775
S DAK							4100	580
TEXAS	44	650	36	1390	31	2730	800	5035
WASH	5	48	*6	*400			70	484
13 ST	198	3/3534	113	3/4383	80	3/7423	42662	23339

1/ NUMBER OF FEEDLOTS WITH 1000 HEAD OR MORE CAPACITY IS THE NUMBER OF LOTS OPERATING AT ANYTIME DURING THE YEAR. NUMBER UNDER 1000 HEAD CAPACITY IS THE NUMBER AT THE END OF THE YEAR. 2/ THE 13 STATE TOTALS SHOW THE ACTUAL NUMBER OF FEEDLOTS AND NUMBER OF ANIMALS MARKETED IN EACH SIZE GROUP. THE SUM OF THE NUMBERS SHOWN BY STATES UNDER A SPECIFIED SIZE GROUP MAY OR MAY NOT ADD TO THE 13 STATE TOTAL FOR THAT SIZE GROUP, SINCE FOR SOME STATES SIZE GROUPS ARE COMBINED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS. 3/ CORRECTED. * LOTS AND MARKETINGS FROM OTHER SIZE GROUPS ARE INCLUDED TO AVOID DISCLOSING INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

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