

Cattle on Feed



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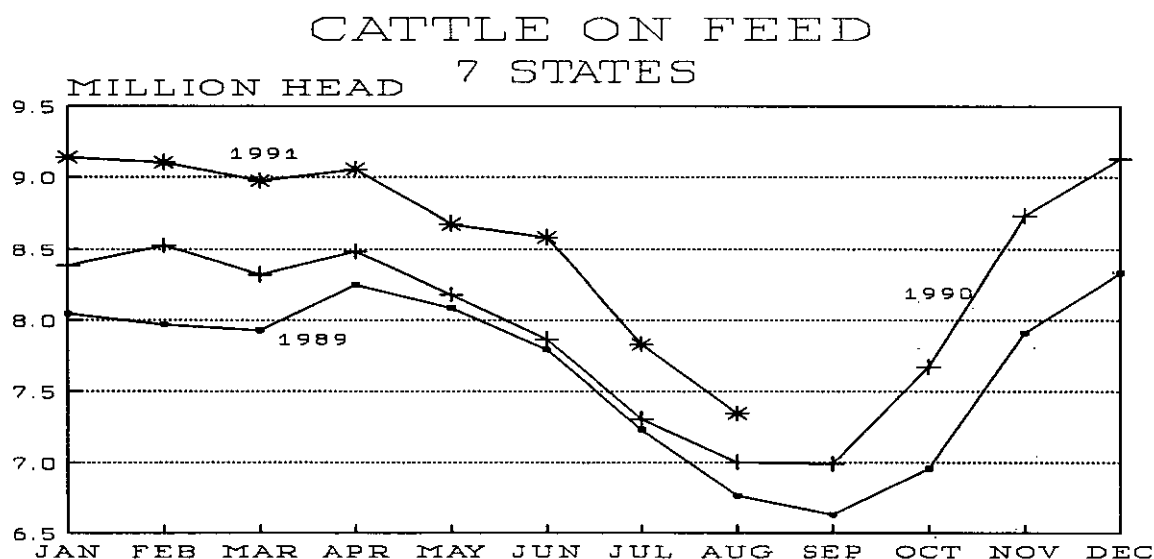
Cattle on Feed in 7 States up 5 Percent from Last Year

Cattle and calves on feed August 1, 1991, for slaughter market totaled 7.35 million head, up 5 percent from a year ago and 9 percent above August 1, 1989. This is the largest August number on feed since 1978.

Marketings of fed cattle during July totaled 1.72 million, down 1 percent from last year, but 1 percent above two years ago.

Placements of cattle and calves on feed in the 7 States during July totaled 1.32 million head, down 13 percent from last year but 2 percent above July 1989. Net Placements of 1.23 million for July were down 15 percent from last year and virtually unchanged from 1989.

Other Disappearance totaled 92,000 head compared to 77,000 in July 1990 and 63,000 in July 1989.



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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.		
	1990	1991	91/90	1990	1991	91/90	1990	1991	91/90	1990	1991	91/90
	1,000	Head	Pct	1,000	Head	Pct	1,000	Head	Pct	1,000	Head	Pct
	May 1			During May			During May			During May		
AZ	196	185	94	22	27	123	36	36	100	10	11	110
CA	400	370	93	100	75	75	70	55	79	35	30	86
CO	885	930	105	150	180	120	170	170	100	10	10	100
IA	1,000	1,060	106	110	75	68	180	125	69	15	10	67
KS	1,650	1,710	104	325	355	109	400	350	88	15	15	100
NE	2,080	2,330	112	380	360	95	500	480	96	50	50	100
TX	1,970	2,090	106	525	645	123	420	450	107	15	15	100
7 Sts:	8,181	8,675	106	1,612	1,717	107	1,776	1,666	94	150	141	94
	Jun 1			During Jun			During Jun			During Jun		
AZ	172	165	96	25	17	68	34	31	91	3	4	133
CA	395	360	91	105	50	48	60	65	108	15	15	100
CO	855	930	109	110	110	100	185	170	92	10	10	100
IA	915	1,000	109	105	50	48	180	180	100	5	10	200
KS	1,560	1,700	109	240	225	94	410	385	94	10	10	100
NE	1,910	2,160	113	310	250	81	520	460	88	20	50	250
TX	2,060	2,270	110	440	375	85	430	410	95	10	15	150
7 Sts:	7,867	8,585	109	1,335	1,077	81	1,819	1,701	94	73	114	156
	Jul 1			During Jul			During Jul			During Jul		
AZ	160	147	92	30	22	73	30	29	97	2	2	100
CA	425	330	78	75	60	80	65	60	92	15	10	67
CO	770	860	112	115	125	109	200	180	90	5	5	100
IA	835	860	103	125	70	56	180	165	92	5	10	200
KS	1,380	1,530	111	415	405	98	425	440	104	10	10	100
NE	1,680	1,900	113	330	320	97	400	430	108	30	40	133
TX	2,060	2,220	108	430	315	73	450	420	93	10	15	150
7 Sts:	7,310	7,847	107	1,520	1,317	87	1,750	1,724	99	77	92	119
	Aug 1											
AZ	158	138	87									
CA	420	320	76									
CO	680	800	118									
IA	775	755	97									
KS	1,360	1,485	109									
NE	1,580	1,750	111									
TX	2,030	2,100	103									
7 Sts:	7,003	7,348	105									

**Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed, Placements, Marketings and
Other Disappearance, 7 States, Jul 1 to Aug 1**

Item	Number			:1991 as % of	
	1989	1990	1991	1989	1990
	1,000 Head			Percent	
On Feed Jul 1 <u>1</u> /	7,235	7,310	7,847	108	107
Placed on Feed During Jul	1,291	1,520	1,317	102	87
Fed Cattle Marketed During Jul	1,700	1,750	1,724	101	99
Other Disappearance During Jul <u>2</u> /	63	77	92	146	119
On Feed Aug 1 <u>1</u> /	6,763	7,003	7,348	109	105

- 1/ Cattle and calves on feed are animals for slaughter market being fed a 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.

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