

Cattle on Feed



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Cattle on Feed Up 3 Percent in 7 Monthly States

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the 7 States preparing monthly estimates totaled 7.70 million head, up 3 percent from a year ago and virtually unchanged from August 1, 1993.

Placements in feedlots during July totaled 1.38 million, 13 percent below 1994 and 9 percent below 1993. Net placements of 1.33 million for July were down 14 percent from last year and 7 percent below 1993.

Marketings during July totaled 1.74 million, up 1 percent from 1994 and 2 percent above 1993.

Other disappearance during July was 55,000 head, no change from last year and 32 percent below 1993.

Cattle on Feed in 1000+ Capacity Feedlots Up 5 Percent

Cattle and calves on feed August 1, 1995 for the 7 States in the feedlots with 1,000 or more head capacity totaled 7.15 million head, 5 percent above the previous year and 6 percent above 1993. The inventory in the 1,000+ capacity feedlots accounted for 93 percent of the total inventory.

Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed and Placements by State
and 7-State Total, May-Aug 1, 1994-95

State	Number on Feed				Placements			
	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo
	1,000 Head		Percent		1,000 Head		Percent	
	May 1				During May			
AZ	181	190	105	99	30	48	160	137
CA	370	340	92	97	105	65	62	130
CO	930	1,010	109	101	140	195	139	108
IA	850	880	104	98	55	60	109	67
KS	1,890	2,060	109	97	310	400	129	121
NE	2,030	1,920	95	96	250	340	136	110
TX	2,450	2,390	98	99	525	630	120	143
7 Sts	8,701	8,790	101	98	1,415	1,738	123	121
	Jun 1				During Jun			
AZ	170	190	112	100	20	28	140	58
CA	405	340	84	100	100	80	80	123
CO	900	1,010	112	100	140	150	107	77
IA	800	800	100	91	70	65	93	108
KS	1,830	2,000	109	97	290	360	124	90
NE	1,800	1,770	98	92	190	300	158	88
TX	2,420	2,520	104	105	395	430	109	68
7 Sts	8,325	8,630	104	98	1,205	1,413	117	81
	Jul 1				During Jul			
AZ	149	178	119	94	24	28	117	100
CA	415	355	86	104	55	40	73	50
CO	860	920	107	91	210	150	71	100
IA	740	720	97	90	85	55	65	85
KS	1,660	1,890	114	95	470	450	96	125
NE	1,520	1,580	104	89	355	300	85	100
TX	2,310	2,470	107	98	395	360	91	84
7 Sts	7,654	8,113	106	94	1,594	1,383	87	98
	Aug 1							
AZ	143	174	122	98				
CA	410	345	84	97				
CO	850	860	101	93				
IA	680	650	96	90				
KS	1,690	1,880	111	99				
NE	1,440	1,440	100	91				
TX	2,250	2,350	104	95				
7 Sts	7,463	7,699	103	95				

Cattle on Feed: Marketings and Other Disappearance
by State and 7-State Total, May-Jul 1, 1994-95

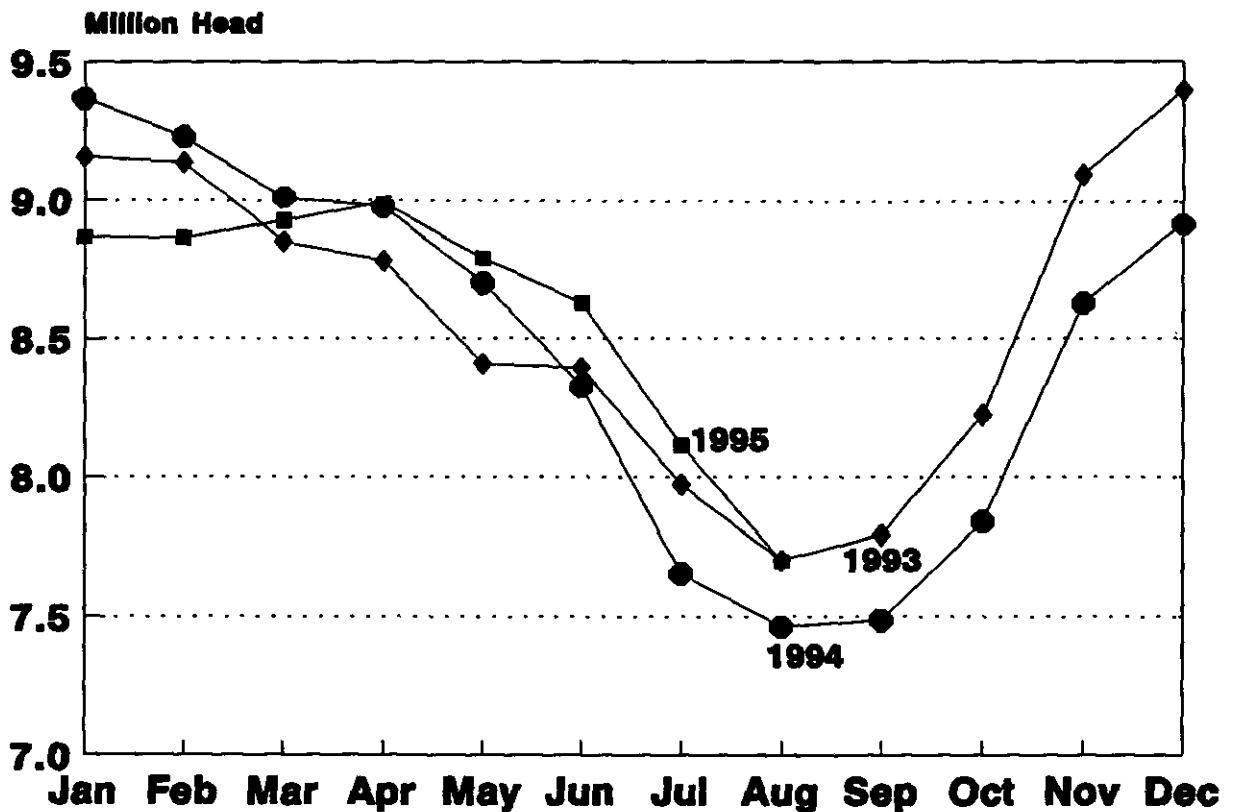
State	Marketings				Other Disappearance			
	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo
	1,000 Head		Percent		1,000 Head		Percent	
	During May							
AZ	39	47	121	147	2	1	50	20
CA	55	55	100	122	15	10	67	67
CO	160	185	116	112	10	10	100	200
IA	100	130	130	124	5	10	200	200
KS	360	450	125	118	10	10	100	50
NE	440	470	107	124	40	20	50	100
TX	545	490	90	109	10	10	100	100
7 Sts	1,699	1,827	108	117	92	71	77	89
	During Jun							
AZ	40	38	95	81	1	2	200	200
CA	50	60	120	109	40	5	13	50
CO	175	235	134	127	5	5	100	50
IA	115	140	122	108	15	5	33	50
KS	445	460	103	102	15	10	67	100
NE	450	470	104	100	20	20	100	100
TX	495	465	94	95	10	15	150	150
7 Sts	1,770	1,868	106	102	106	62	58	87
	During Jul							
AZ	30	32	107	84	0	0	0	0
CA	50	45	90	75	10	5	50	100
CO	215	205	95	87	5	5	100	100
IA	135	120	89	86	10	5	50	100
KS	430	450	105	98	10	10	100	100
NE	425	420	99	89	10	20	200	100
TX	445	470	106	101	10	10	100	67
7 Sts	1,730	1,742	101	93	55	55	100	89

Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other
Disappearance, 7 States, Jul-Aug 1, 1993-95

Item	Number			:1995 as % of	
	1993	1994	1995	1993	1994
	----- 1,000 Head -----			Percent	
On Feed Jul 1 1/	7,973	7,654	8,113	102	106
Placed on Feed During Jul	1,513	1,594	1,383	91	87
Fed Cattle Marketed During Jul	1,702	1,730	1,742	102	101
Other Disappearance During Jul 2/	81	55	55	68	100
On Feed Aug 1 1/	7,703	7,463	7,699	100	103

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- 2/ Includes death losses, movement from feedlots to pastures and shipments to other feedlots for further feeding.

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Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed, Placements, Marketings,
and Other Disappearance, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots,
7 States, Jul-Aug 1, 1993-95

Item	Number			:1995 as % of	
	: 1993	: 1994	: 1995	: 1993	: 1994
	: ----- 1.000 Head -----			Percent	
On Feed Jul 1 1/	: 6.952	6.855	7.479	108	109
Placed on Feed During Jul	: 1.411	1.511	1.343	95	89
Fed Cattle Marketed During Jul	: 1.546	1.541	1.627	105	106
Other Disappearance During Jul 2/	: 67	39	44	66	113
On Feed Aug 1 1/	: 6.750	6.786	7.151	106	105

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Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed and Placements, 1,000+ Capacity
Feedlots by State and 7-State Total, May-Aug 1, 1994-95 1/

State	Number on Feed				Placements			
	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo
	1,000 Head		Percent		1,000 Head		Percent	
	May 1				During May			
AZ	181	190	105	99	30	48	160	137
CA	370	340	92	97	105	65	62	130
CO	916	998	109	101	139	194	140	109
IA	210	285	136	98	20	28	140	80
KS	1,840	2,020	110	97	305	390	128	126
NE	1,750	1,760	101	96	230	290	126	105
TX	2,440	2,380	98	99	524	629	120	143
7 Sts	7,707	7,973	103	98	1,353	1,644	122	124
	Jun 1				During Jun			
AZ	170	190	112	100	20	28	140	58
CA	405	340	84	100	100	80	80	123
CO	891	1,002	112	100	139	149	107	77
IA	195	265	136	93	22	28	127	100
KS	1,790	1,960	109	97	270	345	128	88
NE	1,590	1,640	103	93	160	290	181	100
TX	2,410	2,510	104	105	394	429	109	68
7 Sts	7,451	7,907	106	99	1,105	1,349	122	82
	Jul 1				During Jul			
AZ	149	178	119	94	24	28	117	100
CA	415	355	86	104	55	40	73	50
CO	856	916	107	91	209	149	71	100
IA	175	240	137	91	24	34	142	121
KS	1,620	1,850	114	94	460	445	97	129
NE	1,340	1,480	110	90	345	288	83	99
TX	2,300	2,460	107	98	394	359	91	84
7 Sts	6,855	7,479	109	95	1,511	1,343	89	100
	Aug 1							
AZ	143	174	122	98				
CA	410	345	84	97				
CO	848	857	101	94				
IA	165	225	136	94				
KS	1,650	1,850	112	100				
NE	1,330	1,360	102	92				
TX	2,240	2,340	104	95				
7 Sts	6,786	7,151	105	96				

1/ AZ and CA include all feedlot operations to avoid disclosing individual information.

Cattle on Feed: Marketings and Other Disappearance, 1,000+ Capacity
Feedlots by State and 7-State Total, May-Jul 1, 1994-95 1/

State	Marketings				Other Disappearance			
	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo	1994	1995	as % of 1994	as % of Prev Mo
	1,000 Head		Percent		1,000 Head		Percent	
	During May							
AZ	39	47	121	147	2	1	50	20
CA	55	55	100	122	15	10	67	67
CO	154	180	117	112	10	10	100	200
IA	34	47	138	121	1	1	100	100
KS	345	440	128	119	10	10	100	100
NE	360	395	110	120	30	15	50	100
TX	544	489	90	109	10	10	100	100
7 Sts	1,531	1,653	108	116	78	57	73	93
	During Jun							
AZ	40	38	95	81	1	2	200	200
CA	50	60	120	109	40	5	13	50
CO	169	230	136	128	5	5	100	50
IA	41	52	127	111	1	1	100	100
KS	430	450	105	102	10	5	50	50
NE	395	433	110	110	15	17	113	113
TX	494	464	94	95	10	15	150	150
7 Sts	1,619	1,727	107	104	82	50	61	88
	During Jul							
AZ	30	32	107	84	0	0	0	0
CA	50	45	90	75	10	5	50	100
CO	212	203	96	88	5	5	100	100
IA	33	48	145	92	1	1	100	100
KS	425	440	104	98	5	5	100	100
NE	347	390	112	90	8	18	225	106
TX	444	469	106	101	10	10	100	67
7 Sts	1,541	1,627	106	94	39	44	113	88

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