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### Kansas Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on December 1, 2007 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.5 million head, down 2 percent from a year ago but up 3 percent from November 1, 2007. **Placements** during November totaled 450,000 head, up 11 percent from a year ago but 15 percent below October 2007 placements of 530,000 head. **Marketings** during November totaled 355,000 head, 8 percent below November 2006 and 13 percent below October 2007. **Other disappearance** was 15,000 head, down 5,000 from a year ago but up 5,000 from the previous month. The percent of November placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 31 percent; 600-699 pounds, 30 percent; 700-799 pounds, 22 percent; and 800 pounds or heavier, 17 percent.

**Cattle on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance,  
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, November - December 2006 - 2007**

State	Number on Feed <sup>1</sup>				November Placements		November Marketings		Other Disappearance during November <sup>2</sup>	
	Nov 1 2007	December 1			2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
		2006	2007	% of 2006						
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>(%)</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
AZ.....	360	341	367	108	30	37	29	27	2	3
CA .....	545	540	555	103	69	73	55	61	4	2
CO .....	1,030	1,120	1,070	96	145	190	145	145	10	5
ID.....	235	270	240	89	43	48	56	42	2	1
IA.....	550	500	570	114	82	96	70	75	2	1
<b>KS.....</b>	<b>2,420</b>	<b>2,550</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>
NE.....	2,400	2,510	2,520	100	460	485	380	355	10	10
NM.....	134	137	131	96	14	22	16	23	2	2
OK .....	335	350	345	99	50	62	57	50	3	2
SD.....	205	210	215	102	56	50	35	38	1	2
TX.....	3,000	2,900	3,010	104	435	510	500	490	25	10
WA .....	166	185	168	91	31	31	26	27	1	2
Oth Sts .....	380	360	390	108	64	62	43	50	1	2
U.S.	11,760	11,973	12,081	101	1,884	2,116	1,797	1,738	83	57

<sup>1</sup> Being fattened for slaughter market on grain or other concentrates to grade select or better. <sup>2</sup> Includes death loss, movement from feedlots to pastures and shipments to other feedlots.

### U.S. Cattle on Feed

**Cattle and calves on feed** for slaughter market in the United States in feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 12.1 million head on December 1, 2007. The inventory was up 1 percent from the 12 million head on December 1, 2006 and 3 percent above December 1, 2005. **Placements** in feedlots during November totaled 2.12 million, 12 percent above 2006 and 3 percent above 2005. Net placements were 2.06 million. During November, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 685,000; 600-699 pounds were 650,000; 700-799 pounds were 420,000; and 800 pounds and greater were 361,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during November totaled 1.74 million, 3 percent below 2006 but 2 percent above 2005. **Other disappearance** totaled 57,000 during November, 31 percent below 2006 and 37 percent below 2005.

**Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group,  
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, November 2006-2007**

State	Placed in November										
	Under 600 lbs.		600-699 lbs.		700-799 lbs.		800 Plus lbs.		Total		
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>
CO.....	45	55	40	60	30	35	30	40	145	190	
<b>KS.....</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>450</b>	
NE.....	100	120	165	170	95	100	100	95	460	485	
TX.....	145	180	130	165	100	110	60	55	435	510	
Other States .....	155	190	110	120	74	75	100	96	439	481	
U.S.....	555	685	560	650	404	420	365	361	1,884	2,116	

**Kansas Milk Production down 0.5 Percent but U.S. up 3.8 Percent**

The November 2007 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 185 million pounds, down 2.6 percent from October 2007 and down 0.5 percent from November 2006. The **production per cow** averaged 1,695 pounds, down 45 pounds from October 2007 but up 35 pounds from November 2006. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 109,000 cows, unchanged from October 2007 but down 3,000 head from the previous year.

**Milk production in the 23 major States** during November totaled 13.8 billion pounds, up 3.8 percent from November 2006. October production at 14.2 billion pounds, was up 4.1 percent from October 2006. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,654 pounds for November, 40 pounds above November 2006. The **number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.36 million head, 101,000 head above November 2006, and 8,000 head above October 2007.

For economic analyses and market implications of these reports, please go to [www.agmanager.info/livestock.marketing/graphs](http://www.agmanager.info/livestock.marketing/graphs) for the latest livestock charts provided by Dr. Jim Mintert, Extension Ag Economist with KSU-Research & Extension Service. A link to the latest newsletter and radio comments is also available on this page.

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