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Kansas Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on June 1, 2007 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.29 million head, down 5 percent from a year ago and May 1, 2007. **Placements** during May totaled 465,000 head, up 12 percent from a year ago and 31 percent above April 2007 placements of 355,000 head. **Marketings** during May totaled 500,000 head, 4 percent below May 2006 and 12 percent above April 2007. **Other disappearance** was 25,000 head, unchanged from a year ago and down 15,000 from the previous month. The percent of May placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 17 percent; 600-699 pounds, 18 percent; 700-799 pounds, 30 percent; and 800 pounds or heavier, 35 percent.

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

State	Number on Feed ¹				May Placements		May Marketings		Other Disappearance during May ²	
	May 1 2007	June 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>				
AZ.....	340	341	340	100	29	36	27	32	6	4
CA	550	535	555	104	80	73	70	65	5	3
CO	1,020	1,030	1,020	99	165	175	175	155	20	20
ID.....	235	230	230	100	37	43	47	42	5	6
IA.....	530	470	520	111	51	54	74	63	2	1
KS.....	2,350	2,400	2,290	95	415	465	520	500	25	25
NE.....	2,420	2,120	2,290	108	340	390	520	500	20	20
NM.....	118	135	128	95	25	34	21	23	1	1
OK	335	345	340	99	76	71	70	65	1	1
SD.....	230	195	215	110	33	34	34	45	4	4
TX.....	2,680	2,960	2,870	97	590	710	520	510	20	10
WA	154	141	149	106	20	29	30	33	1	1
Oth Sts	335	285	325	114	42	45	52	52	5	3
U.S.	11,297	11,187	11,272	101	1,903	2,159	2,160	2,085	115	99

¹ Being fattened for slaughter market on grain or other concentrates to grade select or better. ² 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 for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 11.3 million head on June 1, 2007. The inventory was 1 percent above June 1, 2006 and 5 percent above June 1, 2005. This is the highest June 1 inventory since the series began in 1996. **Placements** in feedlots during May totaled 2.16 million, 13 percent above 2006 but 3 percent below 2005. Net placements were 2.06 million. During May, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 420,000, 600-699 pounds were 374,000, 700-799 pounds were 645,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 720,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during May totaled 2.09 million, 3 percent below 2006 but 4 percent above 2005. **Other disappearance** totaled 99,000 during May, 14 percent below 2006 and 3 percent above 2005.

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

State	Placed in May									
	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>									
CO.....	35	25	40	30	45	50	45	70	165	175
KS.....	65	80	85	85	115	135	150	165	415	465
NE.....	65	55	50	60	80	110	145	165	340	390
TX.....	155	130	135	145	170	260	130	175	590	710
Other States	120	130	60	54	88	90	125	145	393	419
U.S.	440	420	370	374	498	645	595	720	1,903	2,159

Kansas Milk Production down 5.2 Percent but U.S. up 1.1 Percent

The May 2007 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 200 million pounds, up 4.2 percent from April 2007 but down 5.2 from May 2006. The **production per cow** averaged 1,820 pounds, an increase of 75 pounds from April 2007 but down 50 pounds from May 2006. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 110,000 cows, unchanged from April 2007 but down 3,000 head from the previous year.

Milk production in the 23 major States during May totaled 14.9 billion pounds, up 1.1 percent from May 2006. April production, revised at 14.5 billion pounds, was up 1.7 percent from April 2006. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,795 pounds for May, 13 pounds above May 2006. The **number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.28 million head, 26,000 head above May 2006, and 3,000 head above April 2007.

For economic analyses and market implications of these reports, please go to 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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