

CATTLE ON FEED INQUIRY - January 1, 2013

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Your answers to the questions below are needed to prepare reliable State and National cattle on feed statistics to be published in the January 25, 2013 Cattle on Feed Report.

These data are collected and published as a service to the cattle industry and may assist in planning and adjusting your cattle feeding operations. Your report is needed even though you may not currently have cattle on feed. Please mail your report in the enclosed envelope.

Information requested in this survey is used to prepare estimates of selected agricultural commodities. Under Title 7 of the U.S. Code and CIPSEA (Public Law 107-347), facts about your operation are kept **confidential** and used only for statistical purposes in combination with similar reports from other producers. Response is **voluntary**.

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Please make corrections to names, address and ZIP Code, if necessary.

We need to know about all cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market, regardless of ownership, on the total acres operated. Please enter "0" if you do not currently have cattle and calves on feed.

1. How many cattle and calves were on feed **January 1**, that will go **directly** from this operation to the slaughter market?

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| 652 |
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2. During **December**, how many cattle and calves:

| | | |
|---|--|-----|
| a. were placed on feed in your feedlot(s)? | | 653 |
| b. were shipped to slaughter market from your feedlot(s)? | | 654 |
| c. were shipped to someone else's feedlot(s)? | | 655 |
| d. were returned to grazing? | | 656 |
| e. died? | | 657 |

3. Of the number **placed** [Item 2a], how many or what percent weighed:

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| | PERCENT | HEAD |
| a. Less than 600 pounds? | 661 | 671 |
| b. 600 – 699 pounds? | 662 | 672 |
| c. 700 – 799 pounds? | 663 | 673 |
| d. 800 pounds and over? | 664 | 674 |
| TOTAL | 100% | |

OR

(Total must equal Item 2a.)

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4. Of the TOTAL cattle and calves on feed (Item 1), how many were:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| a. Steers and steer calves? | 660 |
| b. Heifers and heifer calves? | 666 |
| c. Cows and bulls? | 678 |

5. What was the total capacity of your feedlot(s) on January 1?

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| 676 |
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6. Has this operation (name of label) been sold, or turned over to someone else?

NO - Go to Item 7 YES - Identify the new operator(s).

Name: _____
 Address: _____ Phone: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

a. Did this person operate land individually in this State on June 1, 2012? YES NO

7. **Survey Results:** To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to www.nass.usda.gov/results.

Would you rather have a brief summary mailed to you at a later date?

Yes No

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| 099 |
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| Optional Use |
| 916 |

Comments:

Respondent Name: _____

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|------------------------|------------|------|------|------|
| 9911 | 9910 | MM | DD | YY |
| Phone: (____) -- _____ | Date: ____ | ____ | ____ | ____ |

| Response | Respondent | Mode | Enum. | Eval. | Change | Office Use for POID | | | | | | |
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| 1-Comp | 9901 | 1-Op/Mgr | 9902 | 1-Mail | 9903 | 098 | 100 | 785 | 789 | | | |
| 2-R | | 2-Sp | | 2-Tel | | | | | | | | |
| 3-Inac | | 3-Acct/Bkpr | | 3-Face-to-Face | | | | | | | | |
| 4-Office Hold | | 4-Partner | | 4-CATI | | | | | | | | |
| 5-R - Est | | 9-Oth | | 5-Web | | | | | | | | |
| 6-Inac - Est | | | | 6-E-mail | | | | | | | | |
| 7-Off Hold - Est | | | | 7-Fax | | | | | | | | |
| 8-Known Zero | | | | 8-CAPI | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 19-Other | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | R. Unit | | Optional Use | | | |
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S/E Name _____