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### Kansas Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on June 1, 2010 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.13 million head, up 2 percent from a year ago but unchanged from May 1, 2010. **Placements** during May totaled 420,000 head, up 22 percent from a year ago and 33 percent above April 2010 placements of 315,000 head. **Marketings** during May totaled 405,000 head, 5 percent below May 2009 but unchanged from April 2010. **Other disappearance** was 15,000 head, down 5,000 from both a year ago and the previous month. The percent of May placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 14 percent; 600-699 pounds, 19 percent; 700-799 pounds, 31 percent; and 800 pounds or heavier, 36 percent.

**Cattle on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance,  
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, May - June 2009 - 2010**

State	Number on Feed <sup>1</sup>				May Placements		May Marketings		Other Disappearance during May <sup>2</sup>	
	May 1 2010	June 1			2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
		2009	2010	% of 2009						
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>				
AZ.....	268	301	263	87	26	20	35	24	1	1
CA .....	425	470	425	90	74	60	52	52	2	8
CO.....	940	980	970	99	140	185	145	135	25	20
ID.....	210	205	210	102	35	32	39	31	1	1
IA.....	600	530	590	111	60	64	68	72	2	2
<b>KS.....</b>	<b>2,130</b>	<b>2,080</b>	<b>2,130</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>405</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>
NE.....	2,240	2,110	2,140	101	310	380	450	455	20	25
NM.....	(D)	105	(D)	(D)	16	(D)	28	(D)	3	(D)
OK .....	325	310	345	111	67	93	71	72	1	1
SD.....	235	220	230	105	40	42	44	44	6	3
TX.....	2,510	2,610	2,640	101	455	620	510	475	15	15
WA .....	175	156	178	114	31	41	35	37	1	1
Oth Sts <sup>3</sup> .....	385	330	373	(X)	39	65	50	67	4	10
U.S.....	10,443	10,407	10,494	101	1,638	2,022	1,952	1,869	101	102

<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. <sup>3</sup> Beginning in July 2009, New Mexico is included in the Other State total. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (X) Comparison to 2009 is not applicable.

### 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 10.5 million head on June 1, 2010. The inventory was up 1 percent from June 1, 2009. **Placements** in feedlots during May totaled 2.02 million, 23 percent above 2009. Net placements were 1.92 million. During May, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 445,000; 600-699 pounds were 405,000; 700-799 pounds were 537,000; and 800 pounds and greater were 635,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during May totaled 1.87 million, 4 percent below 2009. This is the lowest fed cattle marketings for the month of May since the series began in 1996. **Other disappearance** totaled 102,000 during May, 1 percent above 2009.



**Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group,  
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, May 2009-2010**

State	Placed in May										
	Under 600 lbs.		600-699 lbs.		700-799 lbs.		800 Plus lbs.		Total		
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	
	<i>1,000 Head</i>										
CO.....	25	25	25	25	45	45	45	90	140	185	
<b>KS.....</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>420</b>	
NE.....	30	55	60	70	80	105	140	150	310	380	
TX.....	170	180	100	180	110	170	75	90	455	620	
Other States .....	105	125	50	50	88	87	145	155	388	417	
U.S. ....	395	445	305	405	433	537	505	635	1,638	2,022	

**Kansas Milk Production Down 2.7 Percent but U.S. Up 1.3 Percent**

The May 2010 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 216 million pounds, up 3.3 percent from April 2010 but down 2.7 percent from May 2009. The **production per cow** averaged 1,860 pounds, up 55 pounds from April 2010 and up 25 pounds from May 2009. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 116,000 head, unchanged from April 2010 but down 5,000 head from the previous year.

**Milk production in the 23 major States** during May totaled 15.7 billion pounds, up 1.3 percent from May 2009. April production, revised at 15.2 billion pounds, was up 1.8 percent from April 2009. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,889 pounds for May, 55 pounds above May 2009. The **number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.33 million head, 143,000 head below May 2009, but 4,000 head above April 2010.

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