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Kansas Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on June 1, 2011 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.11 million head, down 1 percent from a year ago and down 3 percent from May 1. **Placements** during May totaled 375,000 head, down 11 percent from May 2010 and down 1 percent from April. **Marketings** during May totaled 420,000 head, up 4 percent from

May 2010 and up 9 percent from April. **Other disappearance** was 15,000 head, unchanged from both last year and the previous month. The percent of May placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 17 percent; 600-699 pounds, 19 percent; 700-799 pounds, 29 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, 2010 - 2011

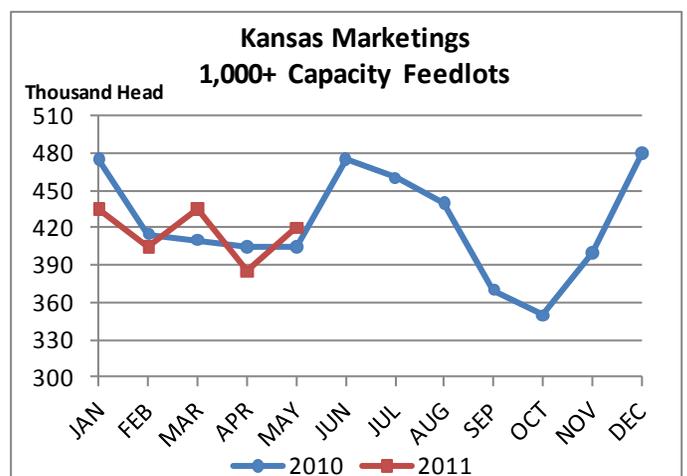
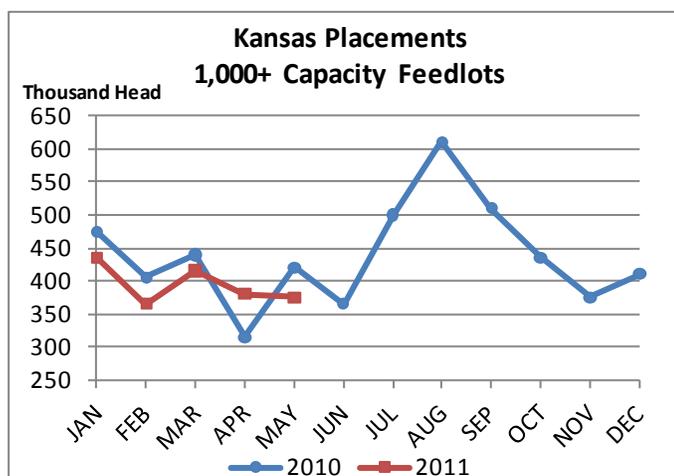
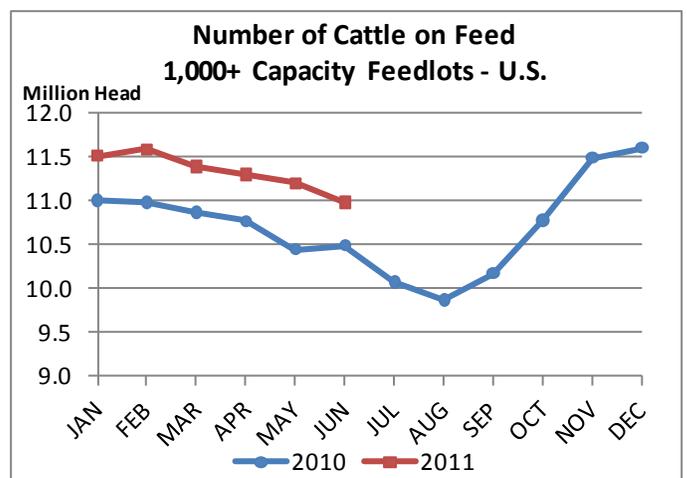
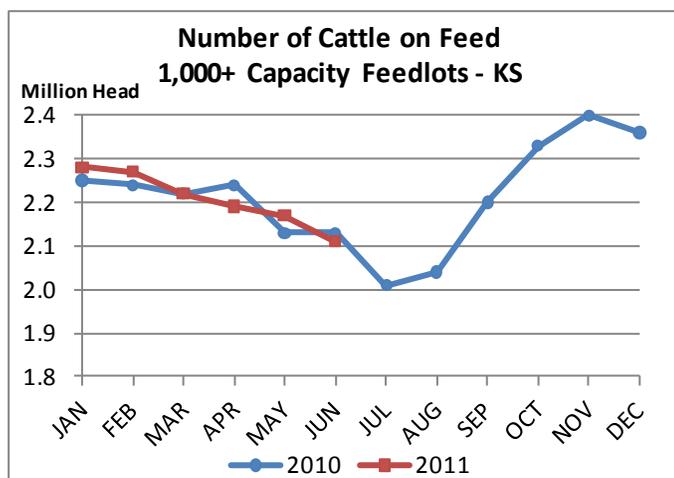
State	Number on Feed ¹				May Placements		May Marketings		Other Disappearance during May ²	
	May 1 2011	June 1			2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
		2010	2011	% of 2010						
	1,000 Head			Percent	1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head	
CO	1,100	970	1,080	111	185	140	135	150	20	10
IA	640	590	610	103	64	47	72	73	2	4
KS.....	2,170	2,130	2,110	99	420	375	405	420	15	15
NE.....	2,370	2,140	2,190	102	380	340	455	495	25	25
OK	355	345	355	103	93	66	72	65	1	1
SD.....	255	230	235	102	42	33	44	50	3	3
TX.....	2,750	2,640	2,780	105	620	560	475	520	15	10
U.S.....	11,200	10,495	10,928	104	2,030	1,810	1,865	2,002	98	80

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 10.9 million head on June 1, 2011. The inventory was 4 percent above June 1, 2010. **Placements** in feedlots during May totaled 1.81 million, 11 percent below 2010. Net placements were 1.73 million head. During May, placements of cattle and calves

weighing less than 600 pounds were 415,000, 600-699 pounds were 355,000, 700-799 pounds were 480,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 560,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during May totaled 2.00 million, 7 percent above 2010. **Other disappearance** totaled 80,000 during May, 18 percent below 2010.





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**Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, May 2010 - 2011**

State	Placed in May									
	Under 600 lbs.		600-699 lbs.		700-799 lbs.		800 Plus lbs.		Total	
	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
	1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head		1,000 Head	
CO	25	30	25	25	45	35	90	50	185	140
KS	60	65	80	70	130	110	150	130	420	375
NE.....	55	50	70	55	105	80	150	155	380	340
TX.....	180	170	180	150	170	165	90	75	620	560
Other States	130	100	55	55	85	90	155	150	425	395
U.S.....	450	415	410	355	535	480	635	560	2,030	1,810

Kansas Milk Production Up 4.6 Percent and U.S. Up 1.5 Percent

The May 2011 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 226 million pounds, up 2.7 percent from the revised April production of 220 million pounds, and up 4.6 percent from May 2010. The **production per cow** averaged 1,870 pounds, up 50 pounds from April and up 10 pounds from May 2010. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 121,000 head, unchanged from April but up 5,000 head from the previous year.

Milk production in the 23 major States during May totaled 16.0 billion pounds, up 1.5 percent from May 2010. April

revised production at 15.5 billion pounds, was up 1.7 percent from April 2010. The April revision represented an increase of 3 million pounds or less than 0.1 percent from last month's preliminary production estimate. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,899 pounds for May, 6 pounds above May 2010. **The number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.45 million head, 103,000 head more than May 2010, and 15,000 head more than April 2011.

An audio summary of this report will be available at:

http://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Kansas/Publications/Livestock/Lvstk/index.asp

For the latest beef and other livestock charts provided by Dr. Glynn Tonsor, Extension Ag Economist with KSU-Research & Extension Service, please go to www.agmanager.info/livestock/marketing/graphs. Links to the latest newsletter and radio comments can also be found from this website.