



Minnesota Ag News – Cattle on Feed

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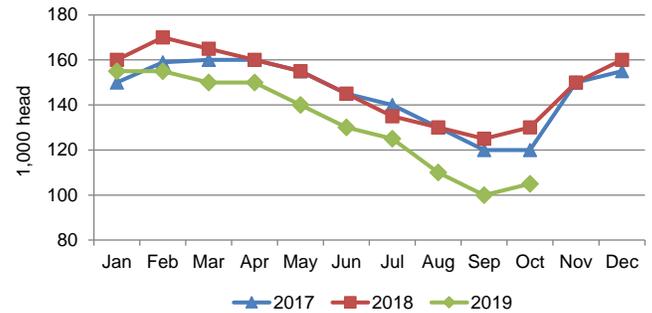
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Cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market in Minnesota for feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 105,000 head on October 1, 2019, according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Cattle on Feed* report. This is up 5,000 head from last month but down 25,000 head from last year.

Placements during September totaled 22,000 head, up 8,000 head from August but down 2,000 head from last year. **Marketings** for September were 16,000 head, down 7,000 head from August and down 2,000 head from last year. **Other disappearance** totaled 1,000 head.

Cattle on Feed, Inventory in 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots - Minnesota: 2017-2019



Cattle on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance by Month, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots – Selected States and United States: 2018-2019

State	Cattle on feed ¹ October 1			Placements during September			Marketings during September			Other disappearance ² during September		
	2018	2019	'19 as % of '18	2018	2019	'19 as % of '18	2018	2019	'19 as % of '18	2018	2019	'19 as % of '18
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
Arizona.....	295	253	86	24	16	67	23	19	83	1	1	100
California.....	520	525	101	48	50	104	49	50	102	4	5	125
Colorado.....	980	990	101	235	240	102	150	175	117	5	5	100
Idaho.....	260	275	106	49	58	118	39	50	128	5	3	60
Iowa.....	690	640	93	89	82	92	75	70	93	4	2	50
Kansas.....	2,370	2,380	100	445	435	98	375	385	103	10	10	100
Minnesota.....	130	105	81	24	22	92	18	16	89	1	1	100
Nebraska.....	2,430	2,270	93	520	530	102	410	410	100	10	10	100
Oklahoma.....	325	315	97	55	46	84	48	44	92	2	2	100
South Dakota...	215	210	98	59	53	90	42	46	110	2	2	100
Texas.....	2,660	2,780	105	395	455	115	405	390	96	10	15	150
Washington.....	220	225	102	44	46	105	33	40	121	1	1	100
Other States.....	305	310	102	64	60	94	52	43	83	2	2	100
United States ...	11,400	11,278	99	2,051	2,093	102	1,719	1,738	101	57	59	104

¹ Cattle on feed are steers and heifers being fed a ration of grain, silage, hay and/or protein supplement for slaughter market that are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better. It excludes cattle being "backgrounded only" for later sale as feeders or later placement in another feedlot.

² Includes death loss, movement from feedlots to pasture, and shipments to other feedlots for further feeding.

Cattle on Feed, Number on Feed by Class, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots by Quarter – Selected States and United States: 2018-2019

State	Steers & Steer Calves			Heifers & Heifer Calves		
	October 1, 2018	July 1, 2019	October 1, 2019	October 1, 2018	July 1, 2019	October 1, 2019
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)
Arizona	288	290	251	7	5	2
California	465	460	455	55	75	70
Colorado	550	520	520	430	510	470
Idaho	175	195	180	85	95	95
Iowa	500	480	440	190	170	200
Kansas	1,220	1,240	1,270	1,150	1,120	1,110
Minnesota	105	110	90	25	15	15
Nebraska	1,510	1,410	1,360	920	890	910
Oklahoma	185	155	175	140	165	140
South Dakota	115	130	120	100	80	90
Texas	1,650	1,700	1,690	1,010	1,140	1,090
Washington	140	140	130	80	95	95
Other States	190	180	190	115	110	120
United States.....	7,093	7,010	6,871	4,307	4,470	4,407

UNITED STATES CATTLE ON FEED

Cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 11.3 million head on October 1, 2019. The inventory was 1 percent below October 1, 2018. The inventory included 6.87 million steers and steer calves, down 3 percent from the previous year. This group accounted for 61 percent of the total inventory. Heifers and heifer calves accounted for 4.41 million head, up 2 percent from 2018.

Placements in feedlots during September totaled 2.09 million head, 2 percent above 2018. Net placements were 2.03 million head. During September, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 420,000 head, 600-699 pounds were 355,000 head, 700-799 pounds were 460,000 head, 800-899 pounds were 475,000 head, 900-999 pounds were 273,000 head, and 1,000 pounds and greater were 110,000 head.

Marketings of fed cattle during September totaled 1.74 million head, 1 percent above 2018.

Other disappearance totaled 59,000 head during September, 4 percent above 2018.

Cattle on Feed Inventory on 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots – United States

