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NEBRASKA CATTLE ON FEED DOWN 2 PERCENT

LINCOLN, NE, February 19, 2016 -- Nebraska feedlots, with capacities of 1,000 or more head, contained 2.46 million cattle on feed on February 1, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This inventory was down 2 percent from last year.

Placements during January totaled 490,000 head, down 3 percent from 2015.

Fed cattle marketings for the month of January totaled 435,000 head, down 3 percent from last year.

Other disappearance during January totaled 15,000 head, unchanged from last year.

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