



ANNUAL CATTLE REVIEW

OKLAHOMA AND U.S. INVENTORY

Oklahoma's January 1, 2015 inventory of all cattle and calves, at 4.60 million head, was up 300 thousand from the January 1, 2014 inventory. All cows and heifers that calved, at 1.94 million head, were up 5 percent. Bulls, at 140 thousand head, were up 12 percent from January 1, 2014. All heifers over 500 pounds, at 820 thousand head, were up 20 percent from last year. Steers over 500 pounds, at 870 thousand head, were down 4 percent from January 1, 2014. The 2014 annual calf crop for Oklahoma, at 1.78 million head, was up 7 percent from the previous year.

The United States all cattle and calves inventory went up 1 percent; totaling 89.8 million head on January 1, 2015. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 39.0 million head, were up 2 percent from the 38.3 million head on January 1, 2014. The 2014 annual calf crop for the United States was estimated at 33.9 million head, up 1 percent from the previous year.

**Cattle and Calves: Inventory by Class and Calf Crop,
 Oklahoma and United States, January 1, 2014-2015**

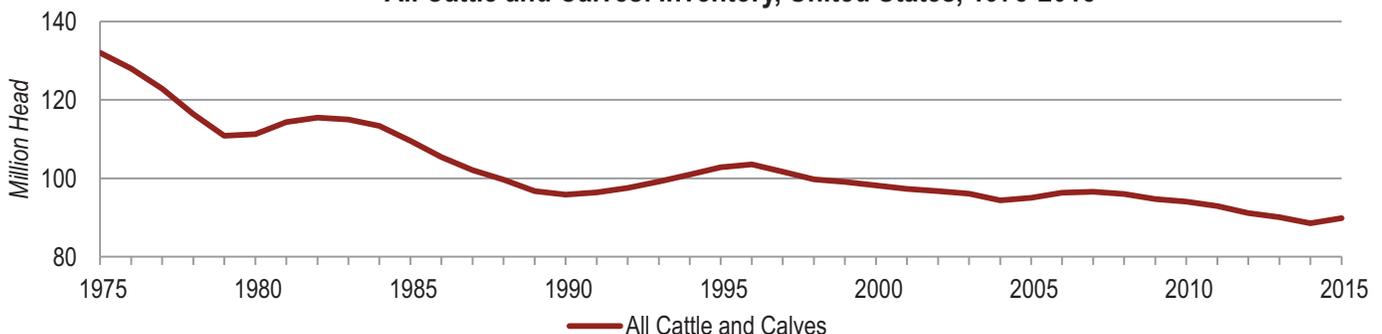
Class	Oklahoma			United States ¹		
	2014	2015	Percent of Previous Year	2014	2015	Percent of Previous Year
	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>1,000 Head</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>Percent</i>
All Cattle and Calves	4,300	4,600	107	88,526	89,800	101
Cows and Heifers That Have Calved	1,840	1,940	105	38,293	39,000	102
Beef Cows	1,795	1,900	106	29,085	29,693	102
Milk Cows	45	40	89	9,208	9,307	101
Heifers 500 Pounds and Over	685	820	120	18,969	19,240	101
Beef Cow Replacements	325	405	125	5,551	5,777	104
Milk Cow Replacements	20	25	125	4,549	4,615	101
Other Heifers	340	390	115	8,869	8,847	100
Steers 500 Pounds and Over	910	870	96	15,668	15,779	101
Bulls 500 Pounds and Over	125	140	112	2,038	2,104	103
Calves Under 500 Pounds	740	830	112	13,558	13,677	101
Cattle on Feed	265	265	100	13,018	13,093	101
Calf Crop ²	1,670	1,780	107	33,730	33,900	101
Born January 1 - June 30 ³	-	-	-	24,500	24,600	100
Born July 1 - December 31 ³	-	-	-	9,230	9,300	101

¹ Totals may not add due to rounding.

² Calf crop refers to calves born during the previous year.

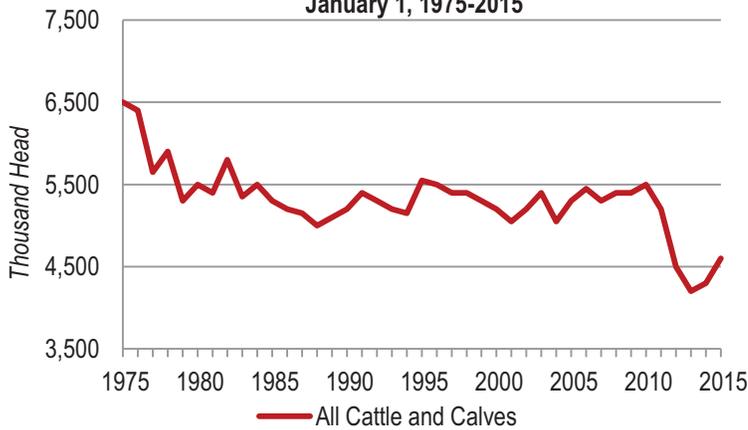
³ Calves born by six month period not available for Oklahoma.

All Cattle and Calves: Inventory, United States, 1975-2015



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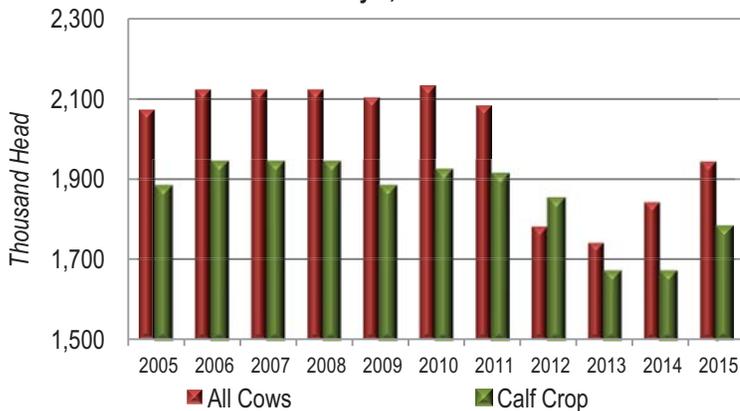
All Cattle and Calves: Oklahoma, January 1, 1975-2015



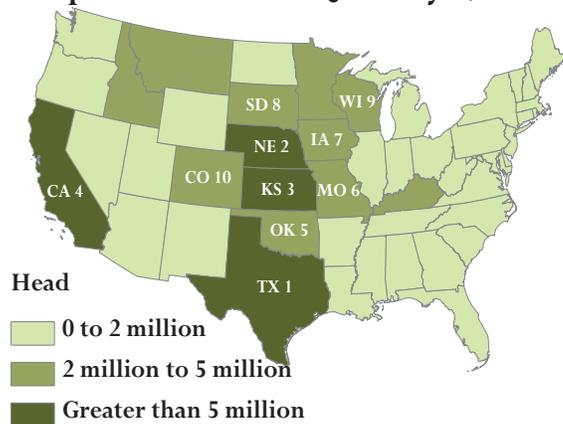
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Oklahoma continues to rank in the top five based on all cattle and calves inventory. The top five states as of January 1, 2015 inventory levels are as follows: Texas, Nebraska, Kansas, California, and Oklahoma.

All Cows and Calf Crop: Oklahoma, January 1, 2005-2015



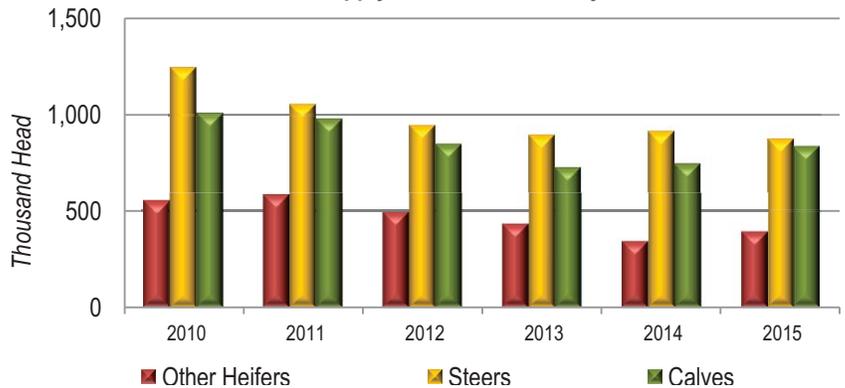
Top 10 Cattle States: January 1, 2015



Cows as of January 1, 2015. Calf crop refers to calves born during the previous calendar year.
Data Source: USDA-NASS January Cattle Report.

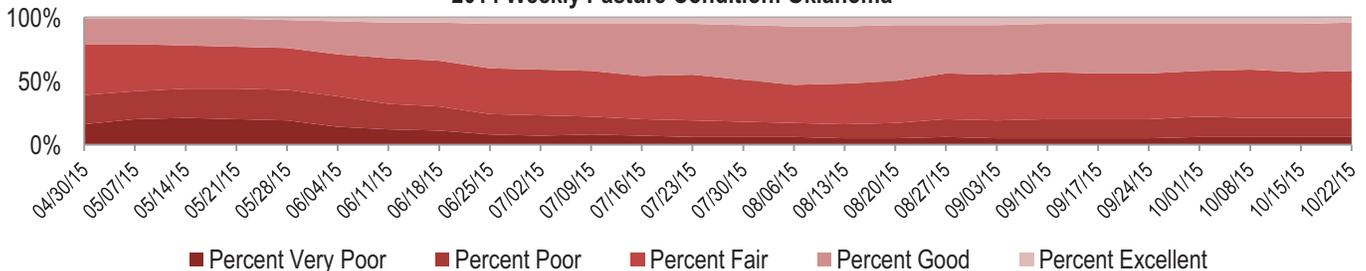
FEEDER SUPPLY AND PASTURE CONDITION

Feeder Cattle Supply: Oklahoma, January 1, 2010-2015



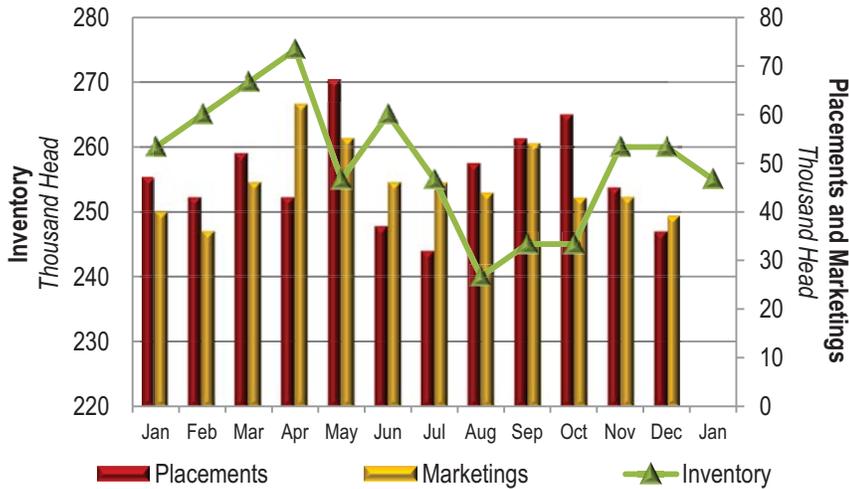
Total feeder cattle supply consisting of other heifers, steers, and calves is unchanged from one year ago. Other heifers over 500 pounds, at 390 thousand head, were up 15 percent from last year. Steers over 500 pounds, at 870 thousand head, were down 4 percent from January 1, 2014. Calves less than 500 pounds, at 830 thousand head, were up 12 percent from a year ago.

2014 Weekly Pasture Condition: Oklahoma



CATTLE ON FEED

Cattle on Feed: Inventory, Placements, Marketings, 1000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Oklahoma, 2014-2015

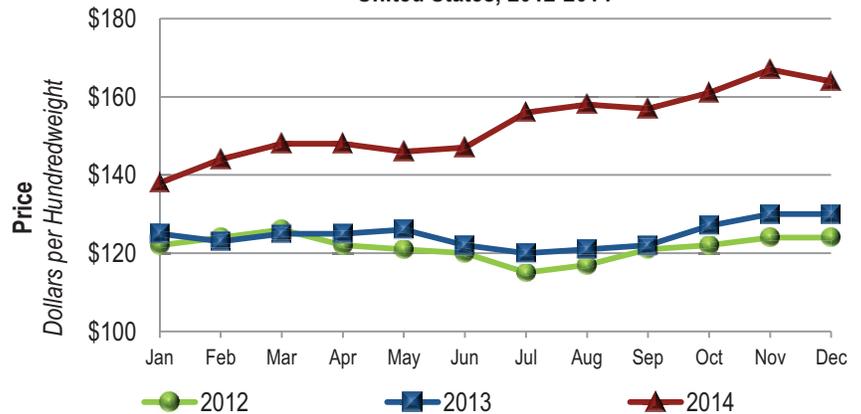


January 1, 2015 cattle on feed inventory for Oklahoma totaled 255 thousand head in feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head, down 2 percent from the previous month and down 2 percent from January 1, 2014. Placements during December were 36.0 thousand, marketings of fed cattle were 39.0 thousand and other disappearance totaled 2.00 thousand head.

Data Source: USDA-NASS monthly *Cattle on Feed Report*

MONTHLY PRICES

Cattle 500+ Pounds: Monthly Prices Received, United States, 2012-2014

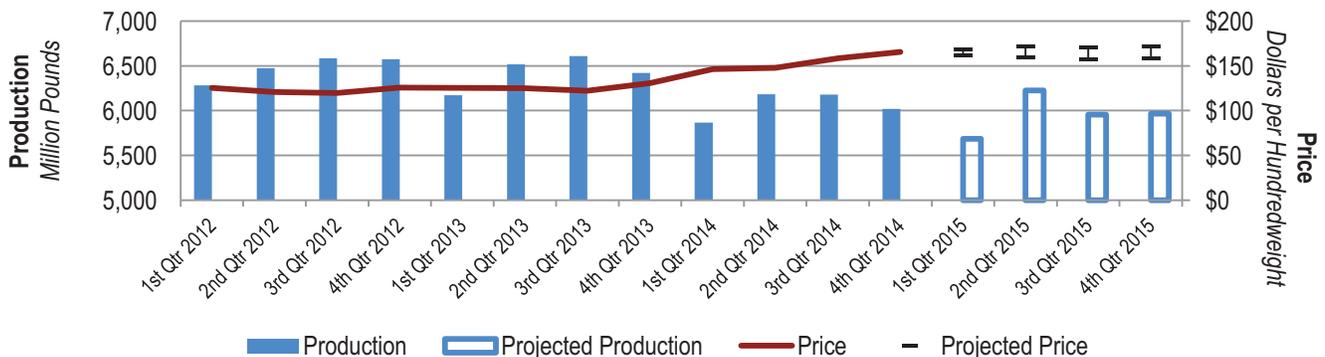


Prices started January, 2014 at \$138 per hundredweight, \$13.00 higher than January 2013, increasing each month following, and closing out the year at \$164 per hundredweight.

Data Source: USDA-NASS monthly *Agricultural Prices Report*.

PRODUCTION AND PRICE OUTLOOK

Beef Production and Price by Quarter: United States, 2012-2014, Projected 2015



Data source: USDA-WAOB monthly *World Agriculture Supply and Demand Estimates Report*

Welcome to the January 2015 issue of the Annual Cattle Review! Thanks to all participants in the cattle industry for their continued support and cooperation – especially the producers who provide data for the bi-annual Cattle and monthly Cattle on Feed surveys. Without their commitment and participation, this report would not be possible. A random sample of United States cattle producers was surveyed in early January. Survey procedures ensured that all cattle producers, regardless of size, had a chance to be included in the survey.

Though many of the statistics in this publication can be accessed through our website on a regular basis (www.nass.usda.gov/Publications), this review will be issued annually following the release of the USDA-NASS annual Cattle report issued each January.

Please feel free to contact our office with any comments or questions you may have. I hope you find this information useful!

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