



# Cattle on Feed

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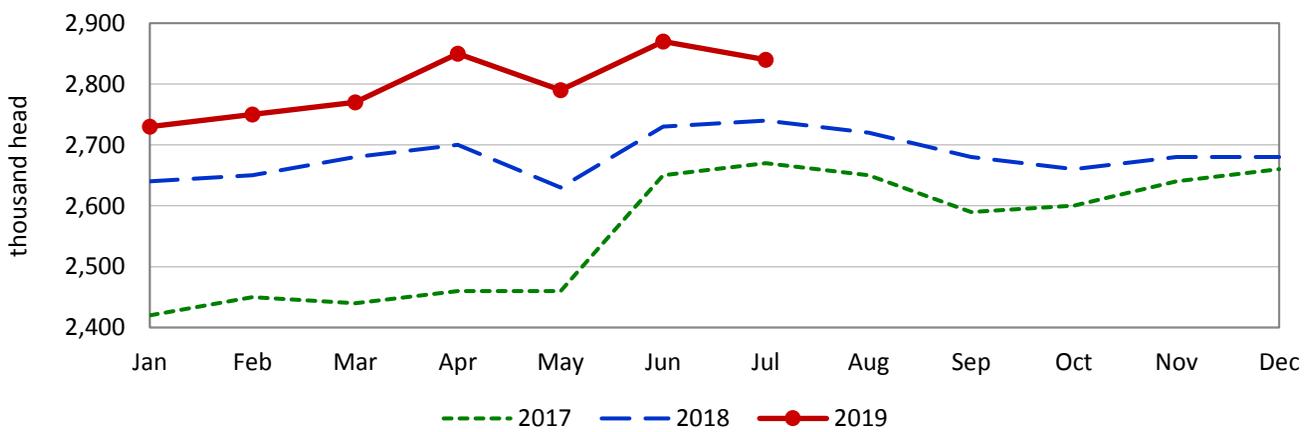
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This report contains results from the July 2019 Cattle on Feed Survey collected during the first two weeks of July. Data provided by Oklahoma and Texas producers are the foundation of the estimates made for the Southern Plains region. We would like to thank all producers who responded to the survey. Results from the next monthly survey will be made available on August 23, 2019.

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in **Texas** feedlots with capacity of 1,000 head or more totaled 2.84 million head on July 1, 2019, up 4 percent from a year ago. Producers placed 400 thousand head in commercial feedlots during June, down 7 percent from a year ago. Texas commercial feeders marketed 420 thousand head during June, up 2 percent from 2018.

On July 1, there were 2.51 million head of cattle and calves on feed in the Northern High Plains, 88 percent of the state's total. The number on feed across the area was up 5 percent from last year but down 1 percent from the June 1 total. June placements in the Northern High Plains totaled 355 thousand head, down 32 percent from the May total. Marketings were down 12 percent from last month at 375 thousand head.

Texas Cattle on Feed Inventory

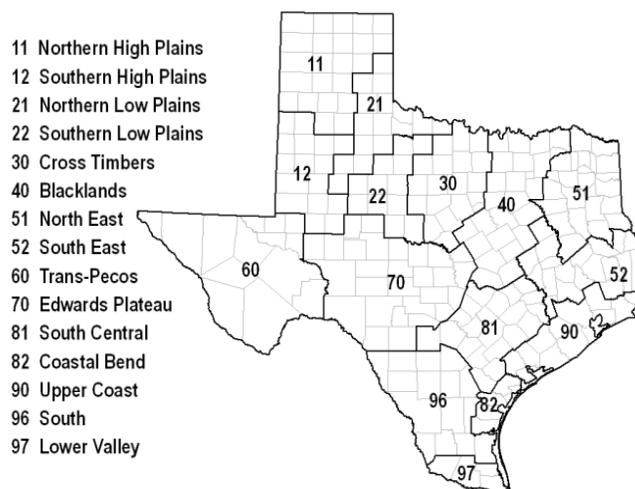


Texas Cattle and Calves on Feed in 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots, by District

Cattle and Calves	District 11	District 12	District 21	District 70	District 81	District 96	Other districts	State total
	1,000 head	1,000 head						
On feed June 1, 2019 <sup>1</sup>	2,536	170	44	12	30	47	31	2,870
Placed on feed during June	355	25	5	3	5	4	3	400
Fed cattle marketed during June	375	25	4	3	3	8	2	420
Other disappearance during June <sup>2</sup>	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
On feed July 1, 2019 <sup>1</sup>	2,507	169	45	12	32	43	32	2,840

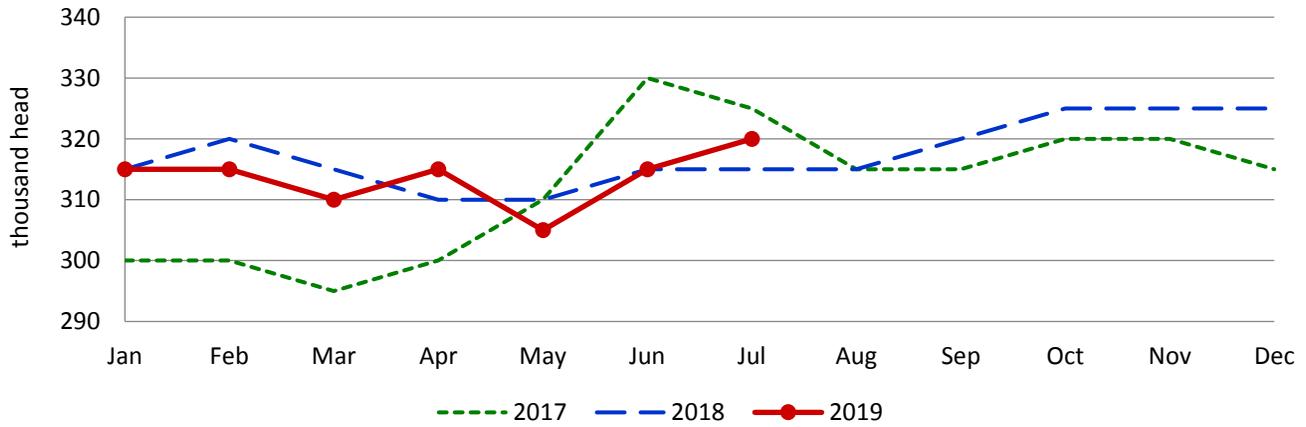
<sup>1</sup> Cattle and calves on feed are animals for slaughter market being fed a ration of grain or other concentrates and are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better.

<sup>2</sup> Included death losses, movement from feedlots to pasture and shipments to other feedlots for further feeding.



Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in **Oklahoma** feedlots with capacity of 1,000 head or more totaled 320 thousand head on July 1, 2019, up 2 percent from a year ago. Producers placed 62 thousand head in commercial feedlots during June, up 7 percent from a year ago. Oklahoma commercial feeders marketed 56 thousand head during June, up 7 percent from a year ago. Oklahoma commercial feeders marketed 56 thousand head during June, down 2 percent from 2018. Other disappearance during June totaled 1 thousand head, unchanged from a year ago.

### Oklahoma Cattle on Feed Inventory



### Cattle and Calves: Placements, Marketings, Other Disappearance and Inventory in 1,000+ Capacity Feedlot

State	Cattle and Calves										
	On feed June 1		Placed on feed during June		Marketed during June		Other Disappearance during June		On feed July 1		
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	
	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>
Arizona.....	298	310	22	17	22	26	1	1	297	300	
California.....	525	535	64	61	54	57	5	4	530	535	
Colorado.....	950	1,060	145	135	160	160	5	5	930	1,030	
Idaho.....	245	285	40	42	44	36	1	1	240	290	
Iowa.....	720	660	77	65	85	72	2	3	710	650	
Kansas.....	2,320	2,380	405	430	475	440	10	10	2,240	2,360	
Minnesota.....	145	130	14	16	23	20	1	1	135	125	
Nebraska.....	2,530	2,430	415	415	530	520	15	25	2,400	2,300	
<b>Oklahoma.....</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>320</b>	
South Dakota.....	235	230	39	31	56	48	3	3	215	210	
<b>Texas.....</b>	<b>2,730</b>	<b>2,870</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2,740</b>	<b>2,840</b>	
Washington.....	220	240	46	32	35	36	1	1	230	235	
Other States.....	320	295	43	50	55	54	3	1	305	290	
United States.....	11,553	11,740	1,798	1,756	2,006	1,945	58	66	11,287	11,485	

### Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots<sup>1</sup>

State	During June 2018					
	Under 600 lbs	600-699 lbs	700-799 lbs	800-899 lbs	900+ lbs <sup>2</sup>	Total
	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>				
Colorado.....	25	30	35	30	25	145
Kansas.....	65	90	110	90	50	405
Nebraska.....	40	60	80	110	125	415
<b>Texas.....</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>430</b>
Other States.....	110	55	75	93	70	403
United States.....	400	345	385	378	290	1,798

State	During June 2019					
	Under 600 lbs	600-699 lbs	700-799 lbs	800-899 lbs	900+ lbs <sup>2</sup>	Total
	<i>1,000 head</i>	<i>1,000 head</i>				
Colorado.....	25	20	30	30	30	135
Kansas.....	60	80	130	105	55	430
Nebraska.....	40	55	80	115	125	415
<b>Texas.....</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>400</b>
Other States.....	100	50	71	90	65	376
United States.....	385	295	391	390	295	1,756

<sup>1</sup> Oklahoma is included in *Other States*.

<sup>2</sup> For the U.S., the 900+ category represents the sum of 900-999 pound and 1,000+ pound weight groups.

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