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## **SOUTH DAKOTA CATTLE ON FEED UP 14 PERCENT**

SIoux FALLS, SD, October 23, 2015 -- South Dakota feedlots, with capacities of 1,000 or more head, contained 205,000 cattle on feed on October 1, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This inventory was up 14 percent from last year.

Placements during September totaled 43,000 head, down 14 percent from 2014.

Fed cattle marketings for the month of September totaled 42,000 head, unchanged from last year.

Other disappearance during September totaled 1,000 head, down 2,000 from last year.

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