



Minnesota Ag News – Cattle on Feed

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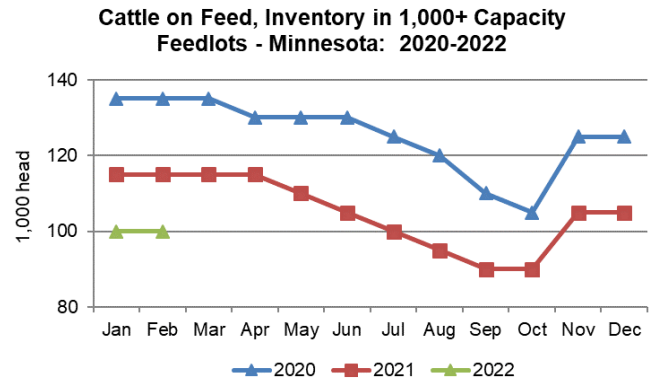
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Cattle and calves on feed for the slaughter market in Minnesota feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 100,000 head on February 1, 2022, according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service - *Cattle on Feed* report. This was unchanged from January but down 13 percent from February 1, 2021.

Placements of cattle and calves in Minnesota feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 or more head during January totaled 12,000 head, up 9 percent from December but down 20 percent from last year. **Marketings** of fed cattle from Minnesota feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 or more head during January totaled 11,000 head, down 27 percent from December and down 21 percent from last year. **Other disappearance** totaled 1,000 head.



Cattle on Feed: Number on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance by Month, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots

State	Cattle on Feed ¹ February 1			Placements during January			Marketings during January			Other disappearance ² during January		
	2021	2022	'22 as % of '21	2021	2022	'22 as % of '21	2021	2022	'22 as % of '21	2021	2022	'22 as % of '21
	(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	266	279	105	28	31	111	23	23	100	1	1	100
California	560	560	100	66	52	79	56	41	73	5	6	120
Colorado	1,120	1,140	102	195	200	103	180	185	103	5	5	100
Idaho	290	305	105	38	37	97	32	40	125	1	2	200
Iowa	620	610	98	110	110	100	98	98	100	2	2	100
Kansas	2,520	2,540	101	480	480	100	450	420	93	10	10	100
Minnesota	115	100	87	15	12	80	14	11	79	1	1	100
Nebraska	2,610	2,660	102	535	535	100	465	460	99	10	15	150
Oklahoma	320	310	97	41	39	95	45	37	82	1	2	200
South Dakota ...	245	235	96	40	37	93	38	30	79	2	2	100
Texas	2,910	2,940	101	405	390	96	350	355	101	15	15	100
Washington	230	210	91	25	31	124	29	30	103	1	1	100
Other States	300	310	103	46	45	98	49	43	88	2	2	100
United States ...	12,106	12,199	101	2,024	1,999	99	1,829	1,773	97	56	64	114

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 REVISIONS

Revision Policy: Revisions to previous estimates are made to improve month to month relationships. Estimates for the previous month are subject to revision in all States each month when current estimates are made. In February, all monthly estimates for the previous twelve months are reviewed and subject to revisions. The reviews are primarily based on slaughter data, state check-off and any other data that may have been received after the original estimate was made.

Cattle on Feed Revisions, 1,000+ Capacity Feedlots - Minnesota: December 2020-January 2022

	Inventory ¹	Placements	Marketings	Other disappearance
	(1,000) (head)	(1,000) (head)	(1,000) (head)	(1,000) (head)
December 2020	125	9	18	1
January 2021	115	15	14	1
February	115	13	12	1
March	115	16	15	1
April	115	13	17	1
May	110	10	14	1
June	105	12	16	1
July	100	11	15	1
August	95	14	18	1
September	90	19	18	1
October	90	29	13	1
November	105	16	15	1
December	105	11	15	1
January 2022	100	12	11	1

¹ Inventory as of the first of the month.

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 12.2 million head on February 1, 2022. The inventory was 1 percent above February 1, 2021. This is the highest February 1 inventory since the series began in 1996.

Placements in feedlots during January totaled 2.00 million head, 1 percent below 2021. Net placements were 1.94 million head. During January, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 420,000 head, 600-699 pounds were 445,000 head, 700-799 pounds were 545,000 head, 800-899 pounds were 414,000 head, 900-999 pounds were 105,000 head, and 1,000 pounds and greater were 70,000 head.

Marketings of fed cattle during January totaled 1.77 million head, 3 percent below 2021.

Other disappearance totaled 64,000 head during January, 14 percent above 2021.