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SOUTH DAKOTA CATTLE ON FEED UNCHANGED

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. January 24, 2025 - South Dakota feedlots, with capacities of 1,000 or more head, contained 230,000 cattle on feed on January 1, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. This inventory was unchanged from last year.

Placements during December totaled 38,000 head, up 3% from 2023.

Fed cattle marketings for the month of December totaled 42,000 head, up 20% from last year.

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

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