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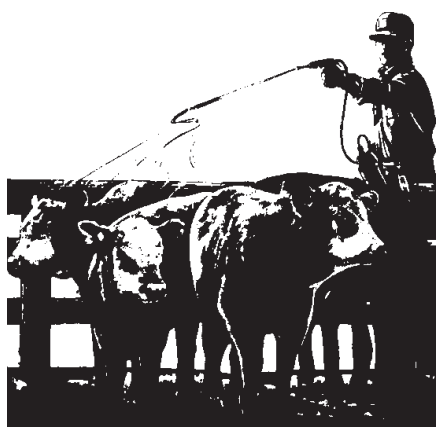


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**Kansas Beef facts:**  
 Kansas ranks first in the number of commercial cattle processed with 7.5 million head. (2006).  
 Cattle represented 61% of the 2005 Kansas agricultural cash receipts.  
 Kansas ranks second in the nation in the value of hides exported to other countries at \$342.1 million (2005).  
 Kansas ranks third nationally with 6.4 million cattle on ranches and in feedyards as of January 1, 2007. That's nearly two and one-third times the state's human population of over 2.7 million people.  
 Meat packing and prepared meat products provide employment for over 18,700 employees in Kansas. These groups make up the largest share of the food processing industry in Kansas, which is the state's second largest industry, exceeded only by transportation manufacturing.  
 Kansas ranks second in fed cattle marketing with 5.4 million head (2006). That represents 24% of all cattle marketed from 1,000+ head capacity feedlots in the feedlots in the United States.  
 Kansas ranks third in total red meat production (2006). Beef represented 6.1 billion pounds of that total. In addition 17% of all U.S. beef is derived from the dairy segment of the beef industry. (2005)  
 Kansas ranks sixth in the nation in the number of beef cows. There are 1.5 million head of beef cows on Kansas farms and ranches (2007).  
*Information provided by the Kansas Beef Council.*

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