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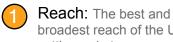
CattleLink, a special, beef-focused section in The Progressive Farmer, offers a reach nearly twice as large as other beef publications. Based on USDA figures, it reaches nearly 30 percent of producers with 250+ head, more than 56 percent with 100 to 149 head and more than 72 percent of producers with 50 to 99 head of beef cows.

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Arkansas	4,374	Maine	75	Oklahoma	10,259
Arizona	550	Maryland	1,324	Oregon	1,080
California	1,940	Michigan	3,985	Pennsylvania	2,203
Colorado	3,087	Minnesota	11,676	Rhode Island	3
Connecticut	86	Missouri	11,874	South Carolina	3,006
Delaware	184	Mississippi	4,087	South Dakota	10,379
Florida	2,709	Montana	4,651	Tennessee	7,710
Georgia	7,909	Nebraska	17,455	Texas	22,121
Idaho	1,334	New Hampshire	30	Utah	699
Iowa	24,110	New Jersey	106	Vermont	149
Illinois	14,782	New Mexico	1,386	Virginia	7,957
Indiana	8,082	New York	1,148	Washington	969
Kansas	14,162	Nevada	376	West Virginia	2,526
Kentucky	13,616	North Carolina	7,659	Wisconsin	6,002
Louisiana	3,183	North Dakota	5,319	Wyoming	1,793

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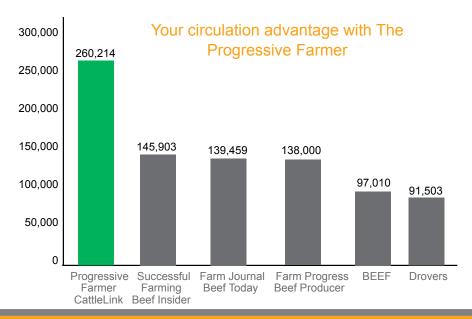


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Winter 2013

IO Due: 11.25.13 Art Due: 12.04.13

Theme: BQA Masters Articles to be included:

- Profile of a "BQA Master"
- The Zilmax Question
- The Records Tell the Story
- A Bittersweet Approach to Pasture and Hay Production

February 2014

IO Due: 12.19.13 Art Due: 01.02.14

Theme: Genetics Articles to be included:

- Designer Cows
- NIFA Study
- Pick the Right Bull
- Should You Genetic Test Replacement Heifers?

March 2014

IO Due: 01.20.14 Art Due: 02.03.14

Theme: Calving Articles to be included:

- Why Early Weaning Works
- Take Out Those Invasive Pasture Weeds
- Stopping Scours
- Tracking Calving Ease Scores

April 2014

IO Due: 02.24.14 Art Due: 03.03.14

Theme: Stockers
Articles to be included:

- Cut Pasture Costs in Your Stocker Program
- A Thinking Man's Feedlot
- People First
- · Incoming Stocker Plan

May 2014

IO Due: 03.24.14 Art Due: 04.02.14

Theme: Forages
Articles to be included:
• Gains on Cover Crops

- He Moves the Feedlot to the Field
- · The Pasture Bloat Mystery
- Take a Weed Inventory this Summer

June 2014

IO Due: 04.21.14 Art Due: 05.01.14

Theme: Parasites Articles to be included:

- What's New With Fly Control?
- Know Your Dewormers
- USDA Program Gets Vets to Rural Areas

July 2014

IO Due: 06.10.14 Art Due: 06.26.14

Theme: TBD

August 2014

IO Due: 06.23.14 Art Due: 07.02.14

Theme: Preconditioning Articles to be included:
• Unlikely Alliance

- Are Preconditioning Programs Worth the Price?
- · A Better Feeding Facility

September 2014

IO Due: 07.21.14 Art Due: 08.01.14

Theme: Healthcare Articles to be included:

- Bring Biosecurity Tactics to Your Operation
- Get to the Gut of the ProblemFollowing the Trend Setters

October 2014

IO Due: 08.25.14 Art Due: 09.03.14

Theme: Markets
Articles to be included:

• Market Outlook

• A Drop in the Checkoff

· Kansans Helping Russia Build a Beef Business

November 2014

IO Due: 09.22.14 Art Due: 10.01.14

Theme: Winter Conditioning Articles to be included:

- · Condition and Rebreeding
- What's an Akaushi?
- · Lessons Learned: Mark Bowen

December 2014

IO Due: 10.20.14 Art Due: 11.03.14

Theme: Reproduction
Articles to be included:
• Keep or Cull

- · League of their Own
- Ducks & Cattle

Monthly Articles

- Sort and Cull
- Industry News and Issues

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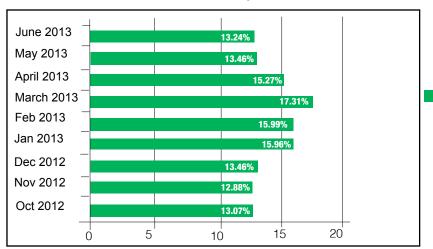
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