



Nebraska Weekly Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases

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For Week Ending Sunday, 12/29/2024

For Friday in Nebraska negotiated cash trading was moderate on good demand. For the week, live FOB purchases traded 1.00-1.50 higher from 196.00-197.00 and dressed delivered purchases traded 2.00 higher at 307.00 on a light test.

Negotiated Cash:

Total Confirmed for the week:	12,491	Week ago:	12,401	Year ago:	13,986
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Negotiated Grid Base:

Confirmed for the week:	6,695	Week ago:	12,864	Year ago:	18,637
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Negotiated Cash Prices

(Includes all transactions regardless of delivery day)

Grade:	Head Count	Dress Pct	Wt Range	Wtd Avg Wt	Price Range	Wtd Avg Price
STEERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	3,349	63.0	1,425 - 1,650	1,541	195.00 - 197.00	196.43
65 - 80% Choice	796	62.6	1,450 - 1,575	1,508	196.00 - 196.00	196.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	4,145	62.9	1,425 - 1,650	1,534	195.00 - 197.00	196.34
STEERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	300	63.0	1,625 - 1,625	1,625	198.80 - 198.80	198.80
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	300	63.0	1,625 - 1,625	1,625	198.80 - 198.80	198.80
STEERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	2,208	63.9	821 - 1,068	1,025	307.00 - 307.50	307.03
65 - 80% Choice	245	63.3	913 - 1,014	981	305.00 - 307.00	306.34
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	2,453	63.9	821 - 1,068	1,020	305.00 - 307.50	306.96
STEERS: DRESSED FOB						
Over 80% Choice	404	63.1	961 - 1,016	1,002	310.00 - 312.00	310.51
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	



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35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	404	63.1	961 - 1,016	1,002	310.00 - 312.00	310.51
HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	2,559	62.7	1,350 - 1,500	1,422	195.00 - 197.00	196.20
65 - 80% Choice	214	63.0	1,400 - 1,400	1,400	196.00 - 196.00	196.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	2,773	62.8	1,350 - 1,500	1,420	195.00 - 197.00	196.19
HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	579	62.8	819 - 961	892	307.00 - 309.00	308.13
65 - 80% Choice	166	63.5	809 - 809	810	307.00 - 307.00	307.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	745	62.9	809 - 961	874	307.00 - 309.00	307.88
HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	1,278	62.9	1,300 - 1,525	1,416	196.00 - 197.00	196.21
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	1,278	62.9	1,300 - 1,525	1,416	196.00 - 197.00	196.21
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	58	62.0	1,600 - 1,600	1,600	195.00 - 195.00	195.00



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65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	58	62.0	1,600 - 1,600	1,600	195.00 - 195.00	195.00
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	29	63.6	1,036 - 1,036	1,037	307.00 - 307.00	307.00
65 - 80% Choice	208	64.1	832 - 880	849	307.00 - 307.00	307.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	237	64.0	832 - 1,036	872	307.00 - 307.00	307.00
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS						
LIVE FOB	8,196	62.9	1,300 - 1,650	1,477	195.00 - 197.00	196.27
LIVE DELIVERED	358	62.8	1,600 - 1,625	1,621	195.00 - 198.80	198.18
DRESSED DELIVERED	3,435	63.7	809 - 1,068	978	305.00 - 309.00	307.16
DRESSED FOB	404	63.1	961 - 1,016	1,002	310.00 - 312.00	310.51
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	98	62.0	1,450 - 1,450	1,450	197.00 - 197.00	197.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	98	62.0	1,450 - 1,450	1,450	197.00 - 197.00	197.00
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	



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Total all grades	-	-
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED		
Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB		
Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE FOB		
Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE DELIVERED		
Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED DELIVERED		
Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED FOB		
Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-



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0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-

Negotiated Grid Base Prices: Final Net Prices Shown on LM_CT109 and LM_CT151 Formula Reports

Grade:	Head Count	Dress Pct	Wt Range	Wtd Avg Wt	Price Range	Wtd Avg Price
STEERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	443	63.4	1,400 - 1,550	1,452	196.00 - 196.00	196.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	443	63.4	1,400 - 1,550	1,452	196.00 - 196.00	196.00
STEERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
STEERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	2,295	63.5	910 - 1,103	1,005	305.00 - 315.00	308.84
65 - 80% Choice	291	63.1	908 - 979	945	307.00 - 307.00	307.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	2,586	63.5	908 - 1,103	998	305.00 - 315.00	308.64
STEERS: DRESSED FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	



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0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	2,643	63.4	812 - 939	871	305.00 - 307.00	306.65
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	2,643	63.4	812 - 939	871	305.00 - 307.00	306.65
HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	906	62.9	763 - 984	880	305.00 - 307.00	306.90
65 - 80% Choice	83	63.3	845 - 845	845	307.00 - 307.00	307.00



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35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	989	63.0	763 - 984	877	305.00 - 307.00	306.90
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS						
LIVE FOB	443	63.4	1,400 - 1,550	1,452	196.00 - 196.00	196.00
LIVE DELIVERED			-		-	
DRESSED DELIVERED	6,218	63.4	763 - 1,103	925	305.00 - 315.00	307.52
DRESSED FOB			-		-	
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades			-		-	
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice			-		-	
65 - 80% Choice	34	58.0	949 - 949	950	295.00 - 295.00	295.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	34	58.0	949 - 949	950	295.00 - 295.00	295.00



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DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB

Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE FOB

Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED DELIVERED

Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED FOB

Over 80% Choice	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-
Total all grades	-	-

WEEKLY ACCUMULATED		Head Count	Avg Weight	Avg Price
Live	Steer	4,145	1,534.20	\$196.34
Live	Heifer	2,773	1,420.10	\$196.19



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Dressed	Steer	2,453	1,020.40	\$306.96
Dressed	Heifer	745	873.70	\$307.88

SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK		Head Count	Avg Weight	Avg Price
Live	Steer	6,634	1,534.80	\$195.10
Live	Heifer	952	1,393.10	\$195.17
Dressed	Steer	2,760	972.70	\$305.91
Dressed	Heifer	489	834.80	\$305.00

SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR		Head Count	Avg Weight	Avg Price
Live	Steer	2,960	1,505.40	\$172.26
Live	Heifer	1,443	1,376.10	\$172.78
Dressed	Steer	5,882	973.20	\$272.89
Dressed	Heifer	665	872.70	\$273.00

Weekly Price Distribution

Live FOB		Dressed Delivered	
Head	Price	Head	Price
589	195.00-195.49	81	305.00-305.49
0	195.50-195.99	0	305.50-305.99
4,808	196.00-196.49	0	306.00-306.49
0	196.50-196.99	0	306.50-306.99
2,799	197.00-197.49	2,791	307.00-307.49
		120	307.50-307.99
		233	308.00-308.49
		0	308.50-308.99
		210	309.00-309.49

FOB prices based on net weights FOB the feedyard after a 3-4% shrink.
Delivered prices based on hot carcass weights delivered to the plant.