



5 Area Monthly Direct Slaughter Cattle Report - Formulated, Forward Contract, And Negotiated Grid Purchases

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For cattle priced during Month of April 2023

Domestic Cattle Only					
	Dressed:	Live:	Total:	Month Ago:	Year Ago:
Formula Net:	851,288	74,985	926,273	1,089,924	962,532
Negotiated Grid Net:	63,046	73,343	136,389	155,761	125,396
Forward Contract Net:	45,700	17,582	63,282	59,113	140,590

Formula Net: Dressed Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Steer						
Over 80% Choice	206,860	696 - 1,157	916	63.7	246.11 · 345.59	278.14
65 - 80% Choice	97,895	610 - 1,022	877	64.1	252.84 · 343.00	272.81
35 - 65% Choice	77,484	709 - 1,057	854	64.2	247.74 · 293.30	269.32
0 - 35% Choice	5,820	701 - 927	859	63.8	242.43 · 275.82	264.15
Total All Grades	388,059	610 - 1,157	893	63.9	242.43 · 345.59	274.83
Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	240,521	668 - 1,023	821	63.6	247.58 · 349.33	279.14
65 - 80% Choice	59,498	622 - 969	777	63.7	241.13 · 347.46	273.21
35 - 65% Choice	14,697	671 - 992	767	63.4	250.10 · 291.71	270.70
0 - 35% Choice	977	653 - 801	731	63.6	255.42 · 273.24	265.87
Total All Grades	315,693	622 - 1,023	810	63.6	241.13 · 349.33	277.59
Mixed Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	96,964	590 - 1,065	860	63.4	246.84 · 349.44	284.29
65 - 80% Choice	25,998	655 - 1,058	843	63.5	246.04 · 296.89	274.27
35 - 65% Choice	8,821	637 - 1,084	824	63.1	243.16 · 307.85	270.33
0 - 35% Choice	590	716 - 824	793	63.4	271.13 · 275.14	271.95
Total All Grades	132,373	590 - 1,084	854	63.4	243.16 · 349.44	281.34
All Steers & Heifers						
	836,125	590 - 1,157	855	63.7	241.13 · 349.44	276.90
Mixed Steer/Heifer/Cow						
Over 80% Choice	1,380	699 - 995	853	63.5	236.01 · 289.83	266.81
65 - 80% Choice	1,095	774 - 1,031	930	62.1	235.34 · 280.75	257.55
35 - 65% Choice	1,092	731 - 1,015	900	62.2	216.12 · 268.58	245.29
0 - 35% Choice	3,528	865 - 1,068	951	59.1	214.07 · 258.54	241.86



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	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Formula Net: Live Basis						
Total All Grades	7,095	699 - 1,068	921	60.9	214.07 · 289.83	249.66
Dairybred Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	5,885	690 - 980	864	61.1	239.17 · 291.98	264.18
65 - 80% Choice	1,601	728 - 889	840	61.1	241.81 · 279.15	259.82
35 - 65% Choice	582	732 - 891	824	61.2	243.55 · 272.58	256.25
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	8,068	690 - 980	856	61.1	239.17 · 291.98	262.74
Steer						
Over 80% Choice	15,829	1,079 - 1,825	1,474	62.7	163.98 · 203.38	176.29
65 - 80% Choice	6,090	1,215 - 1,553	1,410	63.1	163.00 · 187.96	173.98
35 - 65% Choice	10,170	1,176 - 1,502	1,387	63.2	162.98 · 185.35	172.45
0 - 35% Choice	443	1,380 - 1,448	1,434	63.4	168.72 · 170.00	168.99
Total All Grades	32,532	1,079 - 1,825	1,434	62.9	162.98 · 203.38	174.56
Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	8,431	1,155 - 1,547	1,302	62.5	162.98 · 198.00	175.79
65 - 80% Choice	7,668	1,066 - 1,456	1,256	62.6	162.22 · 184.06	171.02
35 - 65% Choice	2,977	1,179 - 1,371	1,252	62.7	166.72 · 177.58	172.26
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	19,076	1,066 - 1,547	1,275	62.5	162.22 · 198.00	173.32
Mixed Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	18,910	1,152 - 1,611	1,395	62.4	163.00 · 205.49	180.56
65 - 80% Choice	1,919	1,182 - 1,438	1,322	62.4	167.15 · 185.35	175.60
35 - 65% Choice	682	1,147 - 1,455	1,282	63.1	164.64 · 180.45	171.58
0 - 35% Choice	31	1,175 - 1,352	1,261	61.8	163.00 · 166.00	164.55
Total All Grades	21,542	1,147 - 1,611	1,385	62.4	163.00 · 205.49	179.81
All Steers & Heifers						
	73,150	1,066 - 1,825	1,378	62.7	162.22 · 205.49	175.78
Mixed Steer/Heifer/Cow						
Over 80% Choice		-				
65 - 80% Choice	40	1,286 - 1,286	1,286	60.7	166.88 · 166.88	166.88
35 - 65% Choice	198	1,153 - 1,464	1,366	61.5	159.68 · 169.00	165.00
0 - 35% Choice	85	1,176 - 1,465	1,307	61.0	156.78 · 166.30	162.18



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Total All Grades	323	1,153 - 1,465	1,341	61.3	156.78 · 169.00	164.49
Dairybred Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	1,410	1,279 - 1,521	1,384	59.8	154.41 · 170.44	162.21
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice	102	1,420 - 1,420	1,420	59.1	148.41 · 148.41	148.41
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	1,512	1,279 - 1,521	1,386	59.7	148.41 · 170.44	161.27
Negotiated Grid Net: Dressed Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Steer						
Over 80% Choice	18,718	666 - 1,060	914	63.2	257.74 · 298.92	275.06
65 - 80% Choice	3,510	754 - 1,025	897	63.0	260.39 · 293.35	273.53
35 - 65% Choice	791	722 - 951	834	63.2	257.82 · 289.62	274.67
0 - 35% Choice	153	821 - 821	821	64.5	266.41 · 266.41	266.41
Total All Grades	23,172	666 - 1,060	908	63.2	257.74 · 298.92	274.75
Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	19,477	693 - 985	834	63.3	258.80 · 304.42	277.40
65 - 80% Choice	1,865	740 - 935	827	62.9	260.91 · 290.40	275.82
35 - 65% Choice	391	728 - 986	858	61.9	258.57 · 283.00	270.88
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	21,733	693 - 986	834	63.2	258.57 · 304.42	277.15
Mixed Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	11,805	704 - 1,016	855	62.7	259.63 · 301.72	277.27
65 - 80% Choice	2,396	667 - 972	836	62.8	257.58 · 291.53	270.52
35 - 65% Choice	302	797 - 961	874	62.0	256.20 · 269.73	263.16
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	14,503	667 - 1,016	852	62.7	256.20 · 301.72	275.86
All Steers & Heifers						
	59,408	666 - 1,060	867	63.1	256.20 · 304.42	275.90
Mixed Steer/Heifer/Cow						
Over 80% Choice	197	688 - 945	857	61.7	238.34 · 253.83	243.60
65 - 80% Choice	140	801 - 1,063	910	62.3	227.44 · 245.98	236.43
35 - 65% Choice	455	795 - 938	890	60.0	213.13 · 248.80	222.63
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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Total All Grades	792	688 - 1,063	886	60.8	213.13 · 253.83	230.29
Dairybred Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	1,742	705 - 975	873	59.8	235.65 · 276.33	246.65
65 - 80% Choice	764	638 - 984	808	59.4	220.65 · 276.80	245.83
35 - 65% Choice	340	727 - 887	835	60.1	219.73 · 241.39	230.87
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	2,846	638 - 984	851	59.7	219.73 · 276.80	244.54
Negotiated Grid Net: Live Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Steer						
Over 80% Choice	26,829	1,022 - 1,534	1,419	64.2	160.89 · 183.92	173.13
65 - 80% Choice	12,613	1,202 - 1,540	1,389	64.5	158.87 · 183.46	173.59
35 - 65% Choice	2,935	1,192 - 1,470	1,301	64.4	160.01 · 178.60	169.27
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	42,377	1,022 - 1,540	1,402	64.3	158.87 · 183.92	173.00
Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	21,706	1,104 - 1,535	1,286	63.7	157.53 · 186.70	174.31
65 - 80% Choice	3,036	1,078 - 1,364	1,208	64.0	164.19 · 183.35	172.29
35 - 65% Choice	1,036	1,188 - 1,241	1,210	64.9	163.11 · 178.13	172.88
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	25,778	1,078 - 1,535	1,273	63.8	157.53 · 186.70	174.02
Mixed Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	3,733	1,172 - 1,592	1,366	63.3	155.63 · 182.21	174.19
65 - 80% Choice	934	1,127 - 1,451	1,270	63.2	159.77 · 183.61	173.02
35 - 65% Choice	447	1,196 - 1,437	1,314	64.2	169.03 · 171.89	170.30
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	5,114	1,127 - 1,592	1,344	63.4	155.63 · 183.61	173.64
All Steers & Heifers						
	73,269	1,022 - 1,592	1,353	64.1	155.63 · 186.70	173.40
Mixed Steer/Heifer/Cow						
Over 80% Choice	74	1,465 - 1,465	1,465	63.0	150.02 · 150.02	150.02
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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Total All Grades	74	1,465 - 1,465	1,465	63.0	150.02 · 150.02	150.02
Dairybred Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice		-				
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades		-				
Forward Contract Net: Dressed Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Steer						
Over 80% Choice	8,921	693 - 1,052	908	63.7	246.61 · 285.28	259.43
65 - 80% Choice	2,812	750 - 1,013	890	63.2	249.42 · 270.00	260.71
35 - 65% Choice	1,418	774 - 981	874	63.4	244.60 · 267.32	254.13
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	13,151	693 - 1,052	900	63.5	244.60 · 285.28	259.13
Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	11,153	702 - 959	821	63.3	250.13 · 276.18	262.26
65 - 80% Choice	704	727 - 859	772	63.8	253.15 · 270.70	258.81
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	11,857	702 - 959	818	63.3	250.13 · 276.18	262.06
Mixed Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	3,349	606 - 959	828	62.6	227.97 · 284.65	255.58
65 - 80% Choice	1,453	747 - 921	839	63.1	243.96 · 284.65	262.98
35 - 65% Choice	158	751 - 769	760	63.4	247.68 · 250.00	248.85
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	4,960	606 - 959	829	62.8	227.97 · 284.65	257.53
All Steers & Heifers						
	29,968	606 - 1,052	856	63.3	227.97 · 285.28	260.02
Mixed Steer/Heifer/Cow						
Over 80% Choice	79	800 - 800	800	64.4	239.05 · 239.05	239.05
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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Total All Grades	79	800 - 800	800	64.4	239.05 · 239.05	239.05
Dairybred Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	10,597	703 - 1,010	849	59.6	218.30 · 280.35	244.19
65 - 80% Choice	3,648	594 - 921	810	59.4	213.93 · 271.32	241.66
35 - 65% Choice	1,314	699 - 879	776	59.2	223.52 · 265.77	240.02
0 - 35% Choice	94	695 - 948	768	59.8	214.26 · 236.73	226.50
Total All Grades	15,653	594 - 1,010	833	59.5	213.93 · 280.35	243.14
Forward Contract Net: Live Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Steer						
Over 80% Choice	4,271	1,219 - 1,642	1,471	63.5	152.00 · 189.78	166.44
65 - 80% Choice	1,950	1,144 - 1,484	1,308	63.3	160.32 · 168.00	163.72
35 - 65% Choice	877	1,183 - 1,415	1,267	63.2	162.00 · 164.32	163.81
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	7,098	1,144 - 1,642	1,401	63.4	152.00 · 189.78	165.37
Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	5,357	1,146 - 1,464	1,288	62.9	152.50 · 192.28	164.74
65 - 80% Choice	572	1,131 - 1,268	1,183	63.5	163.00 · 164.00	163.87
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	5,929	1,131 - 1,464	1,278	62.9	152.50 · 192.28	164.65
Mixed Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice	4,081	1,106 - 1,612	1,271	63.6	151.27 · 199.16	181.79
65 - 80% Choice	164	1,210 - 1,404	1,314	63.0	158.47 · 185.40	164.74
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	4,245	1,106 - 1,612	1,272	63.6	151.27 · 199.16	181.13
All Steers & Heifers						
	17,272	1,106 - 1,642	1,327	63.3	151.27 · 199.16	169.00
Mixed Steer/Heifer/Cow						
Over 80% Choice		-				
65 - 80% Choice	107	1,204 - 1,204	1,204	59.5	148.10 · 148.10	148.10
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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Total All Grades	107	1,204 - 1,204	1,204	59.5	148.10 · 148.10	148.10
Dairybred Steer/Heifer						
Over 80% Choice		-			.	
65 - 80% Choice	203	1,521 - 1,521	1,521	57.1	146.25 · 146.25	146.25
35 - 65% Choice		-			.	
0 - 35% Choice		-			.	
Total All Grades	203	1,521 - 1,521	1,521	57.1	146.25 · 146.25	146.25