



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

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For cattle priced during Week ending Sunday, 09/14/2025

Domestic Cattle Only						
	Dressed:	Live:	Total:	Total Week Ago:	Total Year Ago:	
Formula Net:	221,776	18,395	240,171	193,065	254,596	
Negotiated Grid Net:	21,603	13,491	35,094	25,439	43,222	
Forward Contract Net:	9,041	4,324	13,365	20,883	14,225	

Formula Net: Dressed Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
STEER						
Over 80% Choice	76,737	723 - 1,184	1,005	64.3	362.58 · 430.08	388.50
65 - 80% Choice	29,722	754 - 1,095	969	64.7	363.78 · 390.78	382.52
35 - 65% Choice	15,112	729 - 1,105	930	64.9	366.94 · 390.95	377.20
0 - 35% Choice	475	767 - 1,006	885	65.0	365.76 · 370.54	368.35
Total All Grades	122,046	723 - 1,184	986	64.5	362.58 · 430.08	385.57
HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	44,641	710 - 1,084	882	64.4	370.23 · 434.56	389.76
65 - 80% Choice	20,060	716 - 987	841	64.7	373.93 · 395.94	385.10
35 - 65% Choice	5,307	697 - 938	845	65.0	363.29 · 387.29	379.96
0 - 35% Choice	316	748 - 759	755	64.5	363.03 · 370.55	368.15
Total All Grades	70,324	697 - 1,084	867	64.5	363.03 · 434.56	387.60
MIXED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	19,998	682 - 1,061	908	63.8	372.83 · 444.76	396.27
65 - 80% Choice	5,983	726 - 1,046	912	64.2	369.21 · 392.51	384.17
35 - 65% Choice	2,130	675 - 1,016	865	64.3	366.41 · 386.36	378.75
0 - 35% Choice	253	824 - 978	954	64.9	370.94 · 385.04	382.87
Total All Grades	28,364	675 - 1,061	906	63.9	366.41 · 444.76	392.28
ALL STEERS & HEIFERS						
	220,734	675 - 1,184	938	64.4	362.58 · 444.76	387.08
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COW						
Over 80% Choice	240	858 - 858	858	62.9	381.60 · 381.60	381.60
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Total All Grades	240	858 - 858	858	62.9	381.60 · 381.60	381.60
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	620	845 - 913	873	60.4	377.26 · 381.70	379.12
65 - 80% Choice	105	834 - 885	867	61.2	364.08 · 375.08	368.06
35 - 65% Choice	77	950 - 950	950	59.5	368.78 · 368.78	368.78
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	802	834 - 950	879	60.4	364.08 · 381.70	376.68
Formula Net: Live Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
STEER						
Over 80% Choice	3,771	1,264 - 1,662	1,537	63.5	242.64 · 273.61	246.41
65 - 80% Choice	1,985	1,100 - 1,690	1,533	63.8	242.00 · 248.35	245.01
35 - 65% Choice	1,282	1,178 - 1,511	1,442	63.7	242.00 · 246.00	243.21
0 - 35% Choice	252	1,379 - 1,384	1,382	64.5	244.00 · 244.00	244.00
Total All Grades	7,290	1,100 - 1,690	1,514	63.6	242.00 · 273.61	245.38
HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	3,309	1,150 - 1,445	1,369	63.4	243.00 · 267.90	248.93
65 - 80% Choice	2,862	1,172 - 1,428	1,336	63.6	242.81 · 246.00	243.72
35 - 65% Choice	673	1,159 - 1,423	1,363	64.2	243.00 · 244.33	244.03
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	6,844	1,150 - 1,445	1,355	63.6	242.81 · 267.90	246.27
MIXED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	2,370	1,191 - 1,557	1,401	63.0	242.59 · 273.61	254.57
65 - 80% Choice	972	1,228 - 1,500	1,364	62.2	242.00 · 246.36	243.52
35 - 65% Choice	726	1,234 - 1,517	1,387	63.1	242.00 · 246.00	243.71
0 - 35% Choice	28	1,257 - 1,257	1,257	63.1	242.00 · 242.00	242.00
Total All Grades	4,096	1,191 - 1,557	1,389	62.8	242.00 · 273.61	249.94
ALL STEERS & HEIFERS						
	18,230	1,100 - 1,690	1,426	63.4	242.00 · 273.61	246.74
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COW						
Over 80% Choice		-				
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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Total All Grades	-	-	-	-	-	-
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	165	1,368 - 1,421	1,399	60.1	227.00 · 229.81	228.16
35 - 65% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total All Grades	165	1,368 - 1,421	1,399	60.1	227.00 · 229.81	228.16
Negotiated Grid Net: Dressed Basis						
	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
STEER						
Over 80% Choice	6,300	838 - 1,070	983	63.7	362.28 · 400.12	387.20
65 - 80% Choice	1,691	912 - 1,048	954	63.4	371.26 · 392.91	386.93
35 - 65% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total All Grades	7,991	838 - 1,070	977	63.7	362.28 · 400.12	387.14
HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	7,451	740 - 954	871	64.2	375.93 · 397.65	387.78
65 - 80% Choice	451	759 - 873	843	64.4	380.73 · 385.59	383.43
35 - 65% Choice	112	888 - 895	890	64.5	378.55 · 379.23	378.99
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total All Grades	8,014	740 - 954	870	64.2	375.93 · 397.65	387.41
MIXED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	4,647	740 - 1,066	895	63.1	371.95 · 400.85	385.62
65 - 80% Choice	250	733 - 888	824	63.8	369.45 · 381.42	377.45
35 - 65% Choice	424	849 - 947	889	66.0	362.76 · 372.27	368.43
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total All Grades	5,321	733 - 1,066	892	63.4	362.76 · 400.85	383.87
ALL STEERS & HEIFERS						
	21,326	733 - 1,070	915	63.8	362.28 · 400.85	386.43
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COW						
Over 80% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-



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	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Total All Grades						
-						
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	215	829 - 947	882	61.2	350.63 · 367.88	357.34
65 - 80% Choice	34	812 - 812	812	59.8	349.33 · 349.33	349.33
35 - 65% Choice	28	875 - 875	875	61.4	360.44 · 360.44	360.44
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	277	812 - 947	873	61.1	349.33 · 367.88	356.67
STEER						
Over 80% Choice	2,270	1,193 - 1,712	1,567	64.9	240.63 · 260.85	250.23
65 - 80% Choice	2,372	1,392 - 1,635	1,538	65.7	239.91 · 256.78	250.84
35 - 65% Choice	714	1,368 - 1,488	1,452	64.9	238.18 · 252.53	245.41
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	5,356	1,193 - 1,712	1,539	65.3	238.18 · 260.85	249.86
HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	5,756	1,263 - 1,591	1,391	64.8	245.22 · 264.49	254.22
65 - 80% Choice	2,002	1,212 - 1,439	1,338	65.0	244.88 · 259.05	251.52
35 - 65% Choice	247	1,323 - 1,323	1,323	65.3	252.21 · 252.21	252.21
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	8,005	1,212 - 1,591	1,376	64.9	244.88 · 264.49	253.49
MIXED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	42	1,374 - 1,374	1,374	64.7	245.94 · 245.94	245.94
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice	88	1,350 - 1,350	1,350	65.5	246.28 · 246.28	246.28
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	130	1,350 - 1,374	1,358	65.2	245.94 · 246.28	246.17
ALL STEERS & HEIFERS						
	13,491	1,193 - 1,712	1,440	65.0	238.18 · 264.49	251.98
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COW						
Over 80% Choice		-				
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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Total All Grades	-	-	-	-	-	-
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	2,183	810 - 1,070	984	63.8	289.58 · 365.59	314.61
65 - 80% Choice	249	920 - 997	930	61.8	306.53 · 368.55	360.08
35 - 65% Choice	336	792 - 939	901	63.3	296.05 · 365.10	333.92
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total All Grades	2,768	792 - 1,070	969	63.5	289.58 · 368.55	321.05
HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	2,703	785 - 941	872	64.5	303.93 · 349.33	317.95
65 - 80% Choice	210	848 - 853	849	65.9	317.54 · 318.26	318.05
35 - 65% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total All Grades	2,913	785 - 941	870	64.6	303.93 · 349.33	317.96
MIXED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	874	826 - 1,034	945	63.9	278.90 · 367.66	327.51
65 - 80% Choice	178	831 - 831	831	63.6	357.35 · 357.35	357.35
35 - 65% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total All Grades	1,052	826 - 1,034	926	63.8	278.90 · 367.66	332.56
ALL STEERS & HEIFERS						
	6,733	785 - 1,070	919	64.0	278.90 · 368.55	321.51
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COW						
Over 80% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
65 - 80% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
35 - 65% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-
0 - 35% Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-



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	Head Count	Weight Range	Avg Wt	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Price Range	Avg Price
Total All Grades						
-						
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	1,694	820 - 982	902	60.8	271.84 · 384.66	327.49
65 - 80% Choice	509	795 - 949	841	59.8	282.40 · 381.76	306.39
35 - 65% Choice	105	766 - 825	798	57.7	276.04 · 332.93	301.92
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	2,308	766 - 982	884	60.4	271.84 · 384.66	321.67
STEER						
Over 80% Choice	749	1,223 - 1,624	1,527	63.3	196.10 · 229.40	207.17
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	749	1,223 - 1,624	1,527	63.3	196.10 · 229.40	207.17
HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	327	1,120 - 1,246	1,203	63.1	194.25 · 219.83	204.91
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	327	1,120 - 1,246	1,203	63.1	194.25 · 219.83	204.91
MIXED STEER/HEIFER						
Over 80% Choice	1,081	1,335 - 1,460	1,410	63.0	195.00 · 221.50	204.60
65 - 80% Choice	1,005	1,300 - 1,446	1,387	62.3	195.00 · 202.00	196.62
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				
Total All Grades	2,086	1,300 - 1,460	1,399	62.6	195.00 · 221.50	200.75
ALL STEERS & HEIFERS						
	3,162	1,120 - 1,624	1,409	62.8	194.25 · 229.40	202.70
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COW						
Over 80% Choice		-				
65 - 80% Choice		-				
35 - 65% Choice		-				
0 - 35% Choice		-				



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Total All Grades		-					
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFER							
Over 80% Choice	329	1,266 - 1,330	1,302	60.5	227.65 · 227.65	227.65	
65 - 80% Choice	456	1,308 - 1,400	1,370	60.9	227.65 · 227.65	227.65	
35 - 65% Choice	377	1,394 - 1,404	1,398	60.7	227.65 · 227.65	227.65	
0 - 35% Choice		-					
Total All Grades	1,162	1,266 - 1,404	1,360	60.7	227.65 · 227.65	227.65	



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Comprehensive Net Premium/Discount Category	Total Head	Wt Avg \$/cwt.
Wt Avg Premium Yield	142,665	\$ 1.21
Wt Avg Discount Yield	165,368	\$ (1.83)
Wt Avg Premium Weight	65,990	\$ 1.15
Wt Avg Discount Weight	126,667	\$ (1.33)
Wt Avg Premium Quality	216,854	\$ 4.99
Wt Avg Discount Quality	173,896	\$ (3.11)
Wt Avg Premium Other	140,901	\$ 6.98
Wt Avg Discount Other	80,284	\$ (0.81)

Comprehensive Net Premium/Discount Application Volume

At least 1 Premium/Discount Applied	245,565
No Premium/Discount Applied	38,111