



USDA By-Product Drop Value Report-Cow (NW_LS444)

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Report for 12-30-24 thru 01-03-25 - Final

The hide and offal value from a typical slaughter cow¹ for week ending Fri, Jan 3, 2025 was estimated at \$12.77 / CWT Live (-0.06).

By-Product Values (\$/CWT) - COW

<u>Item</u>	<u>Yield (Lbs)</u>	<u>Wtd Avg Price</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Value (\$/CWT)</u>
Cow Hides, Branded ²	4.82	10.25	UNCH	0.93
Tallow, Renderer Bleachable Tallow <.15% FFA	3.68	44.50	UNCH	1.64
Tongues, Swiss Cut, IW	0.32	564.34	-8.01	1.81
Cheek Meat, trimmed	0.43	376.36	45.73	1.62
Head Meat, trimmed	0.14	219.00	3.00	0.31
Oxtails, regular, small box	0.20	583.50	12.50	1.17
Hearts, regular, bone-out	0.46	116.77	-6.15	0.54
Lips, unsalted	0.13	189.47	-13.03	0.25
Livers, regular, 2/box ³	0.90	49.47	0.27	0.45
Tripe, scalded, bleached	1.06	115.47	-14.08	1.22
Tripe, honeycomb, bleached	0.14	342.00	-79.00	0.48
Lungs	0.86	5.63	UNCH	0.05
Melts	0.15	6.75	UNCH	0.01
Meat And Bone Meal, 50% Protein	10.71	346.67	UNCH	1.86
Blood Meal, 85% Protein	0.73	1191.67	32.58	0.43
Totals:	24.73			12.77
Dressed Equivalent Basis (47.0%):				27.17

Explanatory Notes:

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1 - Typical slaughter cow weighs 1,100 pounds

2 - Hide weight adjusted regularly for seasonal variation

3 - Reflects a 30% condemnation rate