Iowa/Minnesota Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases - Summary

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Roundup for: Friday, 08/22/2025

On Friday, negotiated cash trade was mostly inactive on moderate demand in the Western Cornbelt. The last established live market in the Western Cornbelt was Thursday at 245.00. For the week, dressed purchases were mostly 5.00 higher from 385.00-390.00 on a light test.

Domestic source only. Live sales based on net weights FOB the feedlot after a 3-4% shrink. Dressed sales based on hot carcass weights delivered to the plant.

Negotiated Cash:

Confirmed:	3,222	Week ago:	4,763	Year ago:	1,032
Week to Date:	32,079	Week ago:	20,651	Year ago:	20,451

Negotiated Grid Base:

Confirmed:	435	Week ago:	2,059	Year ago:	578
Week to Date:	8,014	Week ago:	10,323	Year ago:	11,491

Negotiated Cash Sales

(Includes all transactions regardless of delivery day)

	Head Count	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Avg Wt Range	Wtd Avg Weight	Price Range	Wtd Avg Price
STEERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	1,320	62.8	1,300 - 1,550	1,504.2	242.00 - 248.00	246.11
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	1,320	62.8	1,300 - 1,550	1,504.2	242.00 - 248.00	246.11
STEERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	321	63.7	1,500 - 1,600	1,530.8	244.00 - 248.00	246.44
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	321	63.7	1,500 - 1,600	1,530.8	244.00 - 248.00	246.44
STEERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	515	64.5	947 - 1,003	978.4	385.00 - 391.00	385.91
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	515	64.5	947 - 1,003	978.4	385.00 - 391.00	385.91

STEERS: DRESSED FOB							
Over 80% Choice	21	61.0	899 - 899	899.8	385.00 - 385.00		385.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	21	61.0	899 - 899	899.8	385.00 - 385.00		385.00
HEIFERS: LIVE FOB							
Over 80% Choice	558	63.0	1,300 - 1,400	1,367.1	242.00 - 245.00		244.80
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	558	63.0	1,300 - 1,400	1,367.1	242.00 - 245.00		244.80
HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED							
Over 80% Choice	64	63.5	1,300 - 1,300	1,300.0	248.00 - 248.00		248.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	64	63.5	1,300 - 1,300	1,300.0	248.00 - 248.00		248.00
HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED							
No Reportable Trade.							
HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB							
No Reportable Trade.							
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB							
Over 80% Choice	349	63.1	1,250 - 1,425	1,360.3	242.00 - 245.00		244.23
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	349	63.1	1,250 - 1,425	1,360.3	242.00 - 245.00		244.23
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED							
No Reportable Trade.							
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED							
Over 80% Choice	32	62.0	868 - 868	868.0	385.00 - 385.00		385.00
65 - 80% Choice	42	62.0	868 - 868	868.0	387.00 - 387.00		387.00
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	74	62.0	868 - 868	868.0	385.00 - 387.00		386.14
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB							

No Reportable Trade.

ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS

LIVE FOB	2,227	62.9	1,250 - 1,550	1,447.3	242.00 - 248.00	245.48
LIVE DELIVERED	385	63.6	1,300 - 1,600	1,492.5	244.00 - 248.00	246.70
DRESSED DELIVERED	589	64.2	868 - 1,003	964.5	385.00 - 391.00	385.94
DRESSED FOB	21	61.0	899 - 899	899.8	385.00 - 385.00	385.00

DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB

No Reportable Trade.

DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED

No Reportable Trade.

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE FOB

No Reportable Trade.

MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED DELIVERED

No Reportable Trade.

Negotiated Grid Base Price Sales: Final Net Prices To Be Determined Later And Shown On The LM_CT109 Formulated Purchases Report

(Includes all transactions regardless of delivery day)

	Head Count	Wtd Avg Dress Pct	Avg Wt Range	Wtd Avg Weight	Price Range	Wtd Avg Price
STEERS: LIVE FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
STEERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						
STEERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	38	64.0	1,001 - 1,001	1,001.6	382.00 - 382.00	382.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	38	64.0	1,001 - 1,001	1,001.6	382.00 - 382.00	382.00
STEERS: DRESSED FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						

HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED							
Over 80% Choice	106	63.3	851 - 876	859.7	385.00 - 390.00		388.30
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	106	63.3	851 - 876	859.7	385.00 - 390.00		388.30
HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB							
No Reportable Trade.							
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB							
No Reportable Trade.							
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED							
No Reportable Trade.							
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED							
Over 80% Choice	291	63.1	838 - 944	862.1	380.00 - 385.00		382.45
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	291	63.1	838 - 944	862.1	380.00 - 385.00		382.45
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB							
No Reportable Trade.							
ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS							
LIVE FOB			-		-		
LIVE DELIVERED			-		-		
DRESSED DELIVERED	435	63.2	838 - 1,001	873.7	380.00 - 390.00		383.84
DRESSED FOB			-		-		
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB							
No Reportable Trade.							
DAIRYBRED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED							
No Reportable Trade.							
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: LIVE FOB							
No Reportable Trade.							
MIXED STEER/HEIFER/COWS: DRESSED DELIVERED							
No Reportable Trade.							

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Daily Price History:

		Head Count	Avg Weight	Avg Price
WEEKLY ACCUMULATED				
Live	Steer	16,721	1,538.40	245.02
Live	Heifer	5,219	1,355.90	244.85
Dressed	Steer	1,704	975.90	385.76
Dressed	Heifer	788	840.70	385.74
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK				
Live	Steer	12,187	1,524.20	242.21
Live	Heifer	2,661	1,327.80	242.63
Dressed	Steer	2,003	977.00	381.50
Dressed	Heifer	444	869.60	385.47
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR				
Live	Steer	10,851	1,501.20	186.68
Live	Heifer	1,824	1,332.40	185.11
Dressed	Steer	3,307	975.60	293.65
Dressed	Heifer	532	855.40	293.54