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

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Roundup for: Tuesday, 08/19/2025

On Tuesday, negotiated cash trade was limited on moderate demand in the Western Cornbelt. A few early live purchases in the Western Cornbelt were at 245.00, but not enough for an adequate market test. The last established market test in the Western Cornbelt was last week with live purchases from 240.00-245.00 with dressed purchases ranging from 380.00-385.00 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:	2,969	Week ago:	160	Year ago:	14,286
Week to Date:	3,014	Week ago:	160	Year ago:	14,286

Negotiated Grid Base:

Confirmed:	601	Week ago:	338	Year ago:	4,021
Week to Date:	915	Week ago:	642	Year ago:	4,402

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	2,386	64.0	1,450 - 1,600	1,564.3	245.00 - 245.00	245.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	2,386	64.0	1,450 - 1,600	1,564.3	245.00 - 245.00	245.00
STEERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						
STEERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
Over 80% Choice	46	64.0	896 - 896	896.0	385.00 - 385.00	385.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	46	64.0	896 - 896	896.0	385.00 - 385.00	385.00
STEERS: DRESSED FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
Over 80% Choice	196	63.2	1,300 - 1,375	1,330.6	245.00 - 245.00	245.00

65 - 80% Choice			-			-		
35 - 65% Choice			-			-		
0 - 35% Choice			-			-		
Total all grades	196	63.2	1,300	- 1,375	1,330.6	245.00	- 245.00	245.00
HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED								
No Reportable Trade.								
HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED								
Over 80% Choice	118	63.5	841	- 841	841.0	385.00	- 385.00	385.00
65 - 80% Choice			-			-		
35 - 65% Choice			-			-		
0 - 35% Choice			-			-		
Total all grades	118	63.5	841	- 841	841.0	385.00	- 385.00	385.00
HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB								
No Reportable Trade.								
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE FOB								
Over 80% Choice	175	63.3	1,400	- 1,450	1,410.0	245.00	- 245.00	245.00
65 - 80% Choice			-			-		
35 - 65% Choice			-			-		
0 - 35% Choice			-			-		
Total all grades	175	63.3	1,400	- 1,450	1,410.0	245.00	- 245.00	245.00
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED								
Over 80% Choice	48	63.0	1,350	- 1,375	1,357.8	240.00	- 241.00	240.31
65 - 80% Choice			-			-		
35 - 65% Choice			-			-		
0 - 35% Choice			-			-		
Total all grades	48	63.0	1,350	- 1,375	1,357.8	240.00	- 241.00	240.31
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED								
No Reportable Trade.								
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB								
No Reportable Trade.								
ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS								
LIVE FOB	2,757	63.9	1,300	- 1,600	1,537.9	245.00	- 245.00	245.00
LIVE DELIVERED	48	63.0	1,350	- 1,375	1,357.8	240.00	- 241.00	240.31
DRESSED DELIVERED	164	63.6	841	- 896	856.4	385.00	- 385.00	385.00

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.

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	107	64.2	960 - 967	962.3	385.00 - 385.00	385.00
65 - 80% Choice			-		-	
35 - 65% Choice			-		-	
0 - 35% Choice			-		-	
Total all grades	107	64.2	960 - 967	962.3	385.00 - 385.00	385.00
STEERS: DRESSED FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
HEIFERS: LIVE FOB						
No Reportable Trade.						
HEIFERS: LIVE DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						
HEIFERS: DRESSED DELIVERED						
No Reportable Trade.						
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	74	63.0	882 - 882	882.0	382.00 - 382.00	382.00	
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice			-		-		
Total all grades	74	63.0	882 - 882	882.0	382.00 - 382.00	382.00	
MIXED STEER/HEIFERS: DRESSED FOB							
No Reportable Trade.							
ALL BEEF TYPE STEERS AND HEIFERS							
LIVE FOB			-		-		
LIVE DELIVERED			-		-		
DRESSED DELIVERED	181	63.7	882 - 967	929.5	382.00 - 385.00	383.77	
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							
Over 80% Choice			-		-		
65 - 80% Choice			-		-		
35 - 65% Choice			-		-		
0 - 35% Choice	420	60.0	900 - 900	900.0	350.00 - 350.00	350.00	
Total all grades	420	60.0	900 - 900	900.0	350.00 - 350.00	350.00	

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Daily Price History:

		Head Count	Avg Weight	Avg Price
WEEKLY ACCUMULATED				
Live	Steer	2,386	1,564.30	245.00
Live	Heifer	196	1,330.60	245.00
Dressed	Steer	46	896.00	385.00
Dressed	Heifer	118	841.00	385.00
SAME PERIOD LAST WEEK				
Live	Steer			
Live	Heifer	160	1,275.00	245.00
Dressed	Steer			
Dressed	Heifer			
SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR				
Live	Steer	8,480	1,502.20	187.12
Live	Heifer	542	1,315.50	186.07
Dressed	Steer	2,366	978.70	293.85
Dressed	Heifer	120	841.60	293.00