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For Week Ending Sunday, 12/13/2020

A: Packer Owned Slaughter

Domestic:

Head Count	Carcass Wt Range	Wtd Avg Carcass	Avg Dressing %	Avg % Choice or Better	Avg % YG 1, 2, 3
11,657	620 - 1,003	917	63.6	88.8	81.8

Imported:

Head Count	Carcass Wt Range	Wtd Avg Carcass	Avg Dressing %	Avg % Choice or Better	Avg % YG 1, 2, 3
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B: Prior Week Slaughtered Formula and Forward Contract Head Count

Domestic:

Head Count

Forward Contract	39,322
Formula	286,872
Negotiated	105,279
Negotiated Grid	15,420

Imported:

Head Count

Forward Contract	5,261
Formula	684
Negotiated	940
Negotiated Grid	0

Total Slaughtered Head Count: 453,778



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C: Forward Contract Purchased Cattle Weekly

Total New Signings Last Week:

46,944

Cumulative Total for Listed Months:

1,297,491

Delivery Mo./Basis Mo.	New Last Week	Cumulative Total For Month	Basis Wtd Avg	Basis Level	
				Min	Max
Dec '20/Feb					
Dec '20/Apr					
Dec '20/Jun					
Dec '20/Aug					
Dec '20/Oct					
Dec '20/Dec	830	171,051	(\$0.10)	(\$1.00)	\$0.00
Total Dec Deliveries	830	171,051	(\$3.93)	(\$20.50)	\$3.50
Last Year Dec Deliveries		136,528			
Jan '21/Feb	1,173	177,165	(\$0.46)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Jan '21/Apr					
Jan '21/Jun					
Jan '21/Aug					
Jan '21/Oct					
Jan '21/Dec					
Total Jan Deliveries	1,173	177,165	(\$3.52)	(\$18.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Jan Deliveries		180,191			
Feb '21/Feb	1,649	164,088	(\$2.62)	(\$13.00)	\$0.00
Feb '21/Apr					
Feb '21/Jun					
Feb '21/Aug					
Feb '21/Oct					
Feb '21/Dec					
Total Feb Deliveries	1,649	164,088	(\$3.22)	(\$15.00)	\$6.00
Last Year Feb Deliveries		166,037			
Mar '21/Feb					
Mar '21/Apr	1,411	190,521	(\$1.78)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Mar '21/Jun					



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Mar '21/Aug					
Mar '21/Oct					
Mar '21/Dec					
Total Mar Deliveries	1,411	190,521	(\$3.51)	(\$15.00)	\$6.50
Last Year Mar Deliveries		191,195			
Apr '21/Feb					
Apr '21/Apr	4,434	197,534	(\$0.23)	(\$11.00)	\$1.00
Apr '21/Jun					
Apr '21/Aug					
Apr '21/Oct					
Apr '21/Dec					
Total Apr Deliveries	4,434	197,534	(\$3.93)	(\$17.00)	\$6.50
Last Year Apr Deliveries		234,796			
May '21/Feb					
May '21/Apr					
May '21/Jun	4,070	83,189	\$0.71	(\$12.00)	\$5.00
May '21/Aug					
May '21/Oct					
May '21/Dec					
Total May Deliveries	4,070	83,189	(\$0.44)	(\$15.00)	\$13.00
Last Year May Deliveries		157,006			
Jun '21/Feb					
Jun '21/Apr					
Jun '21/Jun	7,024	87,956	(\$0.39)	(\$12.00)	\$2.00
Jun '21/Aug					
Jun '21/Oct					
Jun '21/Dec					
Total Jun Deliveries	7,024	87,956	(\$3.69)	(\$12.00)	\$5.50
Last Year Jun Deliveries		159,119			
Jul '21/Feb					
Jul '21/Apr					



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Jul '21/Jun					
Jul '21/Aug	5,819	57,529	(\$0.58)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Jul '21/Oct					
Jul '21/Dec					
Total Jul Deliveries	5,819	57,529	(\$3.21)	(\$12.00)	\$4.72
Last Year Jul Deliveries		108,717			
Aug '21/Feb					
Aug '21/Apr					
Aug '21/Jun					
Aug '21/Aug	3,396	45,967	(\$2.77)	(\$12.00)	\$2.00
Aug '21/Oct					
Aug '21/Dec					
Total Aug Deliveries	3,396	45,967	(\$4.14)	(\$13.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Aug Deliveries		108,289			
Sep '21/Feb					
Sep '21/Apr					
Sep '21/Jun					
Sep '21/Aug					
Sep '21/Oct	4,819	35,059	(\$2.46)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Sep '21/Dec					
Total Sep Deliveries	4,819	35,059	(\$6.30)	(\$13.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Sep Deliveries		163,327			
Oct '21/Feb					
Oct '21/Apr					
Oct '21/Jun					
Oct '21/Aug					
Oct '21/Oct	4,409	34,281	(\$4.01)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Oct '21/Dec					
Total Oct Deliveries	4,409	34,281	(\$6.45)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Oct Deliveries		172,973			
Nov '21/Feb					



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Nov '21/Apr					
Nov '21/Jun					
Nov '21/Aug					
Nov '21/Oct					
Nov '21/Dec	4,596	29,550	(\$3.63)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Total Nov Deliveries	4,596	29,550	(\$6.31)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Nov Deliveries		200,310			
Dec '21/Dec	2,761	17,861	(\$4.70)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Total Dec Deliveries	2,761	17,861	(\$7.11)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Dec Deliveries		171,051			
Jan '22/Dec	242	2,742	(\$11.32)	(\$12.00)	(\$2.00)
Total Jan Deliveries	242	2,742	(\$11.32)	(\$12.00)	(\$2.00)
Last Year Jan Deliveries		177,165			
Feb '22/Dec	209	2,407	(\$11.24)	(\$12.00)	(\$8.15)
Total Feb Deliveries	209	2,407	(\$11.24)	(\$12.00)	(\$8.15)
Last Year Feb Deliveries		164,088			



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Mar '22/Feb					
Mar '22/Apr	102	591	(\$12.00)	(\$12.00)	(\$12.00)
Mar '22/Jun					
Mar '22/Aug					
Mar '22/Oct					
Mar '22/Dec					
Total Mar Deliveries	102	591	(\$9.49)	(\$12.00)	(\$8.20)
Last Year Mar Deliveries		190,521			

D: Basis Distribution

Delivery Mo./Basis Mo.

Dec '20/Dec

105 head =	
80 head =	-1.00
750 head =	0.00

Jan '21/Feb

2,460 head =	
35 head =	-12.00
38 head =	-3.00
1,100 head =	0.00

Feb '21/Feb

209 head =	-13.00
105 head =	-12.00
35 head =	-10.00
1,300 head =	0.00

Mar '21/Apr

143 head =	-12.00
34 head =	-10.00
90 head =	-2.00
255 head =	-1.00
51 head =	-0.50



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838 head = 0.00

Apr '21/Apr

34 head = -11.00
190 head = -2.00
442 head = -1.00
3,577 head = 0.00
191 head = +1.00

May '21/Jun

452 head = -12.00
34 head = -9.00
1,200 head = 0.00
44 head = +2.00
1,286 head = +3.00
586 head = +4.00
468 head = +5.00

Jun '21/Jun

735 head = -12.00
35 head = -10.00
3,044 head = 0.00
3,210 head = +2.00

Jul '21/Aug

624 head = -12.00
80 head = -1.00
1,480 head = 0.00
3,359 head = +1.00
276 head = +3.00

Aug '21/Aug

696 head = -12.00
105 head = -10.00
80 head = -1.00



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2,479 head = 0.00

36 head = +2.00

Sep '21/Oct

659 head = -12.00

105 head = -10.00

160 head = -2.50

160 head = -2.00

2,175 head = -1.00

1,560 head = 0.00

Oct '21/Oct

1,249 head = -12.00

35 head = -10.00

108 head = -8.11

240 head = -1.50

1,097 head = -1.00

1,680 head = 0.00

Nov '21/Dec

1,149 head = -12.00

35 head = -10.00

108 head = -8.18

120 head = -2.50

80 head = -2.00

1,224 head = -1.00

1,880 head = 0.00