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For Week Ending Sunday, 02/02/2025

A: Packer Owned Slaughter

Domestic:

Head Count	Carcass Wt Range	Wtd Avg Carcass	Avg Dressing %	Avg % Choice or Better	Avg % YG 1, 2, 3
8,966	655 - 1,161	989	64.0	89.9	65.7

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	24,176
Formula	265,524
Negotiated	76,188
Negotiated Grid	42,767

Imported:

Head Count

Forward Contract	6,163
Formula	4,089
Negotiated	149
Negotiated Grid	2,274

Total Slaughtered Head Count: 421,330



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C: Forward Contract Purchased Cattle Weekly

Total New Signings Last Week:

92,777

Cumulative Total for Listed Months:

1,196,651

Delivery Mo./Basis Mo.	New Last Week	Cumulative Total For Month	Basis Wtd Avg	Basis Level	
				Min	Max
Feb '25/Feb	35	126,517	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Feb '25/Apr					
Feb '25/Jun					
Feb '25/Aug					
Feb '25/Oct					
Feb '25/Dec					
Total Feb Deliveries	35	126,747	(\$2.72)	(\$15.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Feb Deliveries		89,586			
Mar '25/Feb					
Mar '25/Apr	2,793	156,953	(\$0.82)	(\$12.00)	\$4.00
Mar '25/Jun					
Mar '25/Aug					
Mar '25/Oct					
Mar '25/Dec					
Total Mar Deliveries	2,793	157,183	(\$2.33)	(\$13.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Mar Deliveries		125,298			
Apr '25/Feb					
Apr '25/Apr	5,975	204,460	(\$0.34)	(\$13.00)	\$4.00
Apr '25/Jun					
Apr '25/Aug					
Apr '25/Oct					
Apr '25/Dec					
Total Apr Deliveries	5,975	204,460	(\$2.60)	(\$13.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Apr Deliveries		189,421			
May '25/Feb		248			
May '25/Apr					
May '25/Jun	3,046	102,084	\$1.45	(\$12.00)	\$7.00



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May '25/Aug					
May '25/Oct					
May '25/Dec					
Total May Deliveries	3,046	102,332	\$1.98	(\$12.00)	\$9.00
Last Year May Deliveries		112,762			
Jun '25/Feb					
Jun '25/Apr					
Jun '25/Jun	10,633	108,277	\$1.61	(\$12.00)	\$5.00
Jun '25/Aug					
Jun '25/Oct					
Jun '25/Dec					
Total Jun Deliveries	10,633	108,277	(\$1.97)	(\$20.00)	\$6.00
Last Year Jun Deliveries		100,618			
Jul '25/Feb					
Jul '25/Apr					
Jul '25/Jun					
Jul '25/Aug	10,213	76,440	\$2.71	(\$12.00)	\$6.00
Jul '25/Oct					
Jul '25/Dec					
Total Jul Deliveries	10,213	76,440	(\$0.46)	(\$20.00)	\$6.00
Last Year Jul Deliveries		88,243			
Aug '25/Feb					
Aug '25/Apr					
Aug '25/Jun					
Aug '25/Aug	11,398	84,132	\$1.11	(\$12.00)	\$6.00
Aug '25/Oct					
Aug '25/Dec					
Total Aug Deliveries	11,398	84,132	(\$1.40)	(\$20.00)	\$6.00
Last Year Aug Deliveries		94,351			
Sep '25/Feb					
Sep '25/Apr					



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Sep '25/Jun					
Sep '25/Aug					
Sep '25/Oct	8,701	65,430	(\$2.17)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Sep '25/Dec					
Total Sep Deliveries	8,701	65,430	(\$2.64)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Sep Deliveries		106,057			
Oct '25/Feb					
Oct '25/Apr					
Oct '25/Jun					
Oct '25/Aug					
Oct '25/Oct	10,687	87,443	(\$1.40)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Oct '25/Dec					
Total Oct Deliveries	10,687	87,443	(\$2.35)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Oct Deliveries		113,660			
Nov '25/Feb					
Nov '25/Apr					
Nov '25/Jun					
Nov '25/Aug					
Nov '25/Oct					
Nov '25/Dec	9,753	67,703	(\$0.03)	(\$12.00)	\$4.00
Total Nov Deliveries	9,753	67,703	(\$2.65)	(\$13.00)	\$4.00
Last Year Nov Deliveries		177,259			
Dec '25/Feb					
Dec '25/Apr					
Dec '25/Jun					
Dec '25/Aug					
Dec '25/Oct					
Dec '25/Dec	11,841	59,789	(\$2.53)	(\$12.00)	\$4.00
Total Dec Deliveries	11,841	59,789	(\$3.96)	(\$12.00)	\$4.00
Last Year Dec Deliveries		146,111			
Jan '26/Feb	2,639	17,916	(\$9.60)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00



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Jan '26/Apr					
Jan '26/Jun					
Jan '26/Aug					
Jan '26/Oct					
Jan '26/Dec					
Total Jan Deliveries	2,639	17,916	(\$6.97)	(\$12.00)	\$2.00
Last Year Jan Deliveries		122,619			
Feb '26/Feb	1,163	16,111	(\$7.88)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Feb '26/Apr					
Feb '26/Jun					
Feb '26/Aug					
Feb '26/Oct					
Feb '26/Dec					
Total Feb Deliveries	1,163	16,111	(\$7.27)	(\$12.00)	\$2.00
Last Year Feb Deliveries		126,747			
Mar '26/Feb					
Mar '26/Apr	1,474	9,733	(\$6.50)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Mar '26/Jun					
Mar '26/Aug					
Mar '26/Oct					
Mar '26/Dec					
Total Mar Deliveries	1,474	9,733	(\$8.01)	(\$12.00)	\$2.00
Last Year Mar Deliveries		157,183			
Apr '26/Feb					
Apr '26/Apr	1,995	11,783	(\$8.21)	(\$13.00)	\$2.00
Apr '26/Jun					
Apr '26/Aug					
Apr '26/Oct					
Apr '26/Dec					
Total Apr Deliveries	1,995	11,783	(\$9.79)	(\$13.00)	\$2.00
Last Year Apr Deliveries		204,460			



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May '26/Feb					
May '26/Apr					
May '26/Jun	431	1,172	(\$0.97)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
May '26/Aug					
May '26/Oct					
May '26/Dec					
Total May Deliveries	431	1,172	(\$6.30)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Last Year May Deliveries		102,332			

D: Basis Distribution

Delivery Mo./Basis Mo.

Feb '25/Feb

35 head = 0.00

Mar '25/Apr

245 head = -12.00

252 head = -8.00

35 head = -5.00

345 head = 0.00

881 head = +0.50

392 head = +1.00

280 head = +2.00

363 head = +4.00

Apr '25/Apr

104 head = -13.00

102 head = -11.00

37 head = -10.64

192 head = -10.62

34 head = -10.00

175 head = -9.00

35 head = -5.00

70 head = -4.00

80 head = -1.00



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1,169 head =	0.00
423 head =	+0.50
2,810 head =	+1.00
296 head =	+2.00
180 head =	+3.50
268 head =	+4.00

May '25/Jun

357 head =	-12.00
70 head =	-10.48
103 head =	-8.00
105 head =	-4.00
87 head =	0.00
680 head =	+3.00
720 head =	+4.00
207 head =	+5.00
293 head =	+6.00
424 head =	+7.00

Jun '25/Jun

386 head =	-12.00
450 head =	-10.48
45 head =	-10.41
72 head =	-10.37
17 head =	-10.00
169 head =	-8.00
35 head =	-4.00
17 head =	-3.00
58 head =	-1.00
1,544 head =	0.00
188 head =	+0.50
138 head =	+1.00
85 head =	+1.50
902 head =	+2.00
69 head =	+2.50



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2,522 head = +3.00

138 head = +4.00

3,798 head = +5.00

Jul '25/Aug

681 head = -12.00

103 head = -8.00

245 head = -4.00

29 head = -1.50

80 head = -0.50

1,161 head = 0.00

80 head = +1.00

239 head = +2.00

248 head = +3.50

1,000 head = +4.00

5,727 head = +5.00

620 head = +6.00

Aug '25/Aug

1,212 head = -12.00

35 head = -11.00

148 head = -10.37

70 head = -8.00

58 head = -3.50

58 head = -1.50

29 head = -1.00

130 head = -0.50

765 head = 0.00

100 head = +0.50

2,232 head = +1.00

280 head = +2.00

240 head = +2.50

100 head = +3.00

4,556 head = +4.00

200 head = +5.00



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1,185 head = +6.00

Sep '25/Oct

1,901 head = -12.00
123 head = -8.00
80 head = -2.50
80 head = -2.00
58 head = -1.50
360 head = -1.00
2,823 head = 0.00
1,774 head = +1.00
400 head = +1.88
102 head = +2.00
1,000 head = +3.00

Oct '25/Oct

1,522 head = -12.00
157 head = -11.00
190 head = -10.36
105 head = -8.00
58 head = -4.00
109 head = -2.00
149 head = -1.00
80 head = -0.50
3,622 head = 0.00
228 head = +0.50
504 head = +1.00
2,265 head = +1.50
580 head = +2.00
1,118 head = +3.00

Nov '25/Dec

1,089 head = -12.00
70 head = -8.00
2,176 head = 0.00



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1,543 head = +1.00

3,875 head = +2.00

1,000 head = +4.00

Dec '25/Dec

2,886 head = -12.00

63 head = -11.00

190 head = -10.34

105 head = -8.00

35 head = -3.00

29 head = -1.50

2,952 head = 0.00

1,020 head = +0.50

3,161 head = +1.00

400 head = +1.50

1,000 head = +4.00

Jan '26/Feb

1,925 head = -12.00

279 head = -8.00

435 head = 0.00