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For Week Ending Sunday, 12/19/2021

A: Packer Owned Slaughter

Domestic:

Head Count	Carcass Wt Range	Wtd Avg Carcass	Avg Dressing %	Avg % Choice or Better	Avg % YG 1, 2, 3
7,162	721 - 1,137	961	64.6	86.8	59.8

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	40,576
Formula	271,568
Negotiated	85,150
Negotiated Grid	39,159

Imported:

Head Count

Forward Contract	6,064
Formula	0
Negotiated	2,918
Negotiated Grid	0

Total Slaughtered Head Count: 445,435



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C: Forward Contract Purchased Cattle Weekly

Total New Signings Last Week:

15,453

Cumulative Total for Listed Months:

1,361,436

Delivery Mo./Basis Mo.	New Last Week	Cumulative Total For Month	Basis Wtd Avg	Basis Level	
				Min	Max
Dec '21/Feb					
Dec '21/Apr					
Dec '21/Jun					
Dec '21/Aug					
Dec '21/Oct					
Dec '21/Dec		172,893			
Total Dec Deliveries		172,893	(\$3.93)	(\$12.00)	\$4.00
Last Year Dec Deliveries		139,853			
Jan '22/Feb	295	177,206	(\$6.75)	(\$10.00)	(\$2.00)
Jan '22/Apr					
Jan '22/Jun					
Jan '22/Aug					
Jan '22/Oct					
Jan '22/Dec					
Total Jan Deliveries	295	177,206	(\$3.66)	(\$13.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Jan Deliveries		179,929			
Feb '22/Feb	319	169,802	(\$6.62)	(\$12.00)	(\$1.00)
Feb '22/Apr					
Feb '22/Jun					
Feb '22/Aug					
Feb '22/Oct					
Feb '22/Dec					
Total Feb Deliveries	319	169,802	(\$3.63)	(\$14.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Feb Deliveries		178,364			
Mar '22/Feb					
Mar '22/Apr	506	191,124	(\$3.32)	(\$12.00)	(\$0.50)
Mar '22/Jun					



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Mar '22/Aug					
Mar '22/Oct					
Mar '22/Dec					
Total Mar Deliveries	506	191,124	(\$3.71)	(\$14.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Mar Deliveries		248,176			
Apr '22/Feb					
Apr '22/Apr	809	198,889	(\$0.74)	(\$11.00)	\$0.00
Apr '22/Jun					
Apr '22/Aug					
Apr '22/Oct					
Apr '22/Dec					
Total Apr Deliveries	809	198,889	(\$4.15)	(\$22.00)	\$5.00
Last Year Apr Deliveries		274,748			
May '22/Feb					
May '22/Apr					
May '22/Jun	3,025	99,368	\$2.63	(\$12.00)	\$5.00
May '22/Aug					
May '22/Oct					
May '22/Dec					
Total May Deliveries	3,025	99,368	\$0.03	(\$12.00)	\$6.50
Last Year May Deliveries		247,806			
Jun '22/Feb					
Jun '22/Apr					
Jun '22/Jun	2,683	84,763	(\$0.53)	(\$12.00)	\$2.00
Jun '22/Aug					
Jun '22/Oct					
Jun '22/Dec					
Total Jun Deliveries	2,683	84,763	(\$3.37)	(\$12.00)	\$4.00
Last Year Jun Deliveries		194,820			
Jul '22/Feb					
Jul '22/Apr					



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Jul '22/Jun					
Jul '22/Aug	688	58,781	(\$2.56)	(\$12.00)	\$2.00
Jul '22/Oct					
Jul '22/Dec					
Total Jul Deliveries	688	58,781	(\$3.44)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Jul Deliveries		193,197			
Aug '22/Feb					
Aug '22/Apr					
Aug '22/Jun					
Aug '22/Aug	1,256	48,633	(\$2.53)	(\$12.00)	\$1.00
Aug '22/Oct					
Aug '22/Dec					
Total Aug Deliveries	1,256	48,633	(\$3.60)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Aug Deliveries		153,105			
Sep '22/Feb					
Sep '22/Apr					
Sep '22/Jun					
Sep '22/Aug					
Sep '22/Oct	578	50,305	(\$7.54)	(\$12.00)	(\$3.00)
Sep '22/Dec					
Total Sep Deliveries	578	50,305	(\$3.44)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Sep Deliveries		201,792			
Oct '22/Feb					
Oct '22/Apr					
Oct '22/Jun					
Oct '22/Aug					
Oct '22/Oct	925	43,305	(\$7.18)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Oct '22/Dec					
Total Oct Deliveries	925	43,305	(\$3.82)	(\$12.00)	\$3.00
Last Year Oct Deliveries		199,357			
Nov '22/Feb					



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Nov '22/Apr					
Nov '22/Jun					
Nov '22/Aug					
Nov '22/Oct					
Nov '22/Dec	2,239	32,633	(\$8.67)	(\$12.00)	(\$8.00)
Total Nov Deliveries	2,239	32,633	(\$4.68)	(\$12.00)	\$0.00
Last Year Nov Deliveries		207,499			
Dec '22/Dec					
Total Dec Deliveries					
Last Year Dec Deliveries					
Jan '23/Dec					
Total Jan Deliveries					
Last Year Jan Deliveries					
Feb '23/Dec					
Total Feb Deliveries					
Last Year Feb Deliveries					



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Mar '23/Feb					
Mar '23/Apr	245	3,710	(\$10.29)	(\$12.00)	(\$8.00)
Mar '23/Jun					
Mar '23/Aug					
Mar '23/Oct					
Mar '23/Dec					
Total Mar Deliveries	245	3,710	(\$8.18)	(\$12.00)	(\$1.00)
Last Year Mar Deliveries		191,124			

D: Basis Distribution

Delivery Mo./Basis Mo.

Jan '22/Feb

175 head = -10.00

120 head = -2.00

Feb '22/Feb

35 head = -12.00

70 head = -10.00

105 head = -8.00

29 head = -2.50

80 head = -1.00

Mar '22/Apr

35 head = -12.00

103 head = -8.00

120 head = -2.00

140 head = -1.00

108 head = -0.50

Apr '22/Apr

35 head = -11.00

125 head = -1.50

59 head = -0.50

590 head = 0.00



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May '22/Jun

140 head =	-12.00
205 head =	-8.00
63 head =	0.00
29 head =	+0.50
159 head =	+1.50
29 head =	+2.50
445 head =	+3.00
170 head =	+4.00
1,785 head =	+5.00

Jun '22/Jun

140 head =	-12.00
70 head =	-10.00
189 head =	-8.00
56 head =	-1.50
58 head =	-1.00
694 head =	0.00
92 head =	+0.50
213 head =	+1.00
1,171 head =	+2.00

Jul '22/Aug

35 head =	-12.00
105 head =	-11.00
90 head =	-2.00
94 head =	-1.50
296 head =	0.00
68 head =	+2.00

Aug '22/Aug

140 head =	-12.00
70 head =	-8.00
210 head =	-2.00



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65 head = -1.50

454 head = -1.00

280 head = 0.00

37 head = +1.00

Sep '22/Oct

73 head = -12.00

394 head = -8.00

111 head = -3.00

Oct '22/Oct

173 head = -12.00

208 head = -8.70

344 head = -8.00

200 head = 0.00

Nov '22/Dec

1,110 head =

279 head = -12.00

446 head = -8.85

1,514 head = -8.00