



Morning National Slaughter Cattle Review for Wednesday, 05/07/25

On Wednesday negotiated cash trade in the Texas Panhandle was moderate on good demand. Compared to Tuesday in the Texas Panhandle live purchases traded 1.00 higher at 219.00. Trade was light on good demand in all other feeding regions. In Kansas a few live purchases traded mostly at 219.00, with a few dressed delivered purchases in Nebraska ranging from 352.00-355.00. However, not enough purchases in any other feeding region for an adequate market test. The latest established market in Kansas was on Tuesday with live purchases from 218.00-220.00. The latest established market in Nebraska was last week with live purchases trading from 222.00-223.00 with dressed delivered purchases at 350.00 and few dressed FOB purchases at 352.00. Last week in the Western Cornbelt, live purchases traded from 220.00-224.00, mostly at 222.00 with dressed purchases at 350.00.

Negotiated Sales:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated Purchases' - [LM_CT115](#))

Confirmed:	9,264	Week Ago:	69,308	Year Ago:	1,313
Week to Date:	23,063	Week Ago to Date:	72,776	Year Ago to Date:	3,085

Negotiated , Formula, and Contract purchases delivered to packers today:

(Derived from the 'National Daily Slaughter Cattle - Committed and Delivered Cattle' - [LM_CT106](#))

Today:	86,400	Week Ago:	91,200	Year Ago:	82,400
Week to Date:	248,700	Week Ago to Date:	246,900	Year Ago to Date:	258,400

Negotiated , Formula, and Contract commitments today (generally within 7 days):

(Derived from the 'National Daily Slaughter Cattle - Committed and Delivered Cattle' - [LM_CT106](#))

Today:	98,300	Week Ago:	130,700	Year Ago:	78,800
Week to Date:	242,000	Week Ago to Date:	283,200	Year Ago to Date:	249,400

Negotiated: prices paid for Domestic Slaughter steers and heifers:

(Derived from the '5 Area Daily Wtd Avg Direct Slaughter Cattle - Negotiated' - [LM_CT100](#))

Live Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	219.00 - 225.00	avg 222.36	219.00 - 225.00	avg 222.67
65 - 80% Choice	218.00 - 219.00	avg 218.86	219.00 - 219.00	avg 219.00
35 - 65% Choice	219.00 - 219.00	avg 219.00	219.00 - 219.00	avg 219.00
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	218.00 - 225.00	avg 220.14	219.00 - 225.00	avg 219.53



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Dressed Basis	Steers		Heifers	
Over 80% Choice	353.00 - 360.00	avg 355.13	352.00 - 352.00	avg 352.00
65 - 80% Choice	352.00 - 352.00	avg 352.00	-	avg
35 - 65% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
0 - 35% Choice	-	avg	-	avg
Total all Grades	352.00 - 360.00	avg 355.06	352.00 - 352.00	avg 352.00

Formula Purchases:

(Derived from the 'National Direct Direct Slaughter Cattle - Formulated and Grid Purchases' - [LM_CT109](#))

Formula Net - Dressed	Steers & Heifers
Head count priced today:	36,500
Weighted avg weight:	925.00
Weighted avg net price:	347.84

Covers transactions reported at 10:00 am today. Comments and market conditions may include information gathered from voluntary sources, all prices, weights and head counts are only those gathered through the mandatory reporting system.